

GHOST TOWN MUSEUM

W.K. GORDON CENTER
FOR INDUSTRIAL HISTORY
OF TEXAS

A TEXAS TREASURE THURBER, TEXAS

SEE A REAL
GHOST TOWN
COME BACK
TO LIFE



COAL, BRICK, & OIL



Tuesday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Sunday 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

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It was the largest town between Fort Worth and El Paso—yet a single company owned it.

It was the most important coal mining site in Texas, a major manufacturer of paving bricks, and headquarters of the company that discovered the nearby Ranger oil field.

It was Thurber, Texas.

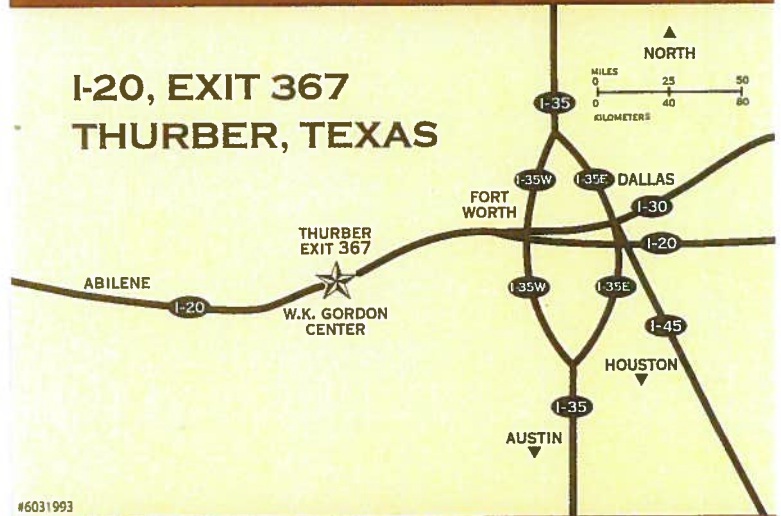
And, by the 1930s, it was gone.

Now, the famous ghost town of Thurber comes back to life—at Tarleton State University's W.K. Gordon Center for Industrial History of Texas.

Through artful reconstructions, historical artifacts, period photographs, interactive exhibits, and video displays, you can relive Thurber's unforgettable journey from boom town to ghost town.



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