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Form 10-300
(Rev. 6-72)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE:	Colorado
COUNTY:	Pueblo
FOR NPS USE ONLY	
ENTRY DATE	JUL 30 1974

1. NAME

COMMON:
Goodnight Barn

AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER: ^{CO} ~~W 6th Pueblo at~~
Highway 96 West & Siloam Road

CITY OR TOWN: Pueblo ^{via}

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT: #3 Frank E. Evans

STATE	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
Colorado	08	pueblo	101

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
<input type="checkbox"/> District <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Object	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Both	<input type="checkbox"/> Public <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Being Considered	<input type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Educational <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/> Government <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Military <input type="checkbox"/> Museum	<input type="checkbox"/> Park <input type="checkbox"/> Private Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Religious <input type="checkbox"/> Scientific	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Comments Storage

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNER'S NAME: Certified Concrete Co.

STREET AND NUMBER: 5475 Highway 96 West

CITY OR TOWN: Pueblo

STATE: Colorado

CODE: 08

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.: Clerk's Office, Pueblo County Court House

STREET AND NUMBER: 10th and Main, P.O. Box 878

CITY OR TOWN: Pueblo

STATE: Colorado

CODE: 08

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY: State Inventory of Historic Sites

DATE OF SURVEY: Not published

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS: Colorado State Museum

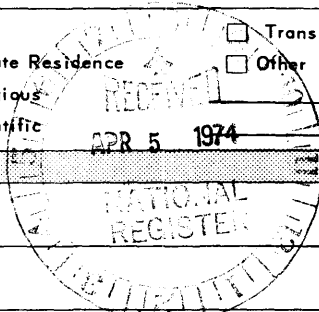
STREET AND NUMBER: 200 14th Avenue

CITY OR TOWN: Denver

STATE: Colorado

CODE: 08

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STATE: Colorado

COUNTY: Pueblo

ENTRY NUMBER: 908-7-1974

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7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION

(Check One)

Excellent Good Fair Deteriorated Ruins Unexposed

(Check One)

Altered Unaltered

(Check One)

Moved Original Site

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Goodnight Barn is constructed of limestone blocks which now show some discoloration. The blocks are rough cut, natural texture with mortar filled in to give the appearance of a more finely cut stone. The roof is a medium gable and has roofing material of corrugated metal. A pigeon tower is affixed to the ridge line at midpoint.

The doors are all made of heavy planking, the loft doors in a diagonal plain design, the other doors in a vertical plain design. The doors are flat shaped with large stone lintels. The loft doors are an exception, being semicircular in shape with radiating stone voussoirs and keystones.

Along one side and end facade tie bars were put in to stabilize the masonry. Livestock entry doors on the same facade were boarded up and are no longer in use.

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

- Pre-Columbian 16th Century 18th Century 20th Century
 15th Century 17th Century 19th Century

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)

1871

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

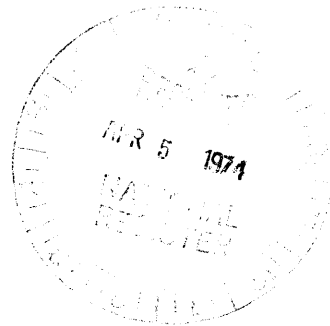
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Invention | <input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture | <u>industry</u> |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Commerce | <input type="checkbox"/> Military | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation | _____ |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation | | | _____ |

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Goodnight Barn is all that remains of the Goodnight Ranch, established in Pueblo County in 1869, by Charles Goodnight. The town of Goodnight, also in Pueblo County, was named for him in 1874. Mr. Goodnight is famous for cattle drives from his ranch in Texas north to Colorado along the Goodnight Trail. His last trail herd is known to have reached Colorado in 1875 and numbered approximately 20,000 cattle. Goodnight died in 1929.

The Barn is the remaining symbol of Goodnight's famous Rock Canyon Ranch and was constructed by his hands in 1871. The Rock Canyon Ranch was the 2nd ranch established by Goodnight in Colorado. His first ranch was established in ¹⁸⁶⁹~~1876~~ north-east of Trinidad at the head of the Apishapa Canyon. This second ranch was established in ~~1869~~ 1876.

Goodnight was the first to set up an extensive cattle ranching industry in the state. His cattle trails to the rail heads were followed by smaller ranchers on their drives. The same routes serviced the other pioneer traffic which followed the cattlemen.



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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Charles Goodnight: Cowman & Plainsman, J. Evett Haley
 State Inventory Files, Perry Eberhart 1973

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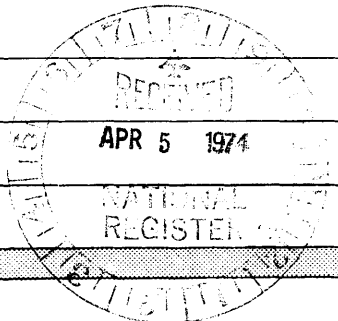
10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY			OR	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES		
CORNER	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE		LATITUDE	LONGITUDE	
	Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees Minutes Seconds		Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees Minutes Seconds	
NW	° ' "	° ' "		104° 41' 27"	38° 15' 27"	
NE	° ' "	° ' "				
SE	° ' "	° ' "				
SW	° ' "	° ' "				

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: 1 1/2 acres

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE:	CODE	COUNTY	CODE



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11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE:
Grant O. Hunt, Curator

ORGANIZATION: El Pueblo State Museum DATE: 1/7/74

STREET AND NUMBER:
905 S. prairie

CITY OR TOWN: Pueblo STATE: Colorado CODE: 08

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National State Local

Name: [Signature]

Title: Colo State Hist Preservation Officer

Date: 3/27/74

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

[Signature]
 Director, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date: 7/30/74

ATTEST:

[Signature]
 Keeper of The National Register

Date: 7.26.74