

CELEBRATION PARK

CANYON COUNTY, ID

GUFFEY RAILROAD BRIDGE TRAIL

The bridge functioned as target practice during strafing runs carried out by Gowen Field fighter aircraft during the 1940's. Bullet holes are still visible on the northern steel struts of the bridge.

The bridge expands and contracts about a foot a day.

The boulders at Celebration Park are 15,000 years old Bonneville Flood Melon Gravel. This particular rock is famously known as the "Bunny Oven". There is no evidence Native Americans used it as such, but its name was coined in an Idaho Statesman article and has stuck ever since.

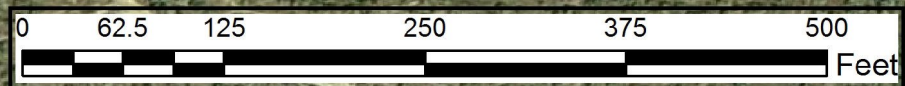
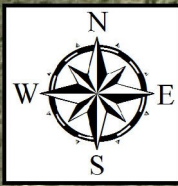
The center concrete pillar is covered with a steel plate to help break the ice floes in the Snake River.

The bridge was built in 1897, as part of the Boise, Nampa, and Owyhee Railroad, with the intent of carrying gold and silver ore cars from Silver City.

The county line separating Canyon County and Owyhee County runs down the center of the Snake River.

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- FISHING ACCESS
- TENT CAMPING AREAS
- TRAIL/HIKING
- TRAILS



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