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Howdy Everyone,

Just got back to Idaho and we seem to be having a rerun of the cold wet winter we had in St. George, Utah all winter continuing here in Idaho. Nonetheless, it's good to be back in good old Idaho for springtime and all the summer fun planned.

Haven't had much time to get caught up on anything very newsy from our group but note that the April schedule is full of fun at our usual plays. Our snowbird contingent is returning home a few at a time and it won't be long until all are back with us.

I can report on behalf of those of us who spent the winter in Southern Utah, we had lots of fun playing music with the Dixie Chapter of the Utah Old Time Fiddlers, as well as a group that played every Monday evening in Mesquite, Nevada. Every other Wednesday we played music with another group in Hurricane, Utah so no dust settled on our musical instruments and we met many new friends in the experience.

Meanwhile, here at home we understand the winter was busy shoveling snow and playing good music all around the valley. The only thing I've learned since returning home is the jokes are about the same and Charlie Lahm still sits in the same place each week ready to give me a bad time. Last night he noted he hadn't received a newsletter for the month of April, which prompted me to say, "I'll have one tomorrow." So, not much of a letter but its on the press when promised.

We will get caught up on things and report what may be of importance next time around. Oh, and we sure enjoyed having Katie Bonn with us last night in Rexburg.

Always fun to have Katie, her son Kenney, and her mother visit. It's nice when Tom comes along as well, but he was busy getting through the snow storm to get home to Salmon.

You heard about the duck, a skunk and a deer that went out to dinner didn't you? Seems that when it came time to pay, the skunk didn't have a scent, and the deer didn't have a buck, so they put the meal on the duck's bill.

Saludos,

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