

Island Growers Farmers Cooperative Mobile Processing Unit Bow, Washington

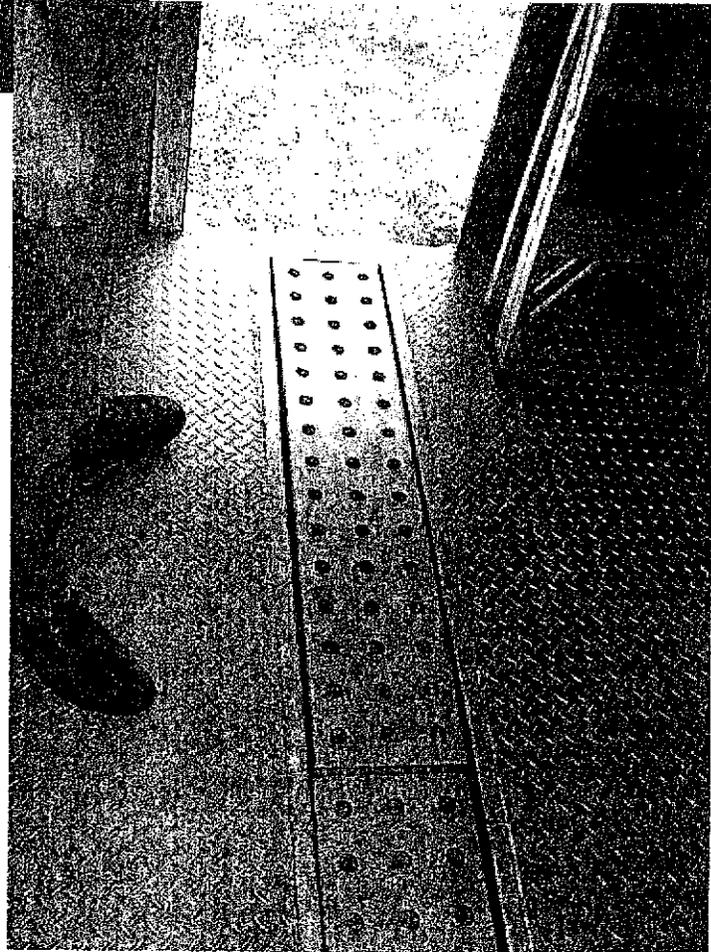
Report by Jan Tusick
Mission Mountain Market Cooperative Development Center
Ronan, Montana



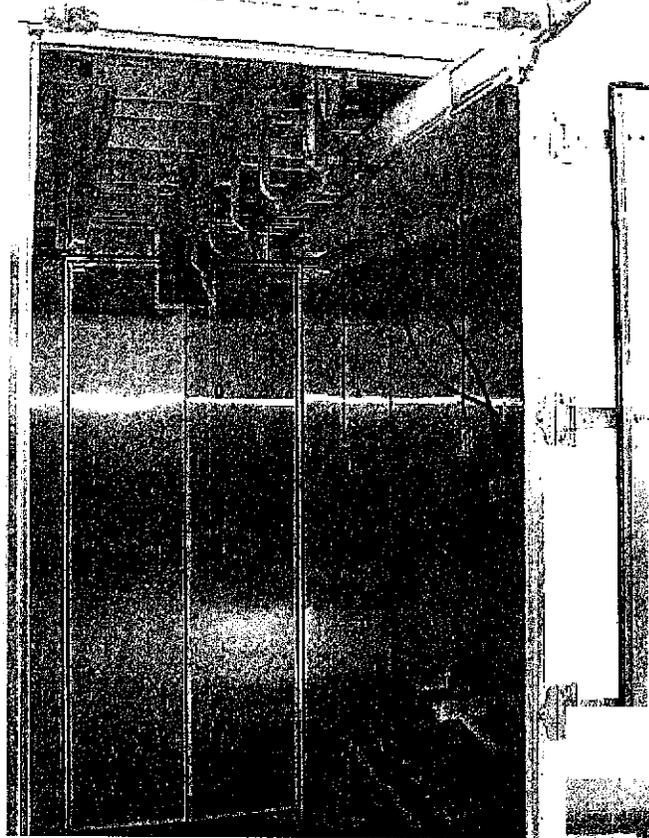


Cooler- will hold ten beef carcasses

Drainage system on
kill floor

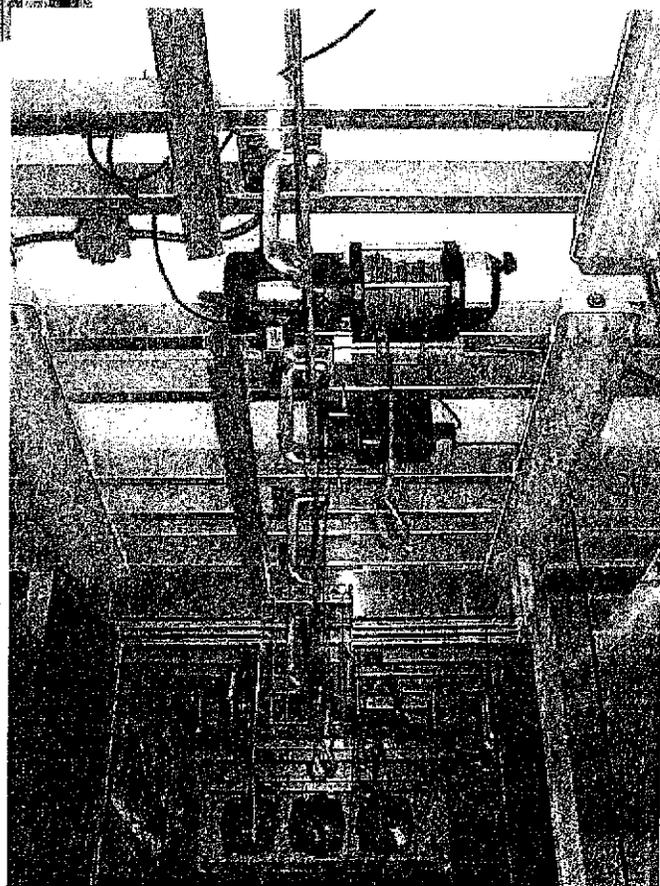


AS114-20-116



External view of winch system—ramps are laid down to guide carcass into plant

Internal view of winch system

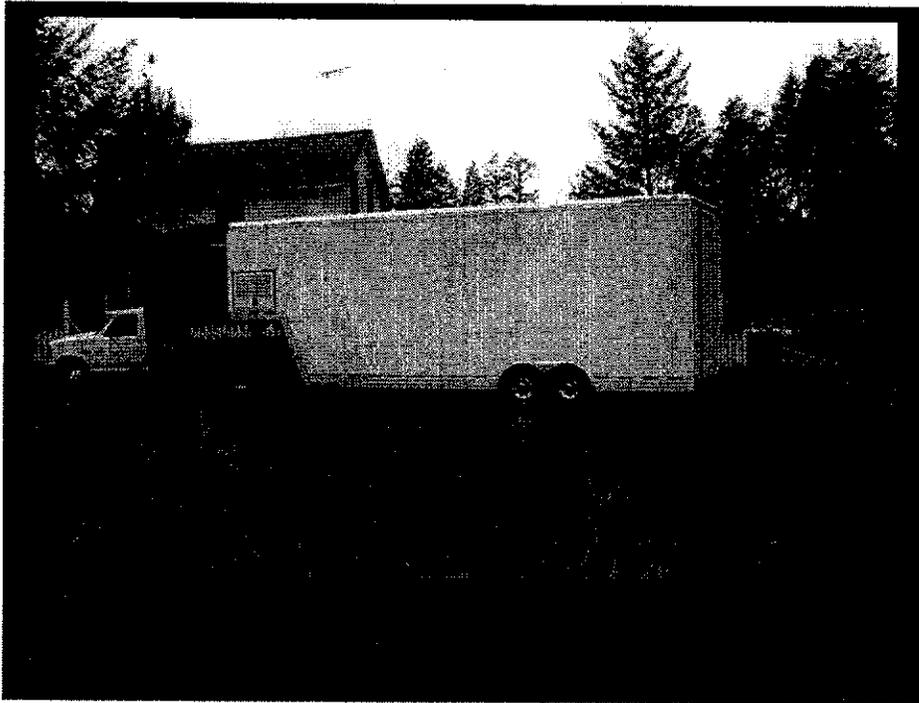


Mobile Slaughter Unit for Wyoming

Assessment of Need and Values

Project Report: July 1, 2004

Federal States Marketing Improvement Program Grant



Project Collaborators:

*Ted Craig, Wyoming Business
Council*

*Mary Randolph, Wyoming Rural
Development Council*

*John Etchepare, Wyoming
Department of Agriculture*

*Linda Stratton, Wyoming
Department of Agriculture*

Renée King, Sheridan College

Principal Investigators:

Dave Fisher, Sheridan College

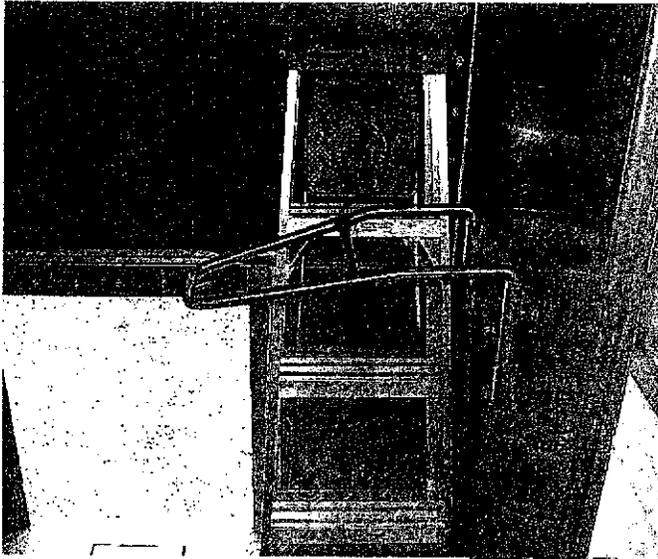
Jim Bennage, Sheridan College

Contracted Contributors:

*Bruce Dunlop, President of Lopez
Island Farm*

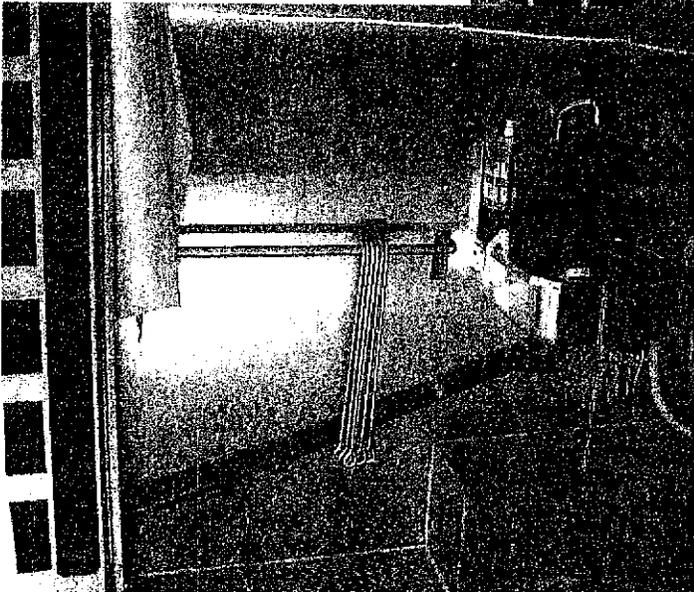
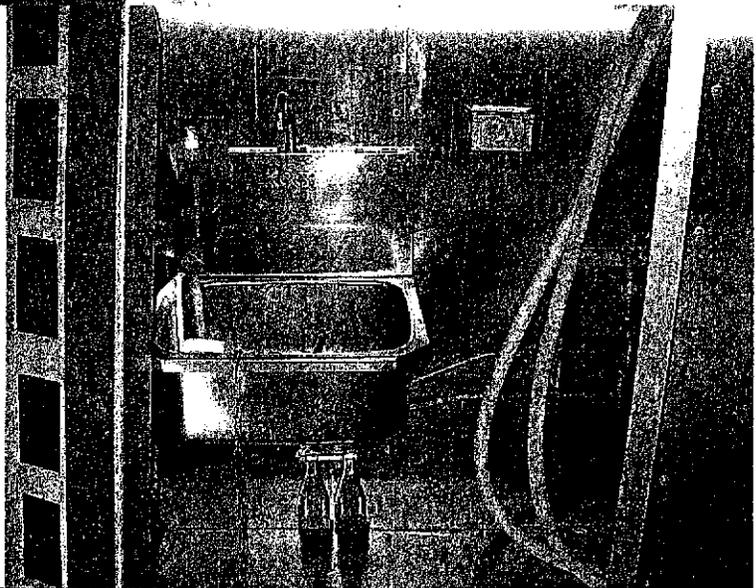
*Andy Rose, Mid-America
Manufacturing Technology Center*

Sharon Elwood, Sheridan College

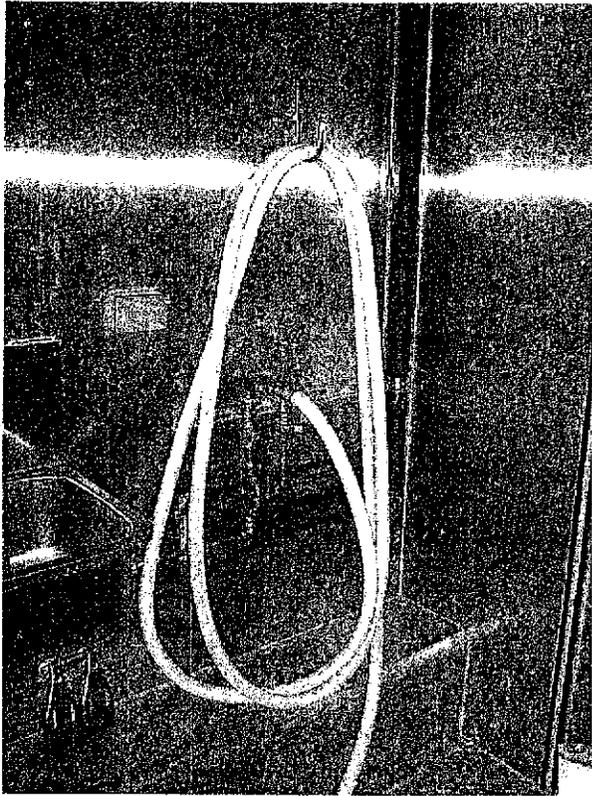


Head Rack for USDA
examination

Wash sink

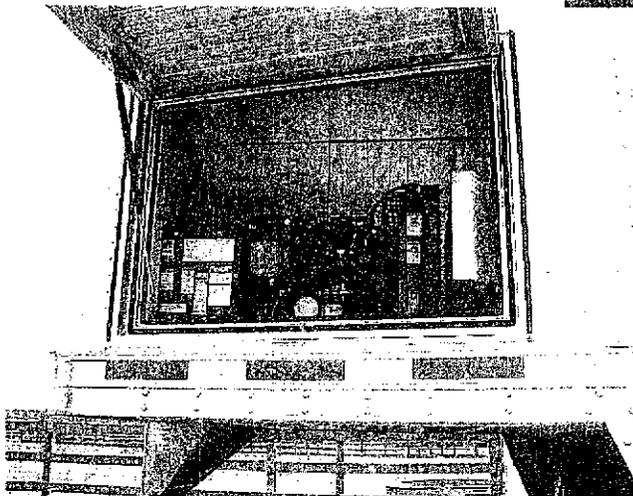
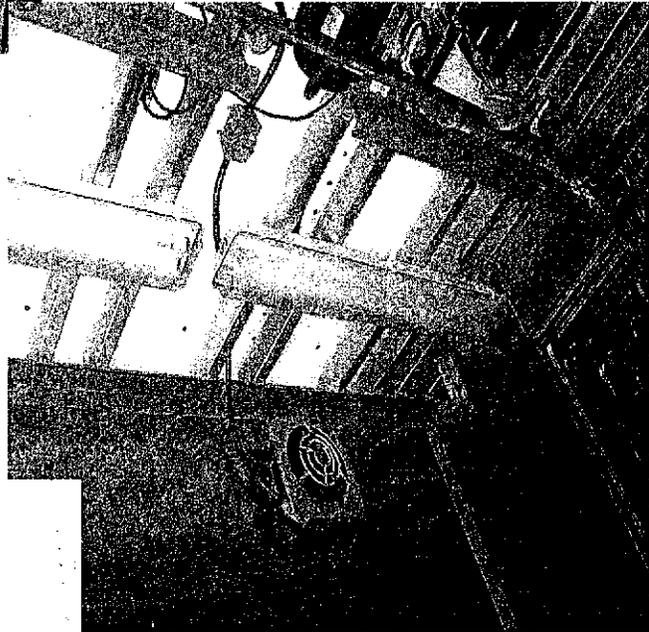


Hooks and Rack

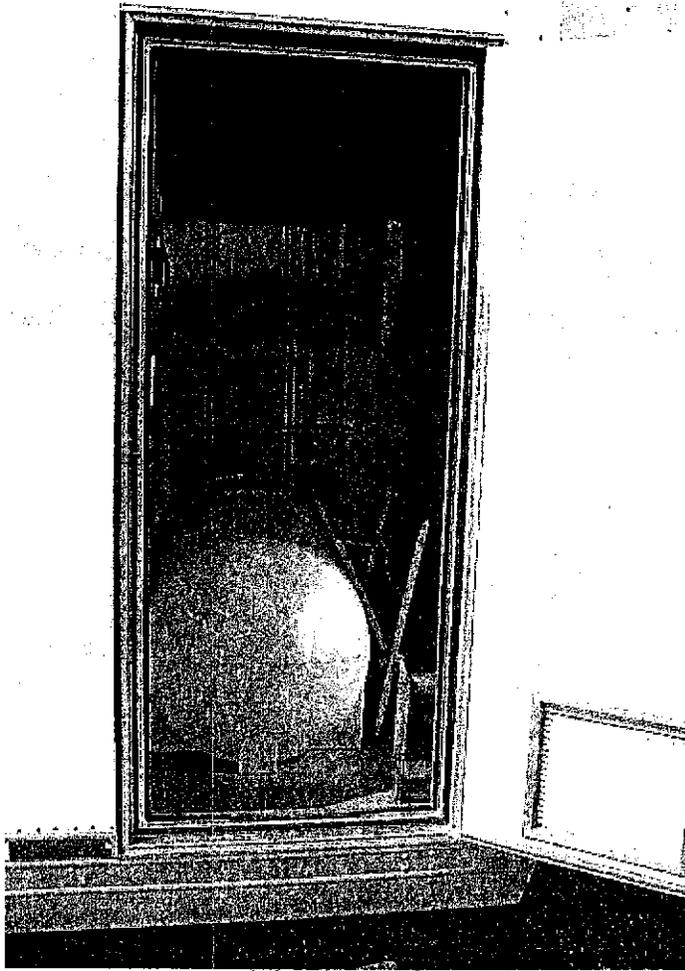


Wash down system— hot water tank in front of trailer

Ventilation system— prevent condensation and dripping of water on carcasses



Generator— powers cooler and other electric needs



Two water tanks- 500
gallon capacity

Have to use approved
water for USDA proc-
essing.

