

Camp in Lookout Valley
Tenn Dec 12th/63

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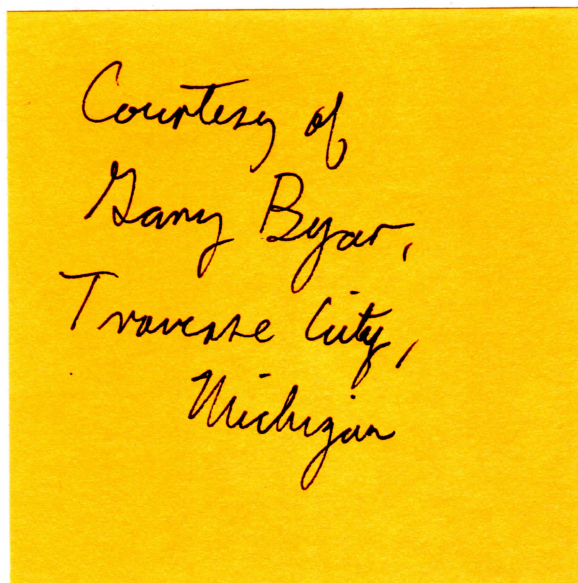
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Dec 13th

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I cooked Some of my berrys last night for supper they went good

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Courtesy of
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