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Hi Ma,

I've just taken a nice shower + am all clean + ready for bed. Just as I sat down a sudden hard shower hit + it sort of startled me. The week has been nice - warm in the daytime + a couple of frosty nights.

I should have written sooner but things were sort of up in the air over what I was going to do on the week of vacation that I'm taking next week.

I had today scheduled off + found a odd job with "Calaveras Timber Trails". They are a development company that has bought what was a Boy Scout camp. They are making many camp sites that they will now sell to the public as "private park". It's sort of a nice idea but a lot of money for a 40' x 100' campsite. Tomorrow I work for PT+T (time + a half). Sunday my vacation starts + I'm going to work (carpentry) for a guy that I've worked for before. Then Monday I go back to Timber Trails. (Mon thru Fri) I've really worked today, first loaded a pick up truck with some limbs + took them to the dump. Then filled it about 6 times with pine needles + took it to the dump, then dug about 15 or 20 feet of trench about a foot to 2 ft. deep + broke a plastic water pipe. That flooded the trench + stopped the digging for a while. ate lunch. Then cut about a

dozen 6" thick slabs of a log to make footings
footings to rest a trailer jacks on, loaded them
a a pile up ~~it~~ + put them under the trailer.
then swept a large building for about 2
hours. I imagine I'm going to be sore tomorrow

Tomorrow (for P.T. & T) I'm going to pick up
my green truck + drive it to Sonora + wash there
all day.

all the kids + Paty are at the football game
& homecoming done at the Ki school. The rain
seems to have stopped, hope they didn't get too wet.

Good night tell my sis to
write

Love

Lee