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Don and Evelyn: HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!

I meant to send this off to you ages ago, but last year got away from me. It is the later written companion of my paper for the Lithic Technology session.

As you have probably heard through the grapewine by now, I finished my thesis last summer and am now teaching at VAssar. We moved out of NYC to Cold Spring New York, which is approximately \$\frac{1}{2}\$ way between Lamont, where Tracy works, and Poughkeepsie. We are renting a lovely little house back in the woods by a lake and are very pleased with it. To go with it we acquired two kittens at the beginning of the summer who are now almost grown cats and are spoiled rotten—not really.

Tracy is just about finished with his thesis and will bee going off in about two weeks for a two month field trip to Baja, California. I am not lokking forward to staying home and shovelling snow, but I know the time will go very rapidly.

I am working on a small collection from Chile which is a total collection from a single quarry for a paper for the May meetings in Washington. I collected the site very carefully by 50cm squares with retouched precisely and am now fitting fragments together to see what the pattern of use of the quarry was. It is going quite well and I think I will get some interesting results.

I hope you are both well and not working too hard. Tracy sends his best.

Love,