

Letters to Editor

Point Hope, Alaska

99766

March 23, 1966

Mr. Howard Rock, Editor
Tundra Times
P.O. Box 1287
Fairbanks, Alaska

Dear Howard Rock:

I read the Tundra Times every time they come by mail. I read the stories when you and your brother, I think, when you were just 10-12 years old. I enjoyed the stories so much I always read them over and over. I'm glad you published it in the Tundra Times.

Many people are getting the flu. Almost every year on March, people get the flu.

Most of the people are skinning their boats now. Amos Lane, Patrick Attungana, and my dad Nicholas Hank. (Editor's Note: Whalers put on new oogruck skins on their umiaks for the April-May whaling season.)

Remember when you stopped by my house, oh, about couple of years ago in the summer time, I was very happy to meet you. I told Mom about that and she said, "You should have let him in."

Then she scolded me I guess. I answer her back, "I was too scared to let him in." I said that. Maybe I was too excited.

Please tell your friends hello from me, OK?

Well, I guess I'd better sign off for now.

God bless you all in that building where you are working.

A friend,

Harry Hank

P.S. I hope you come this summer again. I'd be happy to see you again.

Morris Trading Post

Noorvik, Alaska 99763

March 22, 1966

Tundra Times
Box 1287
Fairbanks, Alaska
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Dear Sir:

Today when our postmaster come to our house, I let him read my Tundra Times paper. While he was reading, I told him that I don't know why the Tundra Times haven't send me papers to sell they supposed to send me 20 papers at a time.

As soon as I said that he told me that he been giving the bundle to Noorvik Native Store. He said this is second time. So he went down there and check, came back with 20 papers address to Noorvik Trading Post.

So this is the only bundle I received papers dated March 18, 1966, if these papers for me address to MORRIS TRADING POST instead of Noorvik Trading Post.

As soon as I get these papers, my daughter sold them out in know time.

Sincerely yours,

Walter U. Morris