

News from Gambell

This month, September of 1985, is so pleasant out doors like always, with chilly breezes getting colder and colder every time the wind is from the northern direction.

People, like always going out to their camps now and then. Hondas are very useful here. Everybody go with them and use them even in town. Some men are out on their hunting trips with those Hondas a lot.

There was a very dangerous fire in Gambell on Aug. 30, 1985, eight of oil tanks caught on fire! Boy, the fire was seen from the camps far and near. Good thing many people have walkie-talkies, those are very useful around here, too. So this fire was told to many people around. Many people were taken to the

mountain for safety.

Another thing we always do around here is digging in the old villages around here. People still find many ivory things of our people of past. Some sure find things with interesting fancy work on them.

There are many old villages on this island Sivuqaq. And what many Native names there are of the places all around.

—Grace Siwooko
