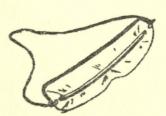


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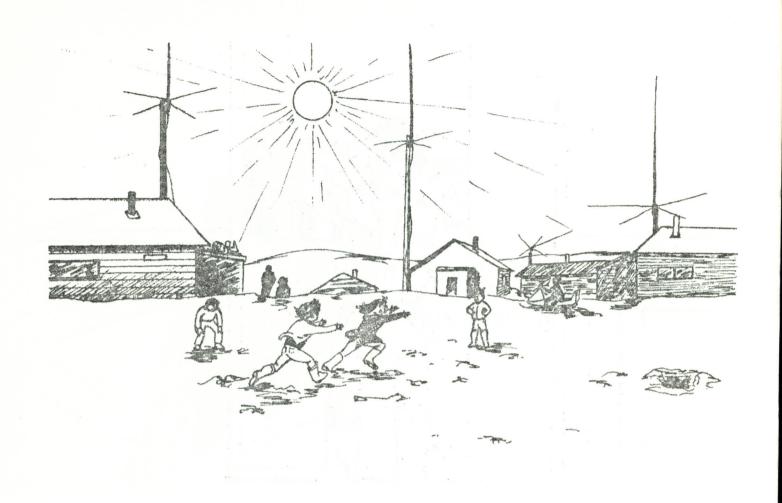
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Erenret-am tua-i ataam nunaniriut. Cam ima nalliini ella assirilalria nunaniriluni-llu?

Ii-i, up'nerkaraqan.

Up'nerkami nenglairutaqan yuut pek'ngelartut mikelnguut-llu ellami aquingluteng.



Caqerluni-am ernekegtaaraat iliitni Cupell'aq aquimauq ellami allanek mikelngurnek ilaluni. Atakutarnarian utertuq taqsuqluni. Tuani atakumi iigminek arenqiayugtuq. Iik qatlirr-luarlutek maqerrluarturlutek-llu.



Unuaquani maaten uicaaquq akekatak pakemkuk iik. Qatliqapiarlutek uisnga-yunaunatek-llu. Uisngangnaqsaaquq tau-gaam maqsuglutek cakneq.

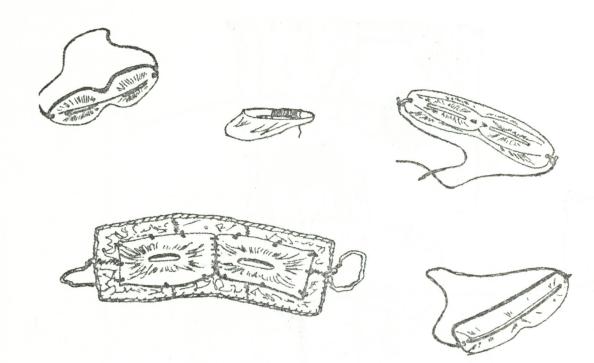
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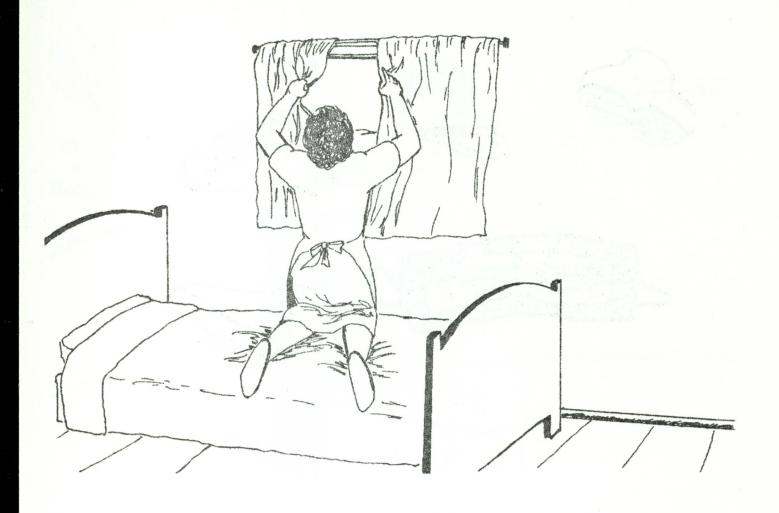
Tua-i makluni aanani pia,
"Aan, iigka qaill' piak? Akngirnarquk
cakneq!"

Aaniin kiugaa, "Akleng Cupell', iingilliniuten."

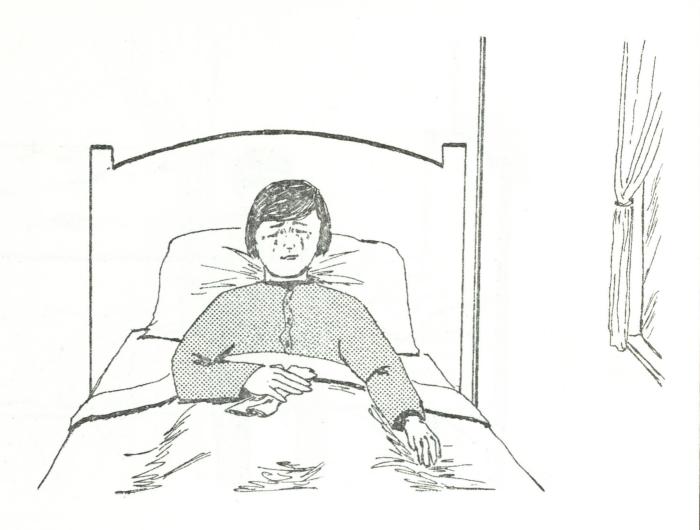
Aaniin nalqigutaa caucianek iinginrem. Qanrutaa akervagyaurtaqan up'nerkami yuut ilait ellamecimaaqata tungulrianek ackiirunaki iingilarniluki. Qanikcaq akertem tanqian tut'aqatgu qitngirnaqpialarniluku. Cali amirlirrlungraan yuk iingiryugngauq.



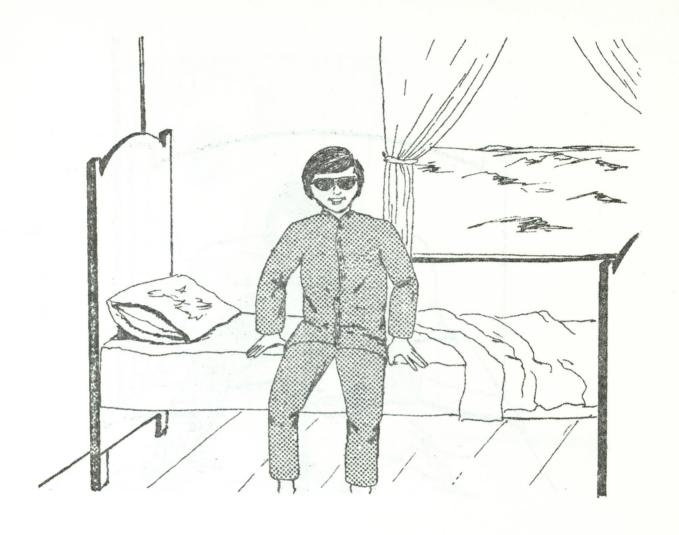
Ak'a tamaani imkut yullret ackiililallruut muragnek tulunek-llu. Wani-wa tarenrait ayuqenrilnguut ak'allaat ackiit. Apa'urluun wall'u maurluun apeskiu atulallrucianek tamakucignek.



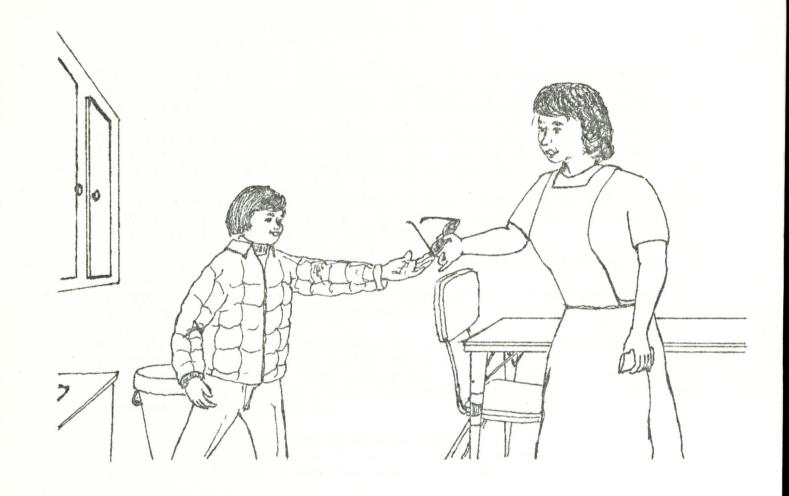
Tua-i Cupell'aq tanqigmetesciigalan aaniin egalret patumaurarai. Ernerpak Cupell'aq enemetellruuq. Iinruyuilata-Ilu iingilriit, camek iinrumek pivkenaku.



Ernerni pingayuni Cupell'am iik assiitellruuk, qatliurlutek, kavirpaglutek, maq'urlutek-llu Cetamiitni-llu erenret assiri-kanirpaglutek uicunarilutek-llu.



Qaillun cali piyarcit iingiquvet tanqigmun iigken akngircetenriceteng-naqkuvkek? Enecuarmi uitakuvet ilavet avirakciqsugnarqaat egalret patumallrat. Ackiirtuumauryugngauten tungulriignek wall'u ackiirilkuvet iigken patulukek patukamek wall'u camek piciatun iqailngurmek.



Cali-llu-gguq iingillrem assiirusngaitak iigken. Iinging'erpet takviarusngaituten wall'u quartengluten.

Yuut piciatun iingiryugngaut, taqneret mikelnguut-llu. Taumek uumiku qitngirnami ellamecimaqata-quvet nalluyagucaqunakek tungulriik ackiigken.



Iingineq Snewblindness

- 1. Once again the days have become beautiful. When do days become nice and beautiful? Yes, in the springtime. In the spring, when it gets warm, people start to roam around outside and children begin to play outside more.
- 2. One beautiful day Cupell'aq played outside a long time with other children. At suppertime he went home exhausted. That evening his eyes gave him discomfort. His eyes were burning slightly and running.
- 3. The next morning he awakened with aching eyes. They were burning and he had difficulty keeping them open. He tried to open his eyes but they were runny (sticky). The light was very bothersome also.
- 4. So he got up and said to his mother, "Mother, what's wrong with my eyes? They're hurting very much!"
 His mother answered, "Poor Cupell'! You're suffering from showblindness."
 Cupell'aq asked, "What's snowblindness?"

His mother explained what snowblindness is. She told him that when it starts to shine a lot in the springtime, some people get snowblindness when they stay outside a long time without dark glasses. When the sun's rays hit the snow, they produce a very bright reflection. A person can get snowblindness even on a cloudy day.

- 5. In the old days, people used to make snow goggles out of wood and ivory. Here are some pictures of various old time snow goggles. Ask your grandfather or grandmother if they ever used to use that kind.
- 6. His mother kept the windows covered because Cupell'aq couldn't stay in a bright room. Cupell'aq stayed indoors all day. Because medicine is not usually given for snowblindness, she did not give him any.
- 7. For three days Cupell'aq's eyes were uncomfortable, burning, red and runny.
 On the fourth day they improved and he was able to keep them open.
- 8. What else can one do to prevent the light from hurting one's eyes? If you live in a small house, your family could be annoyed by the drawn curtains. You can keep dark glasses on or cover your eyes with gauze or anything that's clean.
- 9. Snowblindness will not harm your eyes in the long run. Even if you have snowblindness, it will not result in poor vision or give you diseases of the eye (cataracts, etc.).

Anybody can become snowblind, adults or children. Therefore, the next time you go to spend a long time outside on a bright day, don't forget your sunglasses.

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