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ARCTIC VILLAGE ECHOES

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THEY WERE MEETING AT ARMORY.
I LIKE A MONY IT IS BIG.
MY FATHER SHOT 5 C RIBOU.
I PLAY BY MY HOUSE.
MY HOUSE IS BIG.
THERE IS NO C RIBOU ON TV TONIGHT TODAY.
TODAY IS MONDAY.
WE HAVE SCHOOL ON MONDAY.
I DRIVE SNOW-GO AROUND VILLAGE.
SILAS JOHN MOVE TO PETER TRITT HOUSE.
I LIKE TO MAKE SCHOOL.
THEY DRIVE SNOW-GO AROUND AIRPORT.
YESTERDAY THEY HAD CHURCH.
YESTERDAY THEY HAD PARTY AT PAUL WILLIAMS.
WEATHER IS GOOD TODAY.
MY TEACHER IS TALL.
OUR SCHOOL IS NOT FINISH.
WE WRITE NEWS PAPERS.
AIRPLANE CAME TODAY.
ONE SNOW-GO WENT TO AIRPORT.
I SEE THE SNOW-GO!

BY: Bobby Tritt

YESTERDAY THEY HAD CHURCH.
SILAS JOHN MOVE TO SARAH TRITT HOUSE.
IT IS COLD OUT DOOR.
YESTERDAY THEY HAD PARTY AT PAUL WILLIAMS.
PARTY ONLY FOR OLDER PEOPLE.
MOM AND FRANK FAMILY WENT BACK TO VENEZIA.
AIRPLANE MIGHT COME TODAY.

BY: Decna Rose Tritt

I DON'T WANT TO SAY.
LAST NIGHT MY FATHER KILL TWO C RIBOU.
I LIKE TO EAT C RIBOU MEAT.
IT IS GOOD.
YESTERDAY PAUL WILL SOME TOO.
HE KILL ONE.
MAYBE EVERYBODY GOT ONE.
MAYBE THEY LIKE IT.
I WANT TO BE HOT UP.
THERE ARE COLD NIGHTS LATELY.
I LIKE SUMMER.
I DON'T LIKE COLD WEATHER.
THERE BE MOVIE ONE FRIDAY.
TOO COLD I DON'T LIKE TO BE SICK.
MAYBE WE SEE THE MOVIE HARRY HARRIS
AGAIN.
I LIKE IT.
FRANKLIN MIGHT SHOW THE MOVIE AGAIN.

BY: Bobby Gilbert

WE HAVE CLASS IN ARMORY.
SILAS JOHN MOVE IN SARAH HOUSE.
PAUL'S BIRTHDAY WAS YESTERDAY.
WE WRITE NEWS.
THEY ARE BUILDING NEW CLASSROOM.
THEY HAD CHURCH YESTERDAY NIGHT.
TODAY IS MONDAY MORNING BACK TO SCHOOL
TIME.
NEXT WEEK I WILL GO FOR TRIP.
MIRYLN AND NAUCY WILL GO TO VENEZIA.
AMOS AND LARRY WILL STAY HERE.

BY: Bertha Tritt

MR. EDMAN CAME.
HE IS GOING TO HAVE MEETING.
THEY USE ARMORY FOR MEETING.
WE WILL MOVE TO NEW SCHOOL.
SILAS MOVE TO SARAH TRITT HOUSE.
I DON'T LIKE TO GO SCHOOL AT ARMORY.
I LIKE NEW SCHOOL.
WE HAVE TWO NEW CLASSROOMS.
ONE FOR LOW GRADE.
ONE FOR HIGHER GRADES.
I WANT TO MAKE SCHOOL WITH BIG KIDS.
I WANT TO MAKE SCHOOL HIGHER GRADES.
I WANT TO DRIVE SNOW-GO. IT IS FUN.
I LIKE TO DRIVE SNOW-GO AROUND TOWN.
WE PLAY IN SNOW. WE THROW SNOWBALLS.
I WANT TO PLAY WITH SNOW.

IT IS FUN TO PLAY WITH SNOW.
WE RUN IN THE SNOW.
MAYBE THEY WILL HAVE MOVIE TONITE.
I DON'T LIKE TO GO TO SCHOOL.
IT IS COLD WITH SILAS IN SARAH TRITT
HOUSE.
HE HAVE NO WOOD. HE HAVE NO SNOW-GO.
HE WILL USE SOMEONES SNOW-GO. AND
HE WILL GO GET WOOD.
MAYBE AIRPLANE WILL COME TODAY.
MAYBE I WILL GO TO AIRPORT WITH MY
MOTHER. SHE MIGHT GO TO AIRPORT.

BY: Madred Peter

I liked the movie last Friday. Every kids in class liked the movie and some older people. Mr. Kee and Mrs. Kee never go to movie. I don't know what else to say

Myra Peter

MY FRIENDS

I have some friends, their names are Albert and Anos, and Cathy, Marlene, Mary, Jessie, Denice, Marion. They are my best friends in all of Arctic Village. I like to play with them too. I have lots of fun with them at night before 9:00 P.M. Boy! we have lots of fun.

Hena Tritt

TRAVELERS

Today Monday. So I'll try to write as much news as can. On Saturday The 16th my father and John, went up the mount in hunting, but they didn't get anything. So my father and Paul went up hunting again Sunday. They just got one caribou. So they cut it in half.

Last Wednesday the Doctor and Nurse came, and they stayed here till Sunday. They were ^{suppose} to stay here until Sunday, but the weather wasn't good. It was foggy. Lot of kids will get glasses. I sent for mine already.

On Wednesday the 16th there were lots of passengers. Robert Frank, Abraham Christian, Jim Christian, and Jimmy Roberts came for a meeting from Venetie to Arctic Village. So they sure did have lots of meetings. I don't like them to have meetings, because I always have to baby-sit for someone else.

Robert Frank and Jim Christian went back Sunday with the charter plane. Jimmy Robert and Abraham Christian will go back Wednesday.

New school is still being built. Maybe next week it will be ready for a class

Last Friday, the 15th, they showed a two movie, the second one sure made everyone laugh. It was a funny movie. It was about the Three Stooges. I hope my sister Mildred comes back today. She went to this August. I wish she come back soon. My other sister suppose to be back for a short visit. I sure miss them sometime.

This is all until next week

Bernice Tritt

MOVIES

On Friday we saw a movie. The movie's was Three Stooges. I liked that movie because I like to laugh, It was a funny movies. I liked the movie called "Hermit Hermits". I want to see it again. I like the movies except the scary ones. Everytime we see ~~scary~~ scary movie, kids always run out, they scare me too so I run out too.

Marcie Peter

VILLAGE NEWS

Last week the Doctor came here to check all the people. And on Thursday Night, we had an eye test. Cathy, Bernice, Mary, Marlene, and Marcie will have to wear eye glasses. Marion, Hena and I will not have to wear glasses. See some of the other school kids will not need glasses.

The next day he didn't go back. He went back on Sunday. I wonder why he stayed here for two days.

Jessie Tritt

NEW SCHOOL

Maybe our school kids and little kids will move to the new school next week. We saw a movie about three Stooges. It was funny. I wish we could see it again. We saw a movie about cowboys too. It is too cold. I wish it was hot. The doctor came on Oct. 6, 1971. He checked some of our class. We saw a movie about Herman Hermit, it was good. We saw it just one time.

Faith Tritt

HUNTING

Lots of men are hunting up on the mountain. There are caribou up on the mountain. My father got wood yesturday. When he was cutting wood he saw four caribou. Then he shot two caribou. Some people are fishing down the river. I like to go fishing. Some like to fish. Halloween is coming. I am glad Halloween is coming. The airplane will come now, maybe.

NEWS

It is getting colder and colder. I don't like it when the weather is no good. They saw caribou up on the mountain. I drive snow-go. I like to drive snow-go, it is fun. Thirteen more days and it will be Halloween. I am happy. I hope it comes sooner. Halloween is on Oct 31, 1971.

Joel Tritt

HUNTING

Benjamin and I went to the mountain with our doys. We went by Trimble 's. He asked him; How many caribou did you shoot? He said I shot two caribou on the mountain; one little caribou is on the mountain. He said we were going to the mountain. We are going to shoot the little caribou. And Benjamin shot the little caribou. Ha ha ha ha!

AbrahamJJ John

MEETINGS IN COURT

Two people came from Venetie and two people from I don't know where. All the poeple talked about land claims. These people from the state are trying to get our good and peaceful land. I don't want to let the our peaceful land go. I don't want the none native to take our land.

The two white men who were making our school will be leaving soon. Christian is going to make the shelves and put door on the schoolhouse. I think so.

It was last Friday there was a movie about Three stooges. Ones named Moe and Larry and Curly Joe. These men are called three Stooges. They sure are funny.

Mary Tritt

STORY

Aaron, Joel and I are going to get wood today. Then we will sell it to someone in the village and we will have money and we will save it for Christmas. On Christmas we will order anything we want. We will get wood with snow-go or dogs. Maybe they will finish the new school by next week. I hope.

Joseph Tritt

WEATHER

Today is cold. I wish it was hot. I wish the sun was up! I don't like to be cold. Today is Oct. 17, 1971. The airplane will come today. The movie will come too. The big kids will go to the new school. The little kids will go to the new school too. The doctor went in the airplane yesterday. He stayed here for a week. Halloween is coming soon. I am happy Halloween is coming. Halloween is on Oct. 31, 1971.

Aaron Tritt

ME AND MY FRIENDS

My father came back from Fairbanks. He will go back and work again and come back in December. He might go back this coming March and all of us might go to Fairbanks and stay there for awhile.

Our Snow-Jet is good too. I am happy it is good.

Last night Marlene, Cathy, Mary, Nena, and I played all around the village it was fun. We play hide and go-seek.

and Halloween is coming I am glad it is coming. Yah- hoo Mountain dew.

They are grading the airport because there is too much snow, that's why. I don't know what to say everybody. Next week I'll make it longer. If it is Halloween I will not wear a mask because it is too hot in the mask.

Marion Peter

MOVIE

We saw a movie last Friday. It was called Mrs. Brown You've Got a Lovely Daughter. Gee, that movie was very good. I wish I could see that movie again. It's good and it was in color too. Almost all of the big kids and little kids or the people in Arctic Village like that movie. I wish today was Friday because I like to see movies, but on thing, I don't have any money to go to the movie with. Next time I'll have one dollar to go to the movie with. If you read this newspaper don't say anything. so good-by everybody.

Marlene Tritt

FRIENDS

My friends are doing hard works, but they get lots of trouble together and I try to stop them. But I can't stop them, but sometime I am in trouble too. Bernice is the nicest girl in ~~the~~ school. She has no trouble with her friends. But two of my friends have a little trouble together right now but, I will not tell you who they are. Now I am doing fine because, I have no trouble with my friends. I hope its like that forever, until I die. The end of my tattle-tail news.

People don't laugh too much. Keep it until Halloween dress up. Ride-on!

Cathy Peter

MOVIE

We saw a movie last Friday. The movie was Mrs. Brown Had a Lovely Daughter

DR. IDMAN MAKE MEETING, AT ARMORY
 I LIKE TO WRITE NEWS.
 WE ALWAYS WRITE NEWS IN CLASS.
 WE WILL MOVE TO OUR NEW SCHOOL.
 I LIKE TO GO TO SCHOOL AT ARMORY.
 IT WILL BE FUN TO MAKE SCHOOL AT NEW SCHOOL.
 WE WILL HAVE LOTS OF BOOKS.
 WHEN WE MOVE TO NEW CLASSROOM.
 MAYBE AIRPLANE WILL COME.
 I DIDN'T GO TO CHURCH YESTERDAY.
 I THOUGHT WE WILL GO SCHOOL COMMUNITY HOUSE.
 I LIKE TO MAKE SCHOOL AT COMMUNITY HALL.
 THEY ALMOST FINISH NEW SCHOOL.
 THE SUN WILL COME OUT PRIMPY SOON.
 IT IS COLD OUTDOOR.
 I LIKE TO PLAY WITH SNOW.
 IT IS FUN TO PLAY WITH SNOW.
 MY FATHER CAME BACK.
 HE WORK AT FAIRBANKS
 I LIKE TO DRIVE. IT IS FUN.

BY: JoAnn Peter

Children will not
 come to school in
 the afternoon
 Oct. 28 and Oct 29.
 Parents are to
 come at the
 times listed below

Parent Teacher Conference Schedule

Thurs. Oct. 28, 1971

Mr. Kees

Trimble Gilberts	1:00 P.M.
Noah Peters	1:30 P.M.
Christian Truths	2:00 P.M.
Helen Truth	2:30 P.M.
Josie Peter	3:00 P.M.
Nena Russell	3:30 P.M.
Abel Truth	4:00 P.M.

Fri. Oct. 29, 1971

Mr. Kees

Allen Truths	1:00 P.M.
Isaac Truths	1:30 P.M.

Mrs. Nickelson

Peter Truths -	1:00 P.M.
Lena Albert -	1:30 P.M.
Florence Newman	2:00 P.M.
Paul Williams	2:30 P.M.
Helen Truth	3:00 P.M.
Josie Peter	3:30 P.M.
Nena Russell	4:00 P.M.

Mrs. Nickelson

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Vetern Days Nov. 11,
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School Board Meeting Oct 4, 1971

attended Nena Russell Mrs. Nickelson, Allen

A letter has been received from the State Operated School informing us of the preschool program called children cache has been funded. And our village is one of the village that will have the program. And Mr. Baxter program director will be here and discuss this matter further with us. A Child Development Aide can be hired and train to work with children and parents. But until Mr. Baxter gets here there's not much to be done.

Mrs. Nickelson Report:

Trimble got his contract. Mr. Widman approved the dates we've chosen for holidays. Parent teacher conference the 28th and 29th of Oct. School should be out by 22nd.

Peter Stern and Peter Tritt and Ray put in the floor covering in armory before we started school.

Newspaper typist Sarah James agrees to type the papers for us.

New Business:

Mr. Kees would like to get these certain magazine for older children. For years the state has been paying for all the extra library material but with state budget cut they are not paying for these material. So Mr. Kees would like to have the parents pay for this amount of 70¢ for each child. Smoking problems. It getting to the point that the kids can come right up to school with lit cigarette and there are too many things over there and around the school as well as gas and possible fire and furthermore school kids are not allowed to smoke on school property until they are age of 18/ So I thought of taking the visiting privilege with the teacher and Mr. Kees or something about it. Also kids stated a habit of writing on desk and books. We teachers told them over and over but either the board or parent should make them realize how much damage they are doing. Also the board will ask Mr. Widman if there are charge to be made to the parent for damaging school property such as books. By the kids damaging the school books that they have to be replaced this unable us to get extra material for a library that are needed for fun, with the limited budget the State allow us.

Halloween: Will ask Dog Race Committee to raise money for the prizes and handle the affair. Store will order masks and candies.

Christmas Program: After a long discussion Mr. Kees say he will work a program with his kids beside the church program. Between Mr. Kees and Mrs. Nickelson they'll work out something.

Peter S. present a letter about possibly ski training for the kids and the affair will be brought before the council.

Submitted Nena S. Russell
Secretary
School Board

There was halloween at Armory. I don't like to be mask. It is fun but I don't mask. Thanksgiving is coming. It is fun to be mask. Jr Tritt win prize. Lilly is surprised. They are funny. I like to see him. Everybody is laugh. I like to see funny mask. Little kids scare of funny mask. We will eat now, little kids and big kids will eat too. We write newspaper at wchool. I like to write newspaper. They dance at the armory. They like to dance, Lilly and Naami will cook at school. I like to make school at new school. Halloween is fun. It is cold outdoor. I like to play and work. The sun is not come out. It is cold that why he not come out. The end.

Joann Peter

Nov 25 will be Thanksgiving. I happt for Thanksgiving. Yesterday we masks at armory. We dress up at are house. I like to dress up Saturday. Saturday is Halloween. We dress up fun. I want to eat. Thursday will be Thanksgiving.

Bobby Tritt

I don't want to be mask. Who is winner. Those are winner. I no who winner. Joyce John is winner. She is funny. Steve is the I Tritt. He got big doll on her back. He is funny to. Everyone laugh. Joy got five dollar. She is the winner. Jr got five dollar. He is the winner. Jr is First prize. He had five dollars. Joy is second prize. Joy had five dollars too. Nena give joy and Jr five dollars. I want to eat in school. We are going to eat milk and cupcake. Halloween is fun. I want ot be mask. It is fun. We are going to eat cupcake in school. It is good to eat. Maybe someone. I like to eat something. I don't no who. Who is going to cook. I want to eat pie. It is good. School kids is going to eat. I laugh to. It is fun to laugh. They laugh and laugh. Kids leugh to. Those maske make us laugh. Halloween is fun. They laugh. I don't know what to say. Good by

Mildred Peter

Thanksgiving is coming I like Thanksgiving. Outdoor is cold. Maybe everybody don't like to be cold. Bobby Jone is happy for Thanksgiving. Yesterday they wear masks. They were funny. Everybody laugh. They were dance. I like to be masks. Maybe they like to dance, Maybe they like to be masks. The weather is no good. The weather is cold. I don't like winter. Yesterday everybody make fun. I made fun too. I like to made fun. I like to play. 25 will be Thanksgiving.

Bobby Gilbert

Yesterday there was Halloween. It was fun. They dance and trick or treat round the village. Martha and Bobby G they won the prize yesterday. Today Naomi and Lilly will cook in school and they just came in right now.

Bertha Tritt

Yesterday they make mask. Amos make her funny mask he-he-he-he- and Franklin masks too. We scare of them. They will make cook at school. We eat cupcake and milk at Halloween. It is fun. We maske at armory. Joy is second prize. She got dollar. I want to make school. I like to make school. I like to learn school. I like to write newspaper.

Deena Tritt

Thanksgiving is coming now. I am glad it is coming. Sorry I did not write last week. I think I try to make lots of news today. On Thanksgiving everyone will eat lots have stomach ache. I will laughed. I wish jughead is here so he could eat all he want. Right eat all the thanksgiving food too. Jessie and me go school today. I am glad about Halloween. Halloween is over yesterday and they danced they went out at 1:00 clock sharp. I think I better talk about weather is good today just little but is foggy to it not too much but I think airplane will come today. Maybe my COD will come today. If it come I will be glad. So everyone good bye and good luck. Oh! I forgoy something. My Friends are fine at school. Thanksgiving is on November 25. Benjamin Jessie Mildred and Kaany have a birthday cake on Oct 29 that was there birthday. They have movie to I don't know what the name of it I did not go move so I don't know about the movie if they show it I be glad everyone I did not go school for 3 or 4 days soooo I have lots of news. I work at home we got wood to and I work for Florence to I wish it was Thanksgiving today today they cook at school. Naomi and Lilly cook here at school that's all okay?

Marion Peter

More Turkey Talk

Thanksgiving is coming. I am glad Thanksgiving is on November 25. But I won't eat to much. I don't want to be fat. I want be the... I wish there is dance again in Armory in Thanksgiving. And my birthday is on this month Nov 6, 1971 then I will be 12 years old. Mrs Nickelson birthday is this month too. My brother birthday on November 9, 1971 his Albert Tritt and Thanksgiving there are pilgrim in England

Nena Tritt

Once there was a king. He had a beautiful daughter. His hair was brown. One day a handsome young man came by the beautiful daughter looked out the door. The man in love with her. He want to merry he. The beautiful daughter call his mother and father. She said I want to merry the man. His mother said you will not merry the man. His father said the man is a poor poor man. But his friends give a clothes to him. Oh! said the daughter. Hid mother and father said yes!!! You will merry the man tomorrow. The beautiful daughter name is Felicia. She was happy too. That night Felicia wake up a witch and a man tied her up and the man hate Felicia. When was boig boat. The witch and the man hate Felicia. Away they went. Felicia wake up. Someone laugh at her. Felicia look up and saw the handsome man, father and mother and the witch and the little man the beautiful daughter was happy to merry the handsome man.

By Mercie Peter

School

It sure is good to be back in our own school again, instead of the Community Hall and Armory. Everyone is glad about it. Today we are going to eat lunch here in school And Lilly and Naomi Tritt are cooks for this week. And I don't know who next week. And Right now it really looks like school. There are sixteen students in our class. There are 23 students in Mrs. Nickelson's. There are 2 8th grade 5 7th grade 6 fifth grade and 2 fourth grade in our class. It is cold outdoors this morning. And I hope the airplane comes today. The weather is not pretty good but the mountains are a little bit showed up. All the news I got C U around.

Bernice Tritt

Halloween

Last Sunday was Halloween day but we celebrated on Saturday cause if we do on Sunday we will late in school. Also we have dance on Saturday night. Bernice and me danced too. Oh! Also the masks too. In little kids Christian Tritt Jr won first prize; he won 5 dollars. Steven Tritt won the second prize, he won and Joyce John won third prize. And on big kids Joseph Tritt won the first prize, Trimble Gilbert won the second prize and Martha Tritt won the third prize
Jessie Tritt

Yesterday is Halloween. Some kids are mask on Halloween. I war mask too. I like to wear mask. On Saturday they had big dance at armory. I like Halloween. It is fun on Halloween. Thanksgiving is coming. I am glad. Thanksgiving is on November 25, 1971. I have nothing to say. Next week I will write logs. The End?
Trimble Gilbert Jr.

Thanksgiving is coming. I am happy because we can eat and eat and eat. We eat in Thanksgiving in a lot of food. I will eat and eat. I will not eat in morning of Thanksgiving. Thanksgiving is on Nov 25, 1971. Same time I don't like the weather when the airplane has to come. The End
Joel Tritt

Once Upon a Time there a boy named George. He got a snow-go. He always get wood with his snow-go. Ha Ha Ha!!! He thinks his snow-go
Righton Good by
Abraham Johr Jr.

On Saturday they danced. They have been masks. In little kids Christian, Steven and Joyce win. In big kids Trimble, Joseph and Martha win. They are masks in Armory. On Halloween we ate in Armory. We ate soup and meat fish and cake and cupcakes. Then they give us candy. Then the big young mans mask. Amos and Albert win. They they dance. Then we went out. That all they did.
Faith Tritt

Cow Grass?

There was a old old woman livein a old house. There house was crooked and she had a big cow and the cow say to the old woman I don't like the house because there are no grass and the old woman say there are lots of grass but the cow say it is no good for me and the old woman say alright say the old woman and the cow and the old woman say moo, moo, moo it is rain and the cow and the old woman cryed and they hold together and they cry and cry and by and by the rain was spot and the old woman move to a red house. Myra Peter

Weather

Its Monday today but the weather is no good. I wish I am weather sometimes so I could clear myself every mail day. Nena Cathy is mad and rumble beside me. Just because the weather is bad cause she wants has boyfreind letter. Mary was sitting their praying to god for the weather. But I am very very happy for the weather is bad. Right on Jill.
Cathy Peter

Today is Monday. Airplane maybe come. The weather is clearing up. Today is Nov 1. The airplane comes on Monday Wednesday and Friday. Then the weather is no good on Friday airplane comes on Saturday or Sunday The End
Joseph Tritt

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Letter to Editor and Staff of the Arctic Village Echoes

Dear editor and Staff of the Arctic Village Echoes,

I received my first copy of your paper yesterday and was really excited and happy to get news from "home." I have been very homesick especially for Arctic Village. I think of you all very often.

I have been very busy. I teach in a school that has 1000 students. I was really scary at first. I just went to my room and stayed there all day. It scared me to go out into the hall with all those kids.

I am living in the church mini-parish house-sort of like a Mission House. It has been very busy. The Boarding Home students meet on Sunday nights. The Junior High meets on Wednesday nights. I give guitar lessons Thursday nights. On Friday nights there is a prayer meeting. Saturday night is drop in night. More and more kids are starting to come. On Tuesdays I go to the Native Center to take a course in Athabaskan History and Culture. I am really enjoying it, except that is mostly about down-river Indians. I get lonesome for Kutchin. I talk it to my kids a little at school. They are learning a few things.

So you can see that it is a busy life. The only time off I have is Monday nights and usually there is some kind of a meeting then. I really have a hard time to find the time to wash clothes. But it is fun.

Sunday Bishop Gordon asked me to go to Beaver for church. It was so good to get out into a village. Guess I'm just not a city girl.

I want a subscription to your paper, but I don't know how much it costs this year. Please let me know.

If you get to town, or if your parents are coming in, come see me. I'm lonesome for you all.

Love,
Elaine

1013 First Ave.
Fairbanks, Alaska
November 2, 1971

Today is Monday so I'll write about today, or maybe last weekend.

Well, today there was a program on radio from Anchorage to all the Villages. Jessie and Cathy talked to Anchorage. And they sure had a good time. On Wednesday we will talk if we want, so maybe I'll talk too.

Last week on Thursday my father Christian Tritt accidentally cut his fingers. I don't know if it servous, but he and my mother went to Fairbanks on a charter plane to be taking care of. I hope they come back today. This weekend we

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didn't do as much work like we use too. I don't have very much news, so I'll conclude here until next week.

By: Bernice Tritt

Radio

We talked over radio. I like it. It is fun. Cathe and Jessie talked to Anchorage, Chalkytsik and Ventie. The letters of Arctic Village are KQ2XJR. We will ask questions to Anchorage. We talk about school. Maybe I will talk on radio next time.

In class we get to play with clay. I really enjoy it. We eat at 12:00 AM. I like it, food is good.

By: Joel Tritt

Boy! I got a most beautiful friend named Bernice Tritt. She is a kind and peaceful girl. Also she works hard at her house like cinderella. I hope she like to work at her house. Also we walk around with her sometimes. But not everytime. If she walks down the road. Cathy, Nena, Marion, and mary, or I joined her. I like to be her friend. If she has done her work at home, she usually come out and visit her friends. She beautiful....

By: Jessie Tritt

We talked on the radio. But I did't talk on the radio. Boys and girls talked on the radio. Girls from Venetie and Chalkytsik talked on the radio too.

There are nineteen student talk on the radio.

By: Aaron Tritt

Policeman came on Friday. he stayed at Lodge . The next day he went hunting with Aller and Paul.

By: Abraham J. John Jr.

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Yesterday Mary went in Airplane to Fairbanks. In morning I don't like to go to school because it's cold and I don't like cold weather. Yesterday Faith and I sold newspapers and we collected 1.30. Today weather is good. We drive our snowgo, its lots of fun. We serve lunch to the younger kids.

By; Myra Peter

All the girls and boys who have been involved in the gang fight, the trooper came up from Fort Yukon had talk with them. We play with clay in school. Jessie and Cathy talk to the students over the radio. We serve food to the younger kids' class. Allen is working at the school replace christain while hesaway. Over the radio they asked Mary a questions about our school. We work with everything in school. There are 16 students in our class. Some of them sell newspapers on Saturdays. No school on Thanksgiving Day, I can't wait.

By; Faith Tritt

The airplane might come today or not. I want the airplane to comes I will be happy. Police c me on Friday. He Talked to some kids who have been fighting. Police will go back to Fort Yukon after.

By; Trimble Gilbert

Every kid learns to talk over the radio. Today, on Nov. 8, Cathy and Jessie Talked to Anchorage. On Wednesday or Thursday other kids in villages will talk to Anchorage with the radio again. I'm going to listen very good cause every school kid will talk over the radio, but not the little kids. Its fun to ~~XXXXX~~ listen to the kids talking. If I talk over the radio I'll be shy to. In Chalkytsik school the kids talked to Anchorage and Venetie School kids. We listen to them while they talked. Arctic Village's call letters are KQ2XJR and Anchorage call letters is KB2XSN. We have to talk loud and clear cause Anchorage they will not hear us good. Thats why we talk loud and clear. If I talk To anchorage I will KB2XsN Anchorage and I will say this is Arctic Village KQ2X JR. Then I will talk to them and tell them what I'm doing around here.

By; Marlene Tritt

Jessie and Cathey talked over the radio on Monday. If some body wants to talk on the radio they call and in Anchorage again. and they talk to us and we talk to them. And Venetie Talked to Anchorage. We heard them talk over the radio. I got lot of friends in Venetie and Fort Yukon, and Chalkytsik.

Chritain Tritt went to Fairbanks today. Today Joseph and Gregory will serve the little kids. There are 23 little kids, 15 older students.

By; Marion Peter

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On Friday we didn't do art but played with clay. In the little kids room they have 23 student and in our room we have 15 student.
The weather ~~is~~ haven't been good for a long time. I wish the plane come in soon.

By: Joseph Tritt

By: Bobby Jones Tritt

Policeman will get mary.
Policeman is from Fort Yukon.
We have fun in school.
We have new school.
Today is Monday.
We write newspaper on Monday.
I like to make school.
Police came on Friday.
I like to play.

By: Bobby Gilbert

Police came on Friday.
He will get Mary.
Police is from Fort Yukon.
Police go a big gun.
I like school.
It is fun for me.
Today is Monday.
Outdoor is cold.
I don't like to be cold.
The weather is cold.
The weather is good.
Maybe everybody don't to be cold.
The sun is come up.
The sun is cold.
The snow is cold.
I don't like the snow.
I like Summer.
It is hot.
Police will went back with plane.
Maybe airplane will come in.

By: Alfreda William

Statetrooper came from Fort Yukon.
He stay at lodge.
He talk to us.

By: Kias Peter Jr.

The statetrooper came.
He talked about rules.
He talked about games.
He had gun.

By: Angela Peter

State Trooper came in Airplane.
Policeman put robberin jail.

By: Brenda Tritt

State Trooper came to school.
He talked about rules.
He talked about games.
He had gun.

By: Bertha Tritt

Mary is going to Fairbanks.
She is going to court.
Some kids are going to court too.
Me and Sandra are going to walk around.

By: Deena Rose Tritt

I like to make school.
I like to write newspaper.
It is fun on Saturday and Sunday.
We go to Church. I never go to church.
Maybe airplane will come today.
The police and Mary will go to Fairbanks.
Friday we have Art. It is fun.
We have fun in school.
The sun came up.
It is fun to write news.
The police went in our class.
We had party at Helen Tritt house ~~xx~~ for
George Birthday.
It was fun. She make a cake for him.

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By: Mildred Peter

I want to see the movie again I like it. It was a good movie. The police comes to school and talk to us. Maybe Mary and Joel is going back with Police. I like to ride with my father when he go out to get wood. Chritain cut his hand. Lots of people went to church yesturday. I went to church but Joann don't want to. I like to go to school. The 5th grade want to church they sing in church. We cook At Mrs. Nickelson. Joann and Mary and Peter, Deena and Marcie and I cook food cake.

By: ?????

I like to go to church. It is fun to go to church. I like to make school. Police come to see us. They call them state Trooper. She will, Mary, she will go to court. Her Mother will go with her. Mary is scare to go. Maybe plane will come today. It is hot outdoor, no body is cold. Police talk about rules and games. We eat good at school. I like to eat lunch at school. good food. I like to write news. It is fun at school. Police talk to older kids and little kids. He is leaving today. We work with everything at school. We play game. It is fun.

Cooks Training Schedule

November 15 and 16 Elizabeth Peter and Sarah James
November 17 and 18 Virginia Titus, Margaret Tritt, Fannie Tritt and whoever else hasn't had any training and wants to come.

Cook Schedule for cooking lunch

Nov. 15-19 Helen Tritt and Mildred Tritt
Nov. 22-24 Elizabeth Peter and Sarah James
Nov. 29-Dec. 3- Margaret Tritt and Virginia Titus
Dec. 6-10 Fannie Tritt and Mildred Tritt
Dec. 13-17 Lilly and Helen
Dec. 20-23 Josie and Mary
Dec. 28-30 Naomi and Florence

If you have any questions please let Mrs. Nickelson know. We will have a cooks meeting December 30 and fix the schedule for the rest of the year.

NEWS OF THIS AND THAT

James Gilbert will be ordained a Deacon in the Episcopal Church on Nov. 29.

Thanksgiving Holidays for the school children are Nov. 25 and 26. There will be no school those days.

The x-ray team is supposed to be in sometime in November. They have given us no date yet so I guess we just watch the sky for the airplane.

The Weather Bureau and the FAA have put up a radio in the armory for the purpose of reporting weather for aircraft. Ray, Peter Stern, and Nena are taking the lessons in how to operate the radio and make the reports. They will be able to teach others after they have finished their lessons.

Elaine Johnson's Address is 1013 First Ave.

Fairbanks, Alaska

in case any of you wish to write to her.

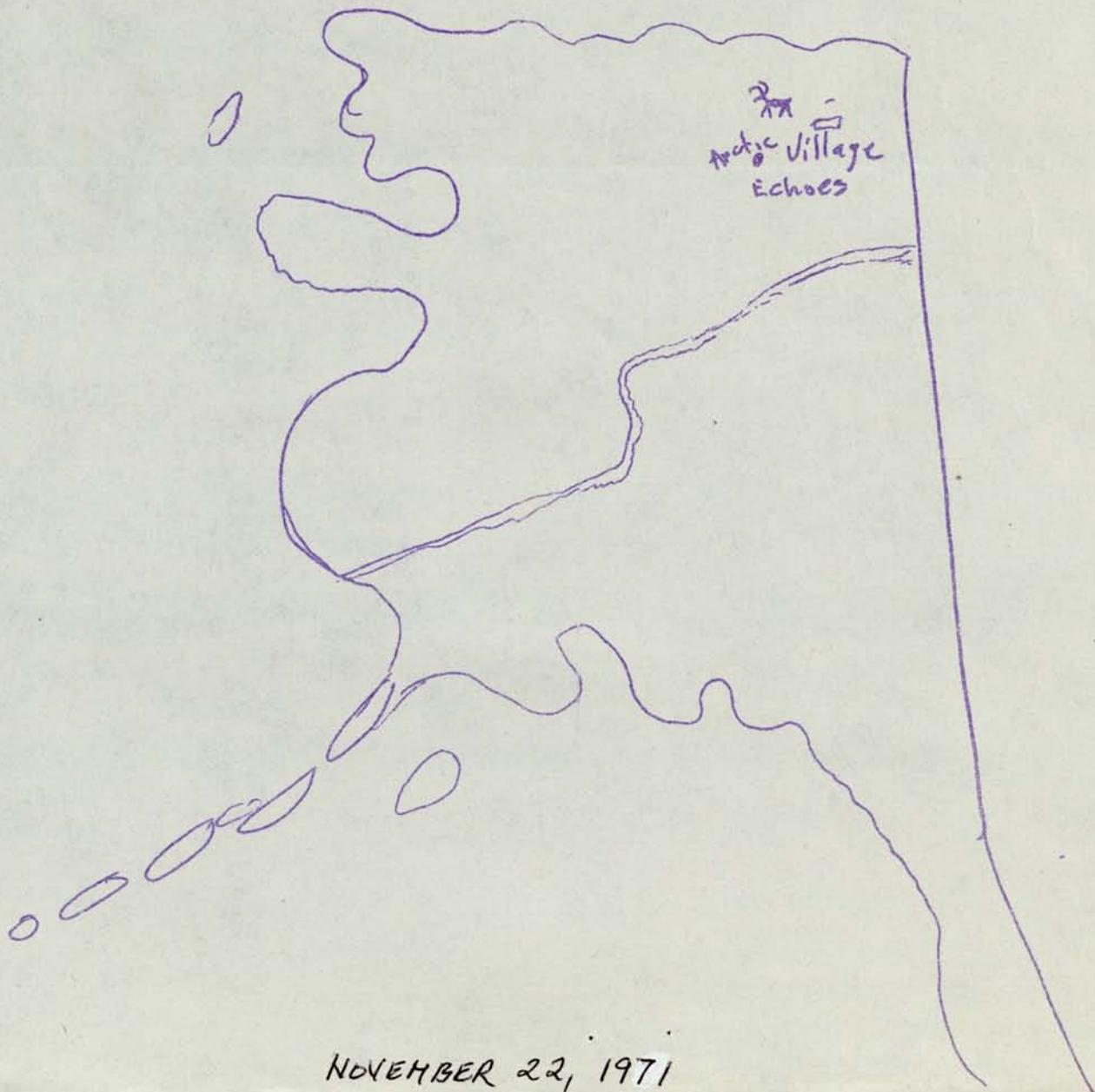
To All the Women

The Native Center in Fairbanks asked me for any small items of beadwork or anything. If anybody interested to send some beadwork. Give them to me and I will send them over and They will sell for us. Thanks.

Josephin Peter

If you want to order any Avon products before Christmas please let me know by Nov. 26. I will not be around to get orders after that.

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By: Marlene Tritt

Thanksgiving

On Thanksgiving everybody will eat very good. They will cook chicken, or turkey, or salad. Marion and I will eat very, good. Thanksgiving will be here in just ten more days. Marian and Cathy and I will eat chicken or turkey and salad. Im hungry already. I don't have much news to write cause I don't write news for long time. So I'll wait until next Monday to write my news.

By: Joel Tritt

Airplane

The airplane hasn't come for four days. I hope the airplane can come to Arctic Village. I like to go to the airplane. The weather is clear today. I like clear weather. Ten more days and it will be Thanksgiving. Everybody will eat.

By: Joseph Tritt

Newspaper is Peaceful

The weather is very good today. I hope the airplane comes today. It is hot in day time and it is cold at night. Our face is very cold when we drive snow-go at night.

I like to get wood on Saturday and Sunday. But our dumb snow-go is always broken. Boo! I really hate it.

Thanksgiving is on November 25. I will eat lots of turkey. Ha ha, ho, o-wing. Go ha, ha, ho o-wing go. I wish Thanksgiving was here now. We have ten more day. Yah-hoo, mountain dew!!

By: Abraham John Jr.

Thanksgiving

We will eat meat and chicken. I think they go no turkey. haha, ha, ha, If they got no turkey they will not eat turkey. Everybody will eat!

By: Gregory Gilbert

Weather

The weather is good. Iam glad the weather is good. The airplane might come today or not. Thanksgiving is coming. We will eat lots of good food. We will eat turkey. If Thanksgiving is over everybody will be fat and happy. Ten more days to Thanksgiving. Everybody is happy, happy, happy men.

By: Jessie Tritt

Thanksgiving

Next week will be Thanksgiving day. We got about 10 more days now. My friend and I can't wait. Doyou know why? Cause we will eat lots of good food. We will get healthy when we g eat good food. They might have dance too.

By: Brenda Tritt

Mary went in the plane.
My mother went with her.
My mother took Julie with her.
To Hazel kids to see Julie.
They said Julie is grandma.
Julie laugh.

By: Kias Peter Jr.

The mailman walk around this town.
The mailman walk around the new store.
With new bicycle.
The store keeper name up on the tree.
The police walk around the town.
He will whistle around the town.

By: Peter James Peter

We see caribou.
We got a Kitten.
We got a little dog.
His name is Pussy.
We made turkey with paper.
Marty fall in washtub
She got all wet.

By: Debbie Tritt

Two of our cat had kittens
Mother will keep one for us.
For me, Debra and Sandra.
We play at school.
We made turkey.
We learn at school.
It is fun.

By: Angela Peter

All the kids go to school at new school.
Party on Pin birthday.
Thanksgiving is coming soon.
Sandra got new jacket.

By: Connie Newman

Bishop is coming soon.
Silas and Peter left.
Fannie went in airplane too.

By: Martha Tritt

My Mother came back.
Julie came back.
Cathy miss Mary.

By: Sandra Tritt

T
Thanksgiving is on Tuesday.
We made turkey now.
It is fun.
It is fun on Thanksgiving.
We will eat lots on Thanksgiving.

By: Brenda Newman

The Policeman went back to Fairbanks.
Peter went to Fairbanks Yesturday.
Silas left yesturday.
They are going to Fairbanks.
Christmas is coming soon.

By: Deena Tritt

Silas went to Fairbanks. Dear Nena would you write news too? Peter went to Fairbanks. Peter want, so no store open everyday. Bishop will come in soon. I like to write news. We see movie and we make turkey, its funny he, he,. I see the mouse in the cage. He is funny in the cage. This is all I will say. No teacher in here. I will write news next week again.

By: Mildred Peter

Lilly and Christain will come back..soon. Weather is no good. I want to the air-planettoo. I will see who will come in. I don't know what to say. In the newspaper. We make turkey in schools It is lots of fun. We put it on the wall. Silas left yesturday morning. My father went too weather men at lodge to fix the radio in the Armory. Last night they had bake sale at commiunity Hall. Bishop will be here for James ordained. The People will have potlatch for him at Armory or community Hall. All the men went hunting, got ~~xxx~~ bunch of carbou.

By: Bobby Jones Tritt

Today is tuesday. My mother and father will be back soon, maybe tomarrow. Thanksgiving is coming soon. Christmas is coming soon after. I like the holidays. I like the Christmas. I will be Santa Claus. We make turkey at school. We make fruits too. I am happy for Christmas. I like to eat turkey drumstick. Allen got new snow-go. I like his snow-go. Abel saw caribou today. Timothy shot one caribou.

By: Bobby Gilbert

Abel saw caribou on the mountain. They will goto it. Maybe they will kill some. There were lots of them on the mountains. Thanksgiving is coming soon. Bake sale will come on 29th. My grandfather will be ordained on the 29th. Bobby Jones will be Santa on Christmas. I will be a deer pulling Bobby Jones on Christmas. It will be a lot of fun on Christmas. We get lots of presents on Christmas. I like to get presents. I got lots of toys on Christmas. Maybe everybody like Christmas. The End.

By: JoAnn Peter

Next Thursday there will be Thanksgiving. We will wat turkey. I like to eat turkey. Today is Tuesday I like to write news. Airplane did not come. Weather is good but airplane did not come. I like to make school. Thanksgiving is coming soon, Christmas is coming too. All the men went hunting for caribou. Abel saw caribou up on the mountains. All the men went to it. The sky is blue today. Bishop will come to visit and also to ordained James. We make turkey at school. We make fruits too. I like Christain, Allen, and Patrick new snow-go.

By: Alfreda William

Christmas is coming soon.
Santa Claus going to come pretty soon.
Thanksgiving will be here in few days.
There is a fox going around the village.

By: Joyce John

Everyday Nena went to school at lodge.
Peter Stern went to school too.
Ray Nickelson went to school too.
Lincoln came back from Fairbanks.
One day Marty fall in Mrs. Nickelson Bathtub.

Faith Tritt

Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving is coming on Nov. 25. I wish Thanksgiving was here now. It is little bit cold outside. I wish it was hot. We learn anything in school. On Nov. 13 was bake-sale. Almost all of the village snow-go was there. On Thanksgiving we will eat turkey, maybe chicken too. We do art in school too. On Friday we do art in school. We made books. Airplane hasn't come yet. I wish the airplane would come. Some of the men get wood. good-luck.

By: Bernice Tritt

Weather

The weather is good today and it's cold and clear. I hope the airplane comes. We haven't seen the airplane since last Wednesday, the 10th my sister and Peter were supposed to go to Fairbanks but its too late now. The airplane didn't come Friday. So they have to stay here.

My parents are suppose to come back this Wednesday and I hope the weather is warm and clear by then.

On Saturday the Bishop's committee made a bake sales, and they played cards until about 2:00 oclock in the morning. It sure was fun!!! They will have a bakesale again next weekend.

By: Marion Peter

Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving is coming. It is only ten more days. I am happy it is coming. They will cook lots of things too. We will eat every thing. We will eat turkey, or chicken, and salad.

We colored a picture of a pilgrim. It is good. We didn't make it Cathy make it.

By: Nena Tritt

Thanksgiving

Once upon a time there was a girl named Myra and Faith. One day Myra cooked for Faith who was at work. It was only one more day until Thanksgiving day. Faith and Myra went shopping and they got a turkey for Thanksgiving. Faith cleaned the house for Thanksgiving then she invited their friends and they ate turkey and they drank wine and had good time and said see you.

By: Myra Peter

Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving is coming and on Thanksgiving maybe it will be fun and on Thanksgiving they will eat turkey or chicken. Thanksgiving maybe there will be potlatch.

By: Bertha Tritt

Silas left yesterday morning. Weather man living in logge for while. Airplane came in yesterday. Fannie and Peter went to Fairbanks.

Bishop is going to come in soon. He is going to have a church service. James is going to be ordained.

Helen and Mildred is cooking ~~xxx~~. Mildred is cooking until her mother come back.



ARCTIC VILLAGE

Dec. 6, 1971

Echoes

Notice

When I came to Arctic Village in 1968 the school had between 10 and 12 eight inch pie plates. We did not use them for school lunch. So I loaned them out when we had bake sales. Now we serve pie to the kids on holidays. So if you have pie pans that might belong to school please return them by Dec. 17 so kids can eat pumpkin pie for Christmas. Thank you. Mrs. Makol

Last night we saw a wolf down the river bank. He ran fast across the river. Marlene, Cathy, and I got scared. Then we ran up and ran to Post Office. We didn't know what to do. We went home at 9:00. We decide not to walk around at night. The weather pretty bad today/ JESSIE TRITT

There is a wolf around the village. I don't see it yet. I am sassed of wolf. They saw the tracks. MYRA PETER

I don't like school because I don't like to do spelling and math. I wish I already finish high school.

Jane will be ordained they might have a dance. Lots of people will com to his ordination, NENA TRITT

I might stay up all night during the holidays. I saw the by the sarah's house. I ran like Road Runner. Ran to Armory. I didn't ~~XXXX~~ tell no one because no one would have gone to movie that night. MARLENE TRITT

We saw a movie about Lobo. Lobo is a wolf. He is smart wolf. Some people are coming here from venetie and Fort Yukon for James ordination.

MARCIE PETER

We see Davids house is fire. The wolf was found. Davids put coal oil in his stove. It was fired fast and his leg is burned. It was Peter Peter, he teal us about it. SANDRA TRITT

Who went to bake Sale last night?

Who make bake sale last night?

James Giblbert going to be preacher.

ALMEDA WILLIAMS

David house is fire. David didn't get hurt. Alice see wolf by his house. Alice go scared. Alice ran in her house. Peter Tritt got new snowgo. Maybe Peter drive it. we will make program. we walk around village. Davids' window broke. James will be preacher. every body went to bake sale. I didn't go to bake sale. I don't want to. Its to drk thay way. Is my visit day. I went to Martha, and all the noises houses. MILDRED PETER

Eligh came back yesturday he had no wood in his house. There was fire in David Peter house. There was wolf by my house Alice saw the wolf by my house. Johnson cut his hand with the glass from David house.. BERTHA TRITT

There will be thanks giving tomorrow. They will drink tea and coffee. We will eat turkey and other food too. I like to eat. Christmas is comigg too. I like Christmas Maybe all the girls will be angel in Xmas program. I like to be angel. It is fun to be angel. Maybe airplane will come. JOAN PETER

We see movie at armory it is good. Tomarrow is not going to school I am happy. We went to Bake Sale. We have a new snowgo. Tomarrow is thanks giving I am Happy.

DRETA TRITT

Gun came out. David ole his house is fire. Johnson is hurt.

ANGELA PETER

ANNOUNCEMENTS TO SUBSCRIBERS- The subscription rates for the Arctic Village Echoes for the 1971-72 school year will be \$3.00. It will be published as close to weekly as possible. It is no longer possible for the principle teacher to type the stencils. There are two typists who are sharing the responsibility and sometimes as was the case this past week with the ordination on Monday, both typists are busy and you will receive no newspaper. However the next paper will carry the stories of the week before to you. We appreciate your support and hope that you will enjoy our paper.

ANNOUNCEMENTS TO PARENTS- Both Mr. Kees and myself would appreciate having the children get enough sleep. We know with James Ordination that this week was a bad week for sleep. However next week we hope can be better. We both would appreciate having the kids in school in the morning not just the afternoon. When your 1st, 2nd, and 3rd graders miss the morning they miss 3 hrs. of school. They only go to school 1 hour and 45 minutes in the afternoon. PLEASE make an effort to see that your kids get enough sleep and get to school on time.

MRS. NICKELSON

COOKS FOR DECEMBER- there are a few changes in the cooks schedule for December.

Dec. 6-10 Mary and Josie

Dec. 13-17 Florence and Naomi

Dec. 20-23 Lilly and Helen

Dec 28- 30 Mildred and ?

There will be no school Dec. 24, 27, and 31.

The Christmas program for the school will be Dec. 23 at the Armory or the Community Hall whichever is warm and lighted.

The church program will be Dec. 24. When more details are available as to the time and activities to follow the church program we will publish them.

Your Avon Representative will not be making any more orders until after the 15th of January. She has a selection of gift items that you may wish to purchase during Christmas. She has gifts for women and children that you might like for the name you drew. Can't help you out on the men. Let her know if you need something.

Thanksgiving is coming on Thursday--so we need to get wood at community hall. We would like to have a nice Thanksgiving and a big dance. Also wood for James Gilbert ordained on Monday. I believed all this have to be done by the village people it can't be done by itself.

Snow-gone house have to be done before New Year. Please let's work on it. Everybody who would like to.

ALLEN TRITT

I have not got much news, except that my grandpa Elliott Johnson Sr. and my bro-in-law Titus Peter came here on Monday for the ordination, they left the next day. VIRGINIA TITUS

SCHOOL BRO D MEETING*- Marian Nicholson, Peter Tritt, Max Kees, Allen Tritt, Wena Russell, Sarah James

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HEENA RUSSELL

STOP!!! Don't throw it away we can use it!!!

Frozen fruit juice cans- any size
empty thread spools
Paper sacks (grocery type, all sizes)
Old Magazines (eventhose you have cut from)
Gift wrap and ribbons
Cardboard tubes from foil, wrapping paper, toilet tissue, ribbons, etc.
Egg cartons
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Margarin tubs and lids
old nylons (if pony hose, save whole garment)
Rags and /or pieces of fabric
Fabric and fur scraps
Plastic containers (any type)
Top from spray can
Yarn pieces
Colored string
buttons
Net material from fruit, onion, etc.
cans with metal or plastic lids (any size)
Old plastic table covers.



by Cathy P.

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cans with metal or plastic lids (any size)
Old plastic table covers,
Pieces of jewelry
pieces of styrofoam (especially small packing material)

Cardboard pieces from shirts, hose, etc.
Crayon pieces
plastic pill containers
any small boxes, containers, etc.
old kitchen utensils
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Jars with screw lids
any dress-up articles
Any "junk-mail" with colorful pictures we can use.
Old towels, washcloths, blanket, etc.
Shoe boxes

This is a begining list of items that I may use---perhaps you can think of more from time to time we will add to the list.

From: CHILDREN CACHE

Thanksgiving will be in tree more days, we will go to school only 3 day this week. The men are hunting for a wolf. The wolf is runing around the town. The men haven't shot the wolf yet.

AARON TRITT

O boy!! Thanksgiving is coming. Everybody is glad and happy about Thanksgiving. Thanksgiving is one of the longest words Ive ever seen. I dont like to write about Thanksgiving. everybody will eat turkey and chicken. Turkey is fat so Maybe....Ov somebody poke on my back. Everybody will be fat like turkey after Thanksgiving. Besure and be happy for Thanksgiving. See you next week, sir. Gorry about that folks.

Trimble Gilbert

Thanksgiving is coming soon. Only three more days. Ha ha ha!! everyon will ear chicken and turkey. Everyone will laugh and eat. ABRAHAM JOHN JR.

I wish I could go hunting with someone that ha a snow-go. The weather is no good all the time. I wish the weather was good. The airplane came to village fenally. He finally saw village. My snow go is no good all the time. The Muffler is broken al the time. JOSEPH TRITT

We have two days of no school and 3 days of school. We have 3 days off school because Thanksgiving. On thanksgiving I will eat and eat until I'm stuffed. I like school but I'll be there.

Our snow go is always broken I like to drive snowgo but it broken al the time. I like to do art in the school. Little kids always make noise. JOEL TRITT

Thanksgiving is coming in 3days. They saw a wolf in the village at night, all the kids go home early. I wish they would kill the wolf. Today airplane will come Some of the men went hunting with there snowgo. All the kids are afraid of the wolf Everyday we see movie in school. On Thanksgiving maybe we will eat chicken or turky Maybe airplane will not come. The we ther is no good today. Today Marion, Peter and Joseph tritt talked on the radio. FAITH TRITT

By: Angela Peter

Sun is come out.
David Ole his house on fire.
Johnson is hurt.

By: Kias Peter Jr.

Wolf walk around this town.
My father shoot caribou.
Lots men shoot wolf with gun.

By Peter Peter

Lots of wolf in the town.
We see mooses.
David Ole house is fire.

By: Bobby Gilbert

They dance at Community Hall.
My grandfather is ordained.
He get lots of presents/
They eat ice cream.
They steal some them.
They start dance early.
The weather is cold.
They ice cream outside.
One gerbils is dead in class.
Maybe kitty kill it.
They drive snow go
Every body like to dance
Christmas is coming.
I like Christmas
It is fun to play.
Maybe the will be Christmas.

By: Angela Peter

We make a potlatch for Bishop.
We eat ice cream too at community Hall
We dance too the mother and father.
They drink tea too
They make party for Bishop/

By: Sandra Fritt

Last night three airplane land down at airport. Lots of men come back. Lots of women come back. We eat hot dogs and Pretty soon its going to be Christmas. We will sing at church. We will make a Christmas program at community Hall. Bobby Jones and Bobby Vern will be masked!

By: ??

There was dance last night. We eat ice cream. Lots of man come back. Bishop came in airplane. Titus and David Salmon came in Bishop's airplane.

By: Alfreda Williams

My mother dance last night.
My mother like to dance.
Those kids eat ice cream/
23 more days then will be Christmas.
The santa Claus will be here.

By: Berthar Fritt

There were ordination at church.
They eat turkey and pie cakes, meat.
We are going to Fairbanks at May 8.
It is cold out.
Yesterday they drank tea and water.
Margaret and Virginia are cooking until Monday.

Yesturday only 18 of us in school.
Mother she bring me some cake, meat and turkey from the party. We want to stay at Community Hall but next day was school.

By: Connie Newman

They will dance at community Hall.
They will eat at Community Hall.
They eat ice cream.

By: Joyce John

We make Potlatch.
We dance. We eat ice cream.
Mildred dance.
Boys and Girls just watched.

By: Peter Peter

Dance today we eat Turkey and cake and pie
we ate ice cream.
We all dance and fun.
Airplane fly to airfield.

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By: ???

Yestuday all the kids play in Community Hall.
All the father and Mother danced.
People dance too The eat ice cream too.

By: Martha Tritt

Bishop came yesturday.
James ordained deacon.
Audrey's Birthday is coming the day of Christmas.

B: Deena Rose Tritt

Yesterday they dance and eat turkey and ice cream and cake and pie and coffee and tea. Bishop went back to Fairbanks. We eat lots I went home after. All the people dance and happy.

By: Mildred Peter

Lots of passenger came in airplane I am happy. Lots of peopled dance at Community Hall., They will put big table in Community Hall. They put five tables in the Community Hall In there they ~~xxx~~ are going to eat. They dance in Community Hall. And we eat lots at Community Hall. And we put the tables out side and dance in~~x~~ there. We eat cake and pie and jello and chicken and caribou meat. They had coffee and tea. Lots of kids is in the Community Hall. Then Trimble rang the bell so all the kids to go home.

By: Joann Peter

All the people like to dance. They dance at Community Hall. We eat cake and jello and ice cream at Community Hall. I like to eat ice cream. The sun is coming out Maybe airplane will come Christmas is coming and New Year is coming too. I like New Year and Christmas. It is fun outdoor. They drive snow go all the time. I like to drive snow~~go~~. Mrs. Nickeson got big cage for the mouse. One of the gerbils is dead. Martha gave Mrs. Nickelson three gerbils Mrs. Nickelson said she like gerbils. I like to work at school. We play game too. It is fun!!!

By: Aaron Tritt

Thanksgiving is fun. I like Thanksgiving. Thanksgiving is over but we will have a potlatch. The x-rays people came today. The airplane came today. Jane will be ordained. The weather is no good today. It is snowing but is not cold. I don't know what to say. That is all I got to say.

ABY: Abraham John Jr.

This Christmas I will go to Fairbanks. Maybe I will not be back. Ha, ha, ha. I will go to Fairbanks just for fun. I don't know what is going on in Fairbanks

By: Marion Peter

James will be ordained tod y on Nov. 29. Bishop Gordon will come. Maybe he will stay one day. Everybody will have a good ~~xxx~~ dance with him.

By: Bernice Tritt

The potlatch for James Gilbert is supposed to be today. They don't even know when it will start. So who knows. Bishop Gordon is supposed to be here today. And I don't know if he is here right now or not. James will be ordained in the church. The ordination will start this afternoon. Last night Nena Russel stuffed five turkey for the potlatch. I hope they have a happy potlatch.

By: Joseph Tritt

It was too cold to haul wood yesterday. Lots of people use snow-go to haul wood. Just some of the use dogs. They use snow-go to pack water with. Lots of men go hunting with snow-go too. We use our snow-go lots of times. I like to drive really fast. I like to hot rod. When we hot rod lots times our snow-go breaks.

By: Faith Tritt

Christmas is coming. I wish it was here now. All the kids got a name. I got a name too. Today, we will have a potlatch or bake sale. The x ray men came in the airplane. The weather is good today. Some of the men get some wood. On Thanksgiving everybody will eat turkey. Some of my friends always drive snow-go. In school we learn lot of things. James will be ordained. Maybe Bishop Gordon will come. I think I will close with my newspaper.

By: Some of the men get wood for church. My father gets wood for our house. I like to get wood but I am scared of the wolf they saw around the village. We use our snow go alot. I like our snow go very much. I gets dark early. It is cold up here. It got down to 42 below I don't like cold weather.

By: Marcie Peter

Some people from other villages are coming. Maybe my grandmother and grandfather will come. The weather is good today. Bishop Gordon just came in, for James ordination. It will fun today because some people are coming. It will be fun on the nov. 29. It will be fun on the James ordained.

By: Jessie Tritt

There will be a potlatch today at the Community Hall. The potlatch is James Gilbert. And it will on Nov. 29. But, I don't know what time. Maybe they will have church Monday morning or evening. Maybe, I don't know about every thing. But somebody told about potlatch. But everything coming soon.

One thing everybody hates bad weather.

On Thanksgiving we didn't had potlatch. We just eat at our own house and helped each other. Some people invited a guest to their home.

By: Myra Peter

James will be ordained on Monday. Maybe we will not go to church. If we will not I will not go to school. I hate to go to work but sometime I like it.

By: Josée Peter

I think Jolly misses Lazzie cause Lazzie had die last week. We don't know what happen to him. (Jolly and Lazzie is our dogs)

Christmas is coming soon, Kids are excited to see Santa Clause bring goodies again!!

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Betty Ann is getting big and fat. She has one tooth already. She is only three months old.

Audrey's birthday is Dec. 28. So Audrey will be 5 years old. She will have a birthday cake I hope. And Audrey said jelle too. We will make a party for Audrey and Boy-Boy that time I hope. We will say Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all who know my family. This means who got newspaper.

Allen Tritt

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following children will be singing as a choir at the program at church, and will be staying after school to practice every night until Dec. 22.

Joyce John, Martha Russell, Angela Tritt, Angela Peter, Debbie Tritt, Connie Newman, Bella Tritt, Alfreda Williams, Jessie Peter and Martha Tritt.

They will stay about ten minutes.

The little kids missed an hour and a half of school when the x-ray team was here. Therefore the little kids will need to make this time up. They will be late coming home Dec. 16 and 17. They will be dismissed at the same time the big kids are those days. That is at Three forty-five.

The Christmas Program for the school kids will be Dec. 23 at the Community Hall.

News of this and that to fill up this page.

We goofed last week and forgot to run one page of the paper. It was the page with the list for things Sarah needs for children's cache. So we have put both pages in so you can have the complete list.

Christian Tritt went back to Fairbanks today, Dec 13, for more work on his hand. Paul Williams went to Ft. Yukon for Arnold Paul's funeral as did Helen Tritt and Mary John.

Lincoln Tritt went to Anchorage for some city clerk training and Gideon James went to Anchorage for the AFN meeting.

Fairbanks Air Service flew in a C-46 load of gas for the council. The gas is sold on a cash only basis, so you better have a flashlight when you are walking around the store or you will fall over the wood. Everybody is all of a sudden interested in selling.

Allen Tritt has been working in Christian's place since he was hurt.

Some nights the Community Hall is open and you can play pool or

ping pong. The money collected is given to Peter Stern and Paul Williams for the Dog Masher's Committee.

Noah caught one wolf, however no parka ruffs for new parkas as another wolf ate the wolf Noah caught.

The weather has been cold, but that's really no news. The airplane did fly today and the temperature was below -40.

Program practice for the Church Nativity program is underway at the church on Saturdays.

Audrey Tritt reports that the Children's cache kids are going to have a spell tomorrow. The Children's cache is the preschool program funded by the State operated schools. Sarah James is the teacher and the classes are held in her home. The children are age 3-5 and learn their numbers, colors and about shapes of things. They go to class three hours a day.

There are lots of puppies in town. The Nickelson's gave two away and the next day the same two were back. John Titus has been over after his so many times he has a trail worn from the school to his puppy pen.



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NOTICE !!!

From Anchorage on Satellite Radio the following programs that are coming very interesting and its forevery one to benefit from. and you are welcome to listen to it from the Health house at both morning and evening. And the radio is at Mr. Kees Class room and you all welcome to listen and ask questions about the different subject also you might get it on your house radio. Following at next week schedule. Evening hours 6 PM to 7 PM.

Monday Dec. ??

Tuesday Dec. 21 -- Doctor talk about ear infections.

Wednesday Dec. 23--Local news(new from other village doing and as well as as here and we need a news reporter if anyone interested in being a news reporter please let me know.

No programs on 24th, 25th and 26th

Tuesday Dec 28--Audiologist Mr John Devin will talk about hearing problems.

Wednesday Dec. 29--F A N housing program.

Thursday Dec. 30--Story telling hour. These are about old time Indains Story beingtold from different villages and this day Arctic Village and Allakaket will tell a Story.

And on morning hours 10 AM to 11 AM are for the students. But everyone is welcome to listen also.

Monday Dec. 20th --Land Claim Harry Carter will be on and the kids will ask Questions..

December story telling hour: A story will be told from Fairbanks University and the student will ask questions about it

I suggest you tear this off and put up on wall for a schedule reminder.

NENA RUSSELL

TO ALL PARENTS- Santa Claus will be here Monday, Novem(Excuse me) Dec. 20 at 10 A. M. All the little kids will be dismissed from school when the airplane comes. Parents are responsible for getting their own little kids to the airport. The big kids have planned a surprise for Santa Claus and will go to the airport with Mr. Kees. There will be no lunch served on Monday. There will be no school after Santa Claus comes until in the afternoon. All kids will come back to school at 1 P. M. The cooks are to come to work and make pies for the Christmas dinner to be served to the kids on the 22 nd of Dec. IF SANTA CLAUS DOSEN'T COME ON MONDAY THEN THIS WILL HAPPEN WHEN HE DOES COME.

THE SCHOOL NEEDS PIE PANS FOR THE COOKS TO BAKE PIES IN ON DEC.20. IF YOU DON'T WANT SOME ONE KNOCKING ON YOUR DOOR AT 9: 00 A.M. Monday morning PLEASE RETURN THE SCHOOL'S PIE TINS SOMETIME THIS WEEKEND,

SCHEDULE OF CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES IN ARCTIC VILLAGE 1971

- Dec. 18 Church Program Practice in the afternoon at the church
- Dec 20 Santa Claus's visit see above notice.
- Dec 23 School program at the Community Hall at 8 P. M.
- Dec. 24 Nativity program at the church followed by Communion Service
Nativity program will begin at 9 P. M.

On Dec 22 the following students will be staying after school to try on costumes Joel Aaron, Peter, Brenda N., Kias, Christian, Bobby's t&g. they will

be home about 4:30 AM.

On Christmas we will have lots of fun. After the program they will give us some presents. Myra, Martha and I will read a story. Some of the kids will be shy but not me. Brenda Newman will be Mary and Peter Peter will be Joseph. By the fire Jessie, Marion Peter and I will read. Gee!! it is cold outdoor. I don't like cold weather. I don't no what to say with my newspaper.
 F ITH TRITT

Its been cold for a long time. I don't like cold weather. It got down to 40 degrees. It is too cold for everybody. When it gets cold I like to be in a hot place.
 JOEL TRITT

Last week, I wrote a newspaper story and it was not in the newspaper. So next time, I'll get my brain to thinking. While its Thinking, I'll give it to Mr. Kees. The weather is getting cold. Right-now, its 26 below zero and the time 27 minuts to 12:00 am. The date is dec 14 I am happy 1972 is coning because I am sick and tire of 1971.
 CATHY PETER

On Chistmas we will have a program in the Church and I will read the Bible, and Jessie too. I am glad Jessie will read with me, because i don't want to read alone. I am to shy. And we will sing with the other kids. too. They might have a potlatch too but I am going to eat little. I dont want eat much. On New Years I am going to stay up all night and walk around town with friends and throw ea ggs around in the houses. I will throw eggs., that wasn't nice huh?
 NENA TRITT

/Christmas is coming heree. Its about 11 more days. I wish Christmas was here right now. On new Years we will go to Venetie. I donit to be here because it is too cold. I froze my ears yesturday. We practice in ^{like} school for Christmas program. I like to do the Christmas Program. But they don't give me a good part.
 MARCIE PETER

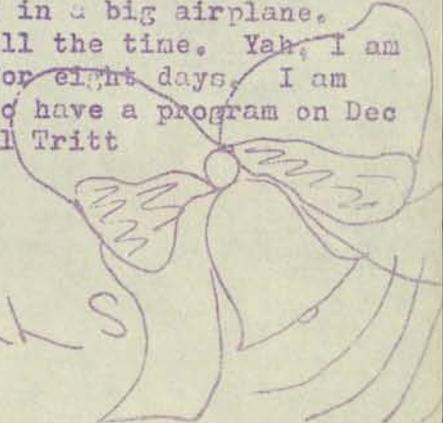
Yah-hoo, Christmas is coming. We practice in school for Christmas. Santa Claus will come in on the bomber. Gee!! I can't wait til Christmas and Happy New Year. On Christmas all the people will go to church or Community Hall. All the kids in my class are happy for Christmas. We make everything for Christmas at school. Maybe I will read a story on Christmas.
 FAITH TRITT

We have 17 more days for happy New Year. On happy New Year people walk around some houses and say happy New Year!!! They even throw eggs too. It is fun on happy New Year. Then they ^{even} put eggs on the stove it stinks. after they walk out side they go into peoples houses and shake their hand. After they all go to lodge to eat. It is 34 below zero. It is not very cold. Weather is alway no good. The weather is cold at night. In the day time is a little warmer. Santa Claus is going to come on Christmas.
 JOSEPH TRITT

Christmas is coming. I am happy. I will not have lots of presents. Last Christmas I only got one present. Santa Claus will come in a big airplane. I am happy. We do art in school. Little kids do art all the time. Yah, I am happy for Christmas. We are not going to go to school for eight days. I am happy everything. I donit like school. We are going to have a program on Dec 23. We are going to have program in church too.
 Joel Tritt



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Christmas is coming now I am glad Christmas. Everyone will have a good time. We will give a presents to some one you never know. Pin will go to Fairbanks to his mother. Maybe, he will not be in the Christmas play. Next Christmas he will stay here. I better close for now everyone. MARION PETER

In this little village, there are lots of lovers. I'll tell you who his a boyfriend, Okey! Marion, Marlene, Nena and Bernice, Jessie and Mary, Marcie. Gee! I'm happy about it, right-on No-way not me, noway in the world. Hhh don't tell Jill. CATHY PETER

I am happy my mother and my father will come back on December 8. I'm sick and tired of being late, for school. From now on I'll be on time. This afternoon around 10-o'clock I will go to the airport. I don't know what to write so I'll say close for now everyone. Good-bye and good-luck everyone in this old village HARLENE TRITT

Christmas will here in about nineteen more days. I like to open Christmas presents. I don't like to play program. I am to shy. Big kids will sing songs in the church. I like to sing Christmas songs. Happy New Year will be here in about 26 more days. I am happy about all the holidays. My brithday is on January 10. I will be fourteen years old. JOSEPH TRITT

On Friday the temperature was -0 degrees above zero. and today it went down to 40 below. Its so cold. This morning I almost froze my face and feet. but I made it to school. The weather is clear, but maybe its too cold for the mail plane to come in.

One wednesday my parents will come home. We are glad they are coming back. Gee! They went to Fairbanks November 4. And coming back December 8. They will have been gone for a month and a couple days. Just as long as they are here for Christmas. BERNICE TRITT

Christmas is coming, in about 19 more days. We will have a program about long long ago. We already draw names for Christmas gifts. I got a girl. It is new too that I will gave her. I like it but I am not little girl. I am old enough to not have something about little kids. If you or someone presents a little kid something new they will be happy because they want the best things in the world.

Christmas is fun because i like to have a present and I like to give present to someone. I like too have merry Christmas. But I dont like the program and I dont to wear a dress. BY: JO NAME

e will have a Christmas program t the Community Hall. On Dec 23, all the big kids will be in the program like old times. and the little kids will do like Christ was born. They will do on Christmas Day. I bet some kids might be shy when the program starts. After the program they will pass out the presents. Gee! its very cold outdoors now. I don't even know when its cold. It's about -40 degrees below. Boy! I bet no one would not go out until summer. I wish I had a new parka now, cause I might freeze. JOESSIE TRITT

Christmas is coming. I am happy Christmas is coming. For the Christmas program Faith, Martha, and I will read a paper. Faith will read first and Martha will read third and will read second. On Dec 23 we will camp by the fire. Cathy, marcie, Bernice and I will be cooks, and Faith, Jessie and Marion will read. Marcie and Nena will fish. George and Joseph will hunt for caribou. I will be sick and Marhon will take care of me. All of us will sit around and and look like some of them will be sick. MYRA PETER

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On Christmas Santa Cl us might come to little old Arctic Village and he will pass presents to everybody. And New Years if we were sleeping they will wake us up and shoot guns. In the village there will be lots of noise On Christmas ther will be lots of presents. I wish I had something like Avon I joke:

If i have Avon on Christmas I 'll save it for Happy New Year. I will put it on somebody that walks by me and they will smell goog. EV'n Arctic Village smell good too. So wait for your presents until Christmas. And wait until Christ mas. and wait until New Years for you will smell good. MURLEN TRITT

I will go to Fairbanks on Dec 22 ha ha. I will have fun in Fairbanks. I Think I will not get many presents. I don't know what to say, man. Just hi everyone. Have fun but don't die? Abraham John Jr.

On dec 14 they put the bell on the roof in the moring at 8:00oclock they will ring the bell again. All the kids will to school. and then they will ring the bell again. at 9:00 in the afternoon they inring the bell at 2:45 and the kids will to school. and at 1:00 they will ring the a gain. Maybe they will ring the bell at curfew tim at 9:00 That'ss all I can say now. MYRA PETER

I am happy Christmas is coming. It is 17 more days. gee!! I can't wait because Christmas is fun. And New Year is going to be on Jan 1. Maybe every body will stay up all night. They will to program it will at the Community Hall. They will cook at the Lodge or Community Hall. I know Harlene, Nena and Cathy, Jessie and Bernice and I will serve. MARION PETER

Just next week, about 10 more day it will be Christ^{mas} Eve. Mr. Kees is going have a program with his students on the 23th of december. But I don't know the time though.

I don't know about what we call now. Oh! Mrs nickelson. I don't no where, when who or what she is going to do for the Christmas Program.

And for Nena all the students will have long program at the church. I don't know when.

On Christmas Day everyone will help with the poltch and maybe they will have a dance. On new Years the chiefand his wife will make the party and dance. BERNICE TRITT

All the school students ha practice for their Christmas program. Maybe S nta Claus will come. I don't know if he will come with bomber. January is New Year day Gee!! everyone is happy for the X-mas and New Year. Everyone is to busy for the x-mas. Bernice, Cathy, Marion, Harlene, marcie, Nena, Joel, Joseph and Aaron and I will be in the choir. I don't know about little kids. Nena and will read the Bible on X-mas.

Maybe some people will stay over night me too. JESSIE TRITT

I never wrote newsbefore for the ECHOE, But I'll gave a few lines of news. Last time I spent Christmas and NewYear here was back in 1959. The weather and all is kind of strange to me, its been so long you know. I sure planning on haveing Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. I am happy to be home and I am planning to stay here for long time.

I got letter from Fannie Tritt in San Francisco, Calif..She is going to San Francisco state collage. She is doing fine. She said Hello to everyone. Calvin visit with her for 10 days on his leave. Daniel is coming to spent Christmas with her on his leave. SARAH JAMES.

No Newspaper until
January 7 or 9, Our
Typist is busy.