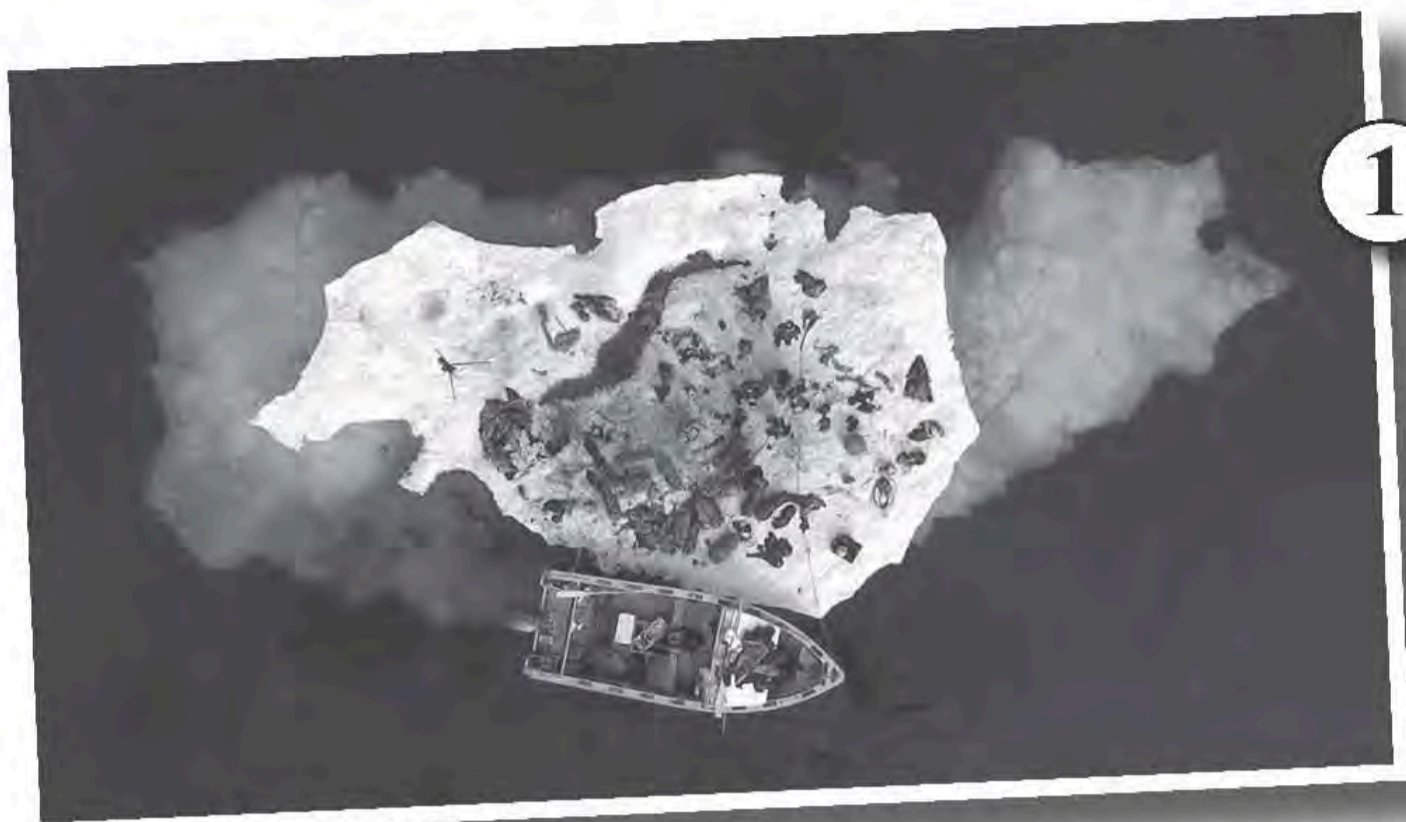


BEST NEWS PHOTO



1

ROBERT KAUTUK

Nunatsiag News

The drone gives this image an edge by letting viewers have an angle they otherwise could never have. The topic is interesting and relevant to local readers. For now anyway, drone photos exude originality and uniqueness. Good work.



2

JAY OUELLET

Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph

The color, the condensed perspective, the joy that's evoked and the local feel have earned this image a high award. The image really has it all: news value, quality, composition, originality and impact. Excellent way to report the news of an event, showing the crowds and the gladness.

DAVID TULLOCH

The Equity

The on-the-spot nature of this image earns it an award, as well as the tight cropping that centers on the hands. The picture has important news value.



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Honourable Mention:

GREG HORN

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Judge: John O'Connell, Retired Executive Editor, Photographer, Floral Park, NY • Number of entries in the Best News Photo category: 12