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**Eskimo Olympics, 1972 (KUAC) Kotzebue Dancers.**

**Or, more likely:**

**Eskimo Olympics, 1972 (KUAC) Thahetan Potlatch.**

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**Notes: Originals on 7 inch reels. Master and circulation copies on CD.**

Singing and drumming are heard. Several different songs, and presumable dances, are performed.

Every once in a while announcements can be heard including

- that the songs and dances are from Minto, Alaska,
- regarding a one week all expenses paid trip to Acapulco, Mexico,
- that you would have to be present to see how the dancers are dressed, colorfully, in leather fringe, with headbands and feathers
- an invitation to join in the dancing
- regarding Minto dancers, Point Barrow Eskimo dancers, Northway Indian dancers

The dancing ends. The queens are chosen.

The judges are Robert Charlie, John Bergermashie(?), Betty Johnson(?), Phil Johnson(?), and Mary-Jane Faith(?).

Ms. Congeniality is Josephine Johnson(?). Senator Ted Stevens presents the flowers.

Linda Lincoln(?) is first runner up.

Miss Fairbanks Native Association for 1972-73 is Ms. Donna Demosney(?).

More announcements are made. Drumming and singing are heard at the very end of the tape.