



**BEST DRESSED BLANKET TOSS CONTESTANT** — Laura Bergt, elegantly attired in a pants-suit, shows the form and poise which always makes her a top competitor in the Blanket Toss. After flying high on the blanket, Laura took more conventional transportation to Los Angeles and represented Tundra Times and the Olympics on the Johnny Carson Show.



**SPECIAL SONG** — Newly crowned Martha Anagick of Unalakleet, Miss Eskimo-Indian Olympics, has a special song sung to her by the members of her court. Outgoing queen, Helen Andon looks on.

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**WEIR NEGAVONNA** — Leader of the Wainwright Dance Team. His group flew in from their remote Arctic Village to take first place in the Eskimo Dance Contest.



**AND AWAY WE GO** — One hundred and fifty-nine pound Leonard Menke, wins a tough case against the Law of Gravity by walking with 586 pounds for 5 feet 6 inches. Despite appearances, Leonard is NOT laughing.



**DIDN'T WIN** — Chris Anderson, chairman of the 1973 WEIO committee, relaxes in the Queen's throne. Even though he didn't win the beauty contest, hard-working Chris earned his seat.