

BP DONATES \$500 TO COMBAT ALCOHOLISM



NATIVE COMMISSION — Alaska Native Commission on Alcoholism and drug abuse was formed in Anchorage recently. The officers of the commission are: front row, Evelyn Conwell, Lena Andree and Stewart Nicolai; Back row: Peter Kunnuk, Marcello Quinto (Liaison Officer), Evelyn Myers and Ralph Amouak.

Rural CAP Alcoholism Program Gets Fund

A donation of \$500 was graciously given to the Rural Alaska Community Action's alcoholism program to assist in the rural Alaskan Natives' fight to combat the number one health and social problem of Alaska.

The intent of the program is to educate the people about what the abusive drinking pattern does to deteriorate the family member and how more effective they could be in private business transactions if taken care of in a sober state of mind.

Also, it is expected to be instrumental towards developing the growth process of Alaskans in rural areas.

Counselors located in Dillingham, Unalaska, Kodiak, Fort Yukon, Copper Center, Juneau, and Kotzebue work with 107 villages. With assistance from organizations such as British Petroleum, we shall be able to continue this work and possibly expand in the future.