



HAPPY ESKIMO FAMILY—Famous Eskimo woman, Florence Malewotkuk of Gambell on St. Lawrence Island, has executed a black and white wash drawing of a happy Eskimo family which she donated to the March for Hope Campaign so

it can be sold to the highest bidder. The highest bid accepted will go to the Hope Cottage in Anchorage for the benefit of the multi-handicapped children, many of them native children.

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Novel Fund Raising by Village for Hope Cottage

Gambell on St. Lawrence Island is sponsoring an unusual money-raising project for the March for Hope Campaign: the village is going to sell to the highest bidder a drawing done by Mrs. Malewotkuk.

An Eskimo, Mrs. Malewotkuk has donated her work to the fund raising effort. The money will go to Alaska's only home for mentally retarded and multi-handicapped children.

A 20 by 30-inch picture, the black and white drawing depicts an Eskimo family with five healthy children.

Mrs. Malewotkuk, now a 63-year-old grandmother, has been drawing for many years and is well known for her pictures of native life.

All bids on the picture should be mailed to Gambell March for Hope Committee: Darroll Hargraves, chairman; St Lawrence Island; Gambell, Alaska 99742, no later than June 30.

Be sure to include full name, address and the amount you bid.

The high bidder will be noti-

fied, and when payment is received by the committee, the drawing will be sent to the buyer.

Funds raised from the sale of the picture will be used to help operate Hope Cottage. Located

in Anchoarge, it is licensed to serve 30 children at present. Earlier in the month, young Alaskans in several cities staged a "Walk for Hope" to raise money for the center.