



Oneidas bringing several hundred bags of corn to Washington's starving army at Valley Forge, after the colonists had consistently refused to aid them.

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# Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Inc.



UGWA DEHOLUH YATHEE

Because of the help of this Oneida Chief in cementing a friendship between the six nations and the Colony of Pennsylvania, a new nation, the United States was made possible.

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## ONEIDA TRIBAL BUSINESS COMMITTEE SPECIAL MEETING SPECIAL MEETING WITH BUILDING COMMITTEE

7:00 p.m. at Seminary

May 24, 1973

OFFICERS PRESENT: Purcell Powless, Chrmn.; Irene Moore, Vice-Chrmn.,  
Secretary, Margaret Doxtater; MEMBERS: Eva Danforth;  
Norbert Hill, Gordon McLester ABSENT: Alma Webster,  
Loretta Ellis, Wendell McLester  
OTHERS PRESENT: Sonny King, Carl Smith, Al Manders, Norbert Hill, Jr.,  
Annette and Eugene Powless

### BUSINESS CONDUCTED:

Chairman called the meeting to order. The program for the Oneida Nation Memorial Building Dedication was discussed. Eva Danforth made a motion that Low Barone & Jeff Nichols be made honorary members of the Oneida Tribe. Irene Moore seconded. Motion carried.

Irene Moore made a motion that Percy and Gordon meet with Bruce Elijah concerning any financial need there might be. Eva Danforth seconded. Motion carried.

Irene Moore made a motion to hire Sonny King on an interim basis for one month at the salary set in the job description for Building Manager. Norbert Hill seconded. Motion carried.

Gordon McLester motion to adjourn. Irene Moore second. Carried.

*Margaret Doxtater*  
Secretary, Oneida Business Committee

On May 26, 1973, immediately following the Dedication an information meeting was held with the Business Committee, Ernie Stevens, Joe Vasquez Nichols & Barone, Dr. James Murray, Reggie Miller, and Raymond Lightfoot. Ernie Stevens requested a resolution authorizing him to represent the Oneida Tribe in regard to an Oneida Agency. Mr. Lightfoot requested a copy of the resolution.

On May 21, 1973, a resolution to reinvest the Emigrant New York claims award for an additional 90 days, was adopted by a vote of 5 for, 0 against