

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, In



Oneidas bringing several hundred bags of corn to Washington's starving army at Valley Forge, after the colonists had consistently refused to aid them. De Pere Route 4



Wisconsin 54115 USWA DEHOLUH YATEHE Because of the heip of this Oneida Chief in comenting a friendship between the six nations and the Colony of Pennsylvania, a new nation, the United States was made possible.

SPECIAL MEETING May 8, 1980 7:30 p.m.

PRESENT: Chrmn. Purcell Powless, Secretary Wanda Webster, Edwin King, Mark Powless, Margaret Doxtater, Loretta Metoxen.

ALSO PRESENT: Robert Green, Simon DeCoteau, Sue Daniels, Donald & Erna Wheelock, Hurley Parkhurst, Amelia Cornelius, Carl Rasmussen, Pat Cornelius, Leland Danforth, Mr. & Mrs. Dale Powless, Marge Stevens, Francis Skenandore, Chas Wheelock, Art Skenandore.

Co-op Chairman Robert Green called the meeting to order at 7:45 p.m. Purpose of the meeting was to come to an agreement between the Co-op and Tribe regarding Iroquois Farms.

Chrmn. Powless explained the financial situation that the Tribe is currently in.

Discussion on Lease Agreement and Management Agreement. The Co-op has been doing the labor the Farm since September of 1979. Sue stated that the land contract payments are

700 a year, insurance is \$500, and the property tax is \$1200 this year. The Board of Directors of the Co-op are: Chairman - Robert Green, V-Chrmn. - Simon DeCoteau, Treasurer -Leland Danforth and the Secretary is Sue Daniels.

Lengthy discussion followed regarding the Co-op and the Management Agreement.

Chrmn. Powless leaves at 9:15.

Francis explained the Management Agreement, and recommended that the Co-op and the Business Committee meet and come to a agreement. Chas stated he needs to know more about his salary by tomorrow.

Meeting was set up for Monday morning at 9:00 A.M. Francis will meet with the Business Committee on Friday morning and draft up the final agreement by Friday evening.

Meeting ended at 10:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Wanda Webster, Secretary Oneida Business Committee