

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin

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



UGWA DEMOLUM YATEHE
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

MEMORANDUM

TO: Oneida Business Committee Alma Wesbter
Mark Powless Wendell McLester
Lois Powless Pat Misikin
Tony Benson Wanda Webster
—Julie Barton

FROM: Charles Leonard

RE: Biographical stories of BC members from 1937-present

DATE: December 1, 1989

As I'm sure most of you know, we are planning a ceremony and book honoring Oneida Business Committee members between 1937 and the present. It seems reasonable that those BC members who are now serving and some immediate past members should fill out their own information sheets, rather than having someone else do the research. Therefore, I am attaching a copy of the standard information sheet we are using.

Please fill it out AS SOON AS POSSIBLE and return it to me. We need to get the information written into a story.

Also, we will be needing a top quality photograph of you. I prefer a professional portrait as detailed in the attached memo. If that is not available, the memo lists other options. This too is needed as soon as possible.

The absolute deadline for getting this finished is January 15th. However, I would appreciate your efforts in finishing this biography sheet and obtaining your portrait as soon as possible. If you have any questions, please call me at ext. 326.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: IRA BC-member book researchers
FROM: Charles Leonard
RE: Photographs
DATE: December 1, 1989

As you research each of the persons you are assigned, it is imperative that you come up with a photograph of each Business Committee member that you are researching.

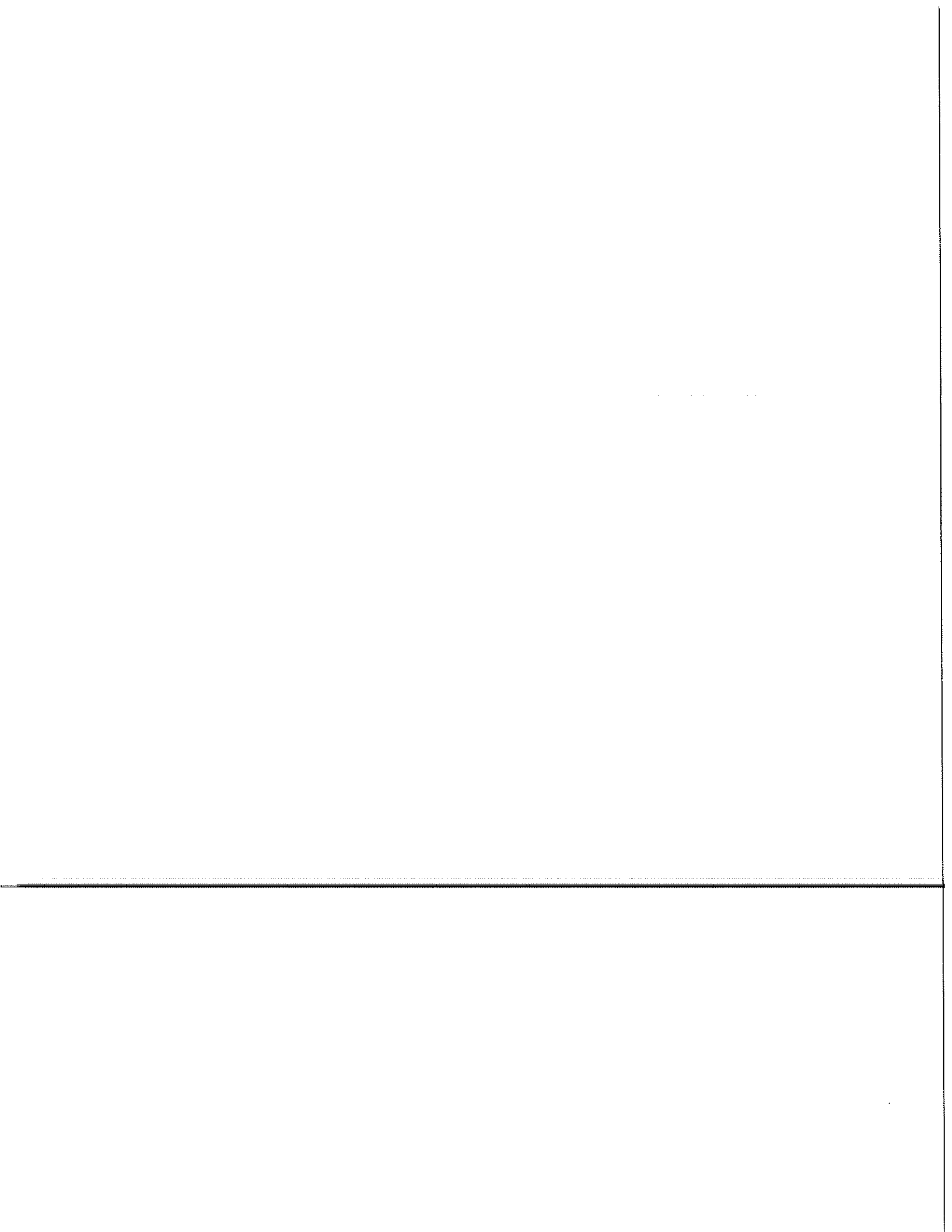
Let me stress that these photographs must be of the highest possible quality. A professional portrait is best (black and white is better than color, but color is usable.) Portrait-like photographs are second best (good, clear head shots or bust shots.) The worst shots are pure amateur photographs that are usually out-of-focus, shot at a distance or are improperly exposed.

We should try to avoid these, unless they are all we can get. If this is the case, please pay close attention to the focus, framing and composition of the shot. Distance is very bad, the closer the better. Focus is critical. Even if the shot is only slightly out-of-focus, that lack of sharp focus will be doubled and quadrupled by the time the picture gets into the book. Every generation of that a picture goes through (every time it is re-photographed or engraved) the out-of-focus factor is doubled. Therefore, focus is very critical. Also, every enlargement we do magnifies the grain of a picture (every photograph is a series of small dots, or grains.) Therefore, the closer, the better.

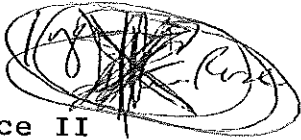
We will return every photograph after use. But in order to do so, each must be identified as to 1.) who the person is, 2.) who the picture is to be returned to, and 3.) what is the ~~address of the person to whom the picture is to be returned.~~

DO NOT WRITE ON THE BACK OF THE PHOTOGRAPH! The pen or pencil leaves an impression on the front of the picture that you cannot remove! The best method is to write the information on a self-adhesive label, then press the label firmly to the back of the picture.

If you have any questions, call me.



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ONEIDA BUSINESS COMMITTEE
BIOGRAPHY FOREMAT

For use with Honor Ceremony - Oneida History Conference II

Correct full name:

Julie ANN Cornelius Barton

Nickname(s) [if any]:

Judy

Date of birth:

7-20-39

Date of death (if applicapable):

N/A

Business Committee offices held (and dates of each):

1970, 1971, 1972
3 yr. Elected Office - Council member

Occupation(s):

Oneida language Teacher
Education + Employment Counselor
" " Program Coordinator

Period(s) of residency on reservation (area):

1939-1953 Oneida
1953-1967 Chicago, Illinois
1967 - Present Oneida

Education and school(s):

University of WIS Green Bay
" " Oshkosh

Senior - Human Development

Religious affiliation:

Methodist, Oneida Methodist Church.

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Activities and interests:

Notable accomplishments:

Honors and recognitions:

Other pertinent information (be brief):