

SIX NATIONS COUNCIL - Cont'd.....

Council decided to submit the Annual Petition for subsidy under the provisions of the Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act on expenditures made during the year 1972.

Council decided to accept the lowest tender, namely, R.F. Almas Company of Hagersville for construction of Bridge No. 55 according to the plans and specifications prepared by Greer Gallo-way and Associates, Consulting Engineers, for the sum of ninety-seven thousand three hundred and forty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$97,347.50), subject to the approval of the Ministry of Transportation and Communications.

Council decided to approve the temporary use of the Council chambers as a waiting room.

Council approved the outline of a sketch made by Sidney Henhawk of an area of the Mohawk Institute lands for use by the Association of Iroquois and Allied Indians. Mr. Borton told Council that the survey was required by the Surveyor of Canada and that Mr. Martin of the Department of Indian Affairs office had asked that the survey be confirmed. The main road was designated for the use of anyone occupying areas at the Mohawk Institute.

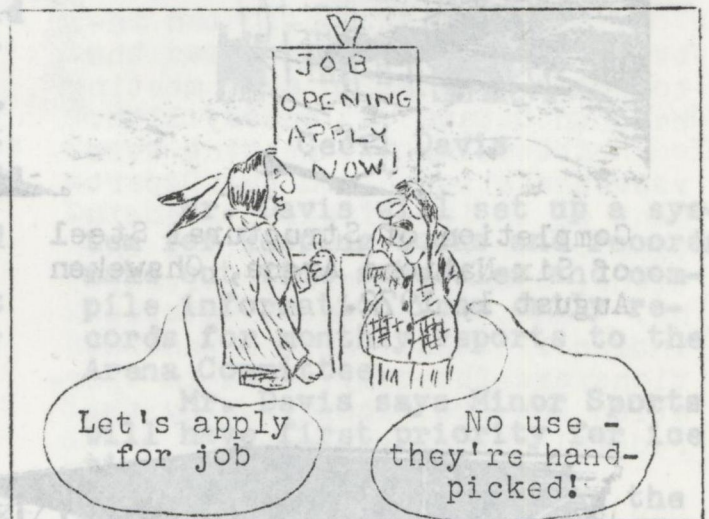
Chairman of the roads committee submitted the request of S.S. #1 Home and School to have the road grader dredge out a skating rink at S.S. #1 School. Council approved the request.

Council decided that any Councillors who were able and Mr. Borton would attend an education meeting in Toronto on January 17.

Mr. Patrick Brascoupe attended Council to answer questions in relation to the gypsum mining lease. Mr. Brascoupe is the assistant to Mr. Crandall, supervisor of Indian Minerals (East) from the Indian-Eskimo Economic Development Branch in Ottawa. Mr.

Brascoupe told Council that royalties are based on tonnage and that the royalty rate went from 7¢ to 8.4¢ on usable or No. 1 gypsum. Mr. Brascoupe assured Council that he would speak to Mr. Crandall about the royalty rate on raw materials sold to cement factories.

Council received two letters of application for research field workers on claims and treaties which would be conducted under the supervision of Leighton Hopkins, co-ordinator who is responsible to the AIAI. Council thought that before making any decision, they should first consult with Mr. Norman Lickers, former Six Nations Councillor and now serving on the Board of Directors of the AIAI. Mr. Lickers has already done some research on claims and treaties.



Chief Councillor Isaac told Council that he had already spoken to Mr. Lickers who said that he would be available to help the researchers. Councillor Burnham said that if Mr. Lickers was willing to help, they might speak to him about accepting the position. Councillor Henhawk said that if the position paid enough, he might take it. Council passed a resolution to postpone their decision for one month in order to obtain more information concerning the position available.