In attendance: Mr. T. R. L. MacInnes, Secretary, Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa. Also Mr. N. E. Lickers, Barrister.

Mr. Telford Adams, Sarnia, Ontario, representing Southwestern Ontario Indians called. He read a brief and retired.

Mr. Lickers filed a brief dated 3rd May, 1947, on behalf of the Grand General Indian Council of Ontario, signed by Mr. H. B. Williams, President and Mr. Wallace Soney, Secretary. (For text see appendix FJ.)

Mr. William Smith, Hagersville, Ontario, Assistant Secretary, Six Nations "Iroquois" Confederacy, called. He made a statement and retired.

Chief William Pine, Garden River Indian Reserve, Ontario, was not in attendance when called.

Delegates of the Elected Council of the Six Nations Reserve called and questioned. The following were in attendance: Mr. Joseph C. Hill, Ohsweken, Ontario; Mr. Reginald Hill, Ohsweken, Ontario; Mr. Enos Maracle, Ohsweken, Ontario; Mr. James Martin, Ohsweken, Ontario; Mr. Herbert Jamieson, Ohsweken, Ontario; and Mr. Hilton Hill, Middleport, Ontario.

The Committee adjourned at 10.05 p.m. to meet again Friday, 23rd May, 1947, at 11.00 o'clock a.m.

T. L. McEVOY, Clerk of the Committee.