

Grange Conference Held At Ophir, Tue.

With seven of the State Grange officers and committee chairmen present, the Grange conference for Curry county was held at Ophir Grange, Tuesday. Those attending from the State Grange were Elmer McClure, state master; Beulah Moore, state lecturer; Bertha J. Beck, state secretary; Mildred Norman, state deputy; Naoma Clark, state juvenile matron; Lucy Gruetzmacher, chairman of the state home economics committee and Oscar Peterson, chairman of the state agriculture committee. The group was accompanied by Mr. Gruetzmacher.

After luncheon served by the Ophir ladies, the afternoon was spent in group discussions, each with a state officer leading the group of his special interest. A dinner was served at six o'clock with the evening program opening at eight o'clock.

Each of the state officers gave talks on their line of work and on Grange work in general.

In his talk, State Master McClure said that the most serious problem facing the farmer today is the need to improve public relations with the consumer. The farmer gets the credit for the high food prices, but if facts were presented to the consumers, they would see that retail prices they pay in the store are made up mostly of costs added to the original purchase from the farmer, and that in reality the farmers' share was usually the smallest part of the cost. As an illustration he used pound and a half loaf of bread which costs in the neighborhood of 24c, of this amount the wheat grower gets but 2 1/4c for the wheat going into the finished product. The various steps in between make up the remainder of the cost to consumer.

Miss Bertha J. Beck, who is retiring after being State Grange

secretary for the past 32 years, spoke on the "Grange Way of Doing Things."

Skits and songs were interspersed with talks, the most enjoyed being a minstrel, "Socks and Soap," put on by two Sixes Grangers. The evening program was concluded by instruction in floor work by State Grange Deputy Mildred Norman. The group remained in the county for a similar meeting Wednesday.

O. C. A. Will Draw Several From Here

A delegation of Oregon Coast Association members from Curry County, including Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Grayshel, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Pete J. Lesmeister and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Goetz, will attend the Association's annual convention at Hotel Gearhart, Gearhart, Ore., October 28, 29 and 30, and participate in the business and social sessions.

The delegation will hear a well rounded program of tourist promotion, highway safety and improvement, fish and game problems, and related subjects. Scheduled to speak are Gov. Douglas McKay, Charles F. Bollinger, assistant director, Accident Prevention division, Industrial Accident Commission, Salem; and Carl Jordan of the Oregon State Travel Information department, Salem. Tours to points of interest and special entertainment are being arranged by the Clatsop county hosts.

The Week In Washington, D. C.

HARRIS ELLSWORTH, M.C.

Just about everybody, including the majority leadership of the house, was surprised and stunned by the rejection of the first conference report on the new tax

bill by a smashing majority of 204 to 157. I have heard and read in newspapers the various "post mortems" and analyses of reasons for the unexpected negative vote but think most of them overlooked the real underlying reason why so many members voted "No."

Of course the sudden appearance of violent objections to the conference report by the CIO was very effective and surely changed or influenced many administration votes. However, I think there was a much deeper reason for the adverse action. When the house passed the tax bill June 22nd, there was the hope, if not belief, that by curtailing appropriation requests and raising some additional tax revenue, we could hold down the amount of the deficit. Soon after that, however, the Defense Department came up with a request for construction money which, with one "pork barrel" bite, would wipe out the total revenue to be raised by the new tax bill. The military people with the approval of the president said that expenditure was "vital to the national defense". Maybe so. Surely, members of congress were not able to dispute the military experts on that point, no matter what we privately thought about it.

Shortly after the house passed the tax bill, it also became apparent that appropriations were not going to be cut very much. So by the time the house was to make its final vote on the tax bill—on October 16—the spenders had appropriated more money over and above the fantastically high annual budget than the new tax bill would raise. I think it seemed to be the members who said "No" on this final vote that the only possible hope of slowing up the spenders is to refuse to levy additional taxes. At least, that is the way I felt about it.

To keep posted on city affairs,

read the Pilot weekly on the council proceedings, and be sure to clip and save all ordinances as they are passed. By so doing

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JUICE, No. 2 tins 14c

Old South Grapefruit—can 14c
JUICE, No. 2 tins, 7 for \$1.00

Old South ORANGE—4 for \$1.05
JUICE, 46-oz. tins 28c

Old South (sections)—can 21c
GRAPEFRUIT, No. 2 cans 5 for \$1.00

Del Monte—per can, 17c
PUMPKIN, 2 1/2 tins, 3 for 49c

Del Monte Seedless—4-lb. package, 17c
RAISINS, 2-lb. pkg. 35c

Del Monte
CURRENTS, 8-oz. pkg. . . . 15c

Sweet Apple
CIDER, gallon 97c

All Brands—2 lbs. \$1.77
COFFEE, lb. 89c

Golden State
MILK, 8 tall cans \$1.00

Nature's own sweetening
HONEY, 5-lb. tins 89c

Mission String—per can, 17c
BEANS,, 303 cans, 6 for \$1.00

Del Monte—3 cans, 55c
CORN, 303 cans 19c

Del Haven Grated Light Meat
TUNA, 1/2s 25c

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SMOKED PICNICS, lb. . . . 55c

Swift's Premium—for baking or slicing
Boneless Daisy Cottages, lb. 93c

Armours or Morrell, by the piece only
SLAB BACON, lb. 59c

Also Pan-Ready Milk-fed Fryers, 2-3-lb. av.