

J. Stanley Stauffer Is Appointed Deputy Master

By Mrs. Charles McSparran
Lancaster Farming Staff Writer

Lancaster County Pomona Grange #71 held a dinner meeting last Saturday evening at Rhoads Spanish Restaurant, Quarryville with 70 Grangers in attendance. During the business session in charge of the Master Charles G. McSparran, the Master of the Penna. State Grange, A. Wayne Readinger, presented J. Stanley Stauffer Jr., Quarryville R1, with his sash as the newly appointed Deputy State Master for Lancaster County replacing Melvin C. Boyce who served for the past several years. Mrs. Stauffer will serve as the Junior Grange Deputy in the county.

The Pomona Grange adopted four resolutions as follows: (1) WHEREAS, Taxation is increasing much faster than farm income or the income of the average taxpayer. And WHEREAS, It is resulting in a sharp decrease in the number of family sized farms and causing a real

hardship on the average taxpayer. And WHEREAS, We already have a 6% sales tax, a 1% wage tax, very high school and county taxes and numerous hidden taxes. And WHEREAS, We believe that the time has come to start practicing some economy in government. Be it Resolved, That Lancaster County Pomona Grange #71, meeting in regular session, go on record as opposing a state income tax or any other tax that would increase the tax burden of the average taxpayer.

(2) WHEREAS, A very small percentage of college students, generally Communist inspired, has disrupted the education of the balance of college students on our college campuses by fostering demonstrations, destroying college property and seizure of college facilities. And WHEREAS, Such demonstrations and seizures take from all students a portion of the very thing that they paid to receive, a first class education. Be it RE-



J. STANLEY STAUFFER JR., Quarryville R1, (left) receives his sash as the newly appointed Deputy State Master For Lancaster County from A. Wayne Readinger, Mastor of the Pennsylvania State Grange. The presentation was made last Saturday evening at a dinner meeting held in Rhoads Spanish Restaurant, Quarryville. L. F. Photo

SOLVED, That Lancaster Pomona Grange #71 go on record favoring legislation making it a criminal offense to seize or occupy college property contrary to wishes of college officials and further urge that such students be expelled from said college.

(3) WHEREAS, The bill to allow Sunday sale of intoxicating beverages in restaurants was defeated largely by the efforts of our Representative and Brother Sherman Hill, And WHEREAS, The automobile traffic on Sundays is greater than the other days of the week, the sale of intoxicants of any kind would greatly increase the accident toll. And WHEREAS, We consider the Sabbath day a time for rest and spiritual refreshment. Be it RESOLVED, That Lancaster County Pomona Grange commend Brother Hill for his effort to defeat said bill. And be it further RESOLVED, That we continue to oppose such legislation.

(4) WHEREAS, An effort has been made to legalize the sale of beer and ale in grocery stores. And WHEREAS, Where this is done it increases the use of such intoxicants, creating more hazards to all concerned. And WHEREAS, It would make it easier to obtain by those not legally entitled to buy it. Be it RESOLVED, That Lancaster County Pomona #71 go on record as being opposed to such legislation.

The resolution committee was composed of Loran Brinton, Colerain Grange, Samuel Groff, Fulton Grange and Ralph Warner, Salisbury Grange.

The Pomona Grange members were invited to participate in Fulton Grange's January 29 tour of the Peach Bottom Atomic Plant and the Feb 18 Chrysler Plant, Newark, Del., tour, both leaving Fulton Grange hall at 7 p.m. Also the scrap paper

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Central Tractor Club

By Jeffrey Risser
News Reporter

The 4-H Central Tractor Club held its first meeting Tuesday, at the Farm and Home Center. The following officers were elected Glenn Kieider, President, James Kilheffer, Secretary, Lynn Royer, Vice President, and Robert Greider, Treasurer. A movie on "Valves and the Cooling System" was shown. The next meeting is January 28 at Landis Bros., in Lancaster.

The leaders for the club are Herbert Royer, Glenn Poiter and Chist Brubaker

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