

In this part of the scavenger hunt, you are going to look at the Grange movement. You need to search “the Grange movement” in Google. As you look at the returns you need to find a .org site for Conner Prairie in Indiana. Use their information to answer the 9 questions below.

1. Please locate and look at the membership counts of the Grange.  
Located near the bottom of the page. What do you notice about the counts? Before you read any of the material can you use knowledge you have learned through notes, lecture and class discussion as to why the membership moved in this direction?  

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2. Who founded the Patrons of Husbandry (top of the page) also known as the Grange? \_\_\_\_\_  

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3. Under “Structure and Membership” what was the Grange’s position on women members? \_\_\_\_\_  

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4. Under “Structure and Membership” what were the two song titles listed as popular Grange songs? \_\_\_\_\_  

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5. The first of the two songs (the shorter of the two) uses illusory language. Please interpret what the theme of the song is.  

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6. In the 2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph of “Social, Economic and Political Activity” the authors discuss the Grange’s approach to politics and what they advocated. Please briefly describe the 3 beliefs they fought for.

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7. In the 4<sup>th</sup> paragraph of “Social, Economic and Political Activity” the authors list several actions that the Grange took to help the membership. Please choose one of these actions and write in detail about the action taking and the effect on Grange members.

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8. Under the section, “The Grange in the 1880’s” we learn that the Grange is losing membership. Among the reasons is the emergence of a new organization. What is the name of this organization and what reasons do the authors give for why members were leaving the Grange and joining this other group? \_\_\_\_\_

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