1970 4-H Leadership Banquet

Frank Portz, assistant state 4 H leader, said at the Farm and Home Center this week that success of the local 4H program depends on local adult 4

Speaker at the 1970 Lancas ter County 4 II Leadership Banquet, Boitz told more than 100 adult leaders, "I'm a real firm believer that the 4-H program cannot exist without people like you - people who believe that the young people today are going to grow up and be great."

Terming 4H the world's largest youth organization with four million members. Bortz said the 4H program is extremely flexible and allows "each of you to do what you see the youth in your community need "

He said 4-H leaders are open ing doors for young people all the time — doors the youths never knew existed

He said 4-H gives youth a chance to use their head, hearts



Frank Bortz



C. Warren Leininger (third from left), Denver RD2, receives a certificate from Max Smith, Lancaster County agricultural agent, for 25 years of service to youth as an adult 4-H leader. Leininger was one of 26 adult lead-

doing" program.

selves," Bortz said.

about 175, including about 100 portant iole of the 4-H teen of Lancaster County's more leader, who speaks the lana primary consideration in defor 4-H activities These young termining the value of a 4-H leaders can help explain 4-H project is what can it do for a and, if given the opportunity, you 4-H leaders are the most on the state level boy or girl?

in working — these should be sorts of vitality'

and hands and is a "leain by the results of 4-H, Bortz said

The 4-H project in the indivi- people at the best time — when dual locality "can be anything "they're full of questions" that young people want to do so and in an informal atmosphere special recognition long as they want to do it them- conducive to helping them "learn by doing'

Speaking to an audience of Boitz also emphasized the imby or girl? "can do much for each other important part of our program, Helping youth attain a sense and for us All we have to say next to the 4-H'ers themselves" of responsibility and have pride is 'go to it' and they have all

ers receiving special recognition at a banquet Tuesday night. Looking on are the two new Lancaster County 4-H Queens, Kim Hess (left) of Strasburg RD1 and Carol Huss of New Holland.

He noted that 4-H gets young adult 4-H leaders who have nized served Lancaster County youth Of the 26 receiving special

Max Smith, Lancaster County than 300 4-H leaders, Boitz said guage of young persons eligible presented a certificate and pins the Lancaster County Swine to each of the 26 adults

Many other 4-H leaders, from first year leaders to one who

Earlier in the program, 26 has served 36 years, were recog-

from 5 to 25 years were given recognition, then service totaled 215 years.

Senior leader was C Warren agricultural agent, assisted by Leininger, Denver RD2, who the newly selected 4-H queens, has been a club leader for 25 Carol Huss of New Holland and years Leininger is a well Kim Hess of Strasburg RD1, known swine producer active in Producer's Assn He has won Smith said, "We still feel that numerous awards for his swine

> Edgar Porter, Washington Boro RD1, was recognized for 20 years of 4-H leadership Carl (Continued on Page 22)

Two Get American Farmer Degrees

is one of the highest national FFA advisor standing leadership ability and family accomplishment in developing a (Lancaster Faiming recently productive farm operation

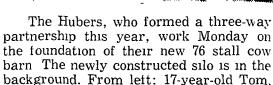
Both young men are partners can Farmer degree In addition,

Solanco FFA Chapter has two in family enterprises centering members who are slated to re- around Holstein cows and both ceive the American Farmer De- have exerted strong influence in giee at Kansas City next week modernizing the tarm operation, The American Farmer Degree according to Bill Fredd, Solanco

awards an individual FFA mem- Both men are 20 years old ber can receive Only about one LeFevie is single Hubei, mar-FFA member for each 1,000 ned to a former classmate, members nationally receive the Carol Holloway, eight weeks ago award, which recognizes out-added a daughter to his young

cairied stories and photos of a The American Farmers from third Lancaster County FFA Solanco are Preston LeFevre Jr member, Robert Lee Weaver, a and James S Huber, Peach Bot- 21-year-old Strasburg RD1 farmei, who will also get the Ameii





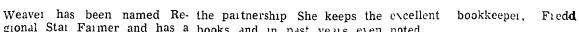
Both Are Partners

men with being a vital part of mentary procedure team, is an

gional Stai Faimer and has a books and in past years even noted chance at Kansas City for FFA's helped the family through some Both families-to make room highest award, Star Farmer of rough times by handling the for the energies and ideas of its

LeFevie recalled partnership with his father, three-way partnership with his erations Preston, since 1966 when the father, David S, and younger young man was a juniol in high brother Tom, 17 Jim, who

the elder David S and 20-year-old Jim. who has been named to receive the highest national FFA degree, American Farmer, next week.



tractor out in the field, the elder active farming members - have been in the process of expansion, LeFevre has been in a 50-50 Huber this year formed a particularly of the dairying op-

Hubers Expand

The Hubers, when visited on school Mrs LeFevie, who re-served as chapter treasurer in their Peach Bottom RD2 farm cently has been recovering from 1967 and was chaplain on Solan-Monday, were busily doing conan illness, was credited by the co's state championship parlia- crete foundation work on their (Continued on Page 23)



The LeFevres, father and son partners, examine some of their freshly harvested corn crop Monday. Their assessment: high yield and good quality, despite diseases.