

Inter-State Milk Producers Cooperative recognized several families in District 12 last week for 25 years of membership. They were, left to

right, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kreider, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Neff, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kreider, Jr.

## Inter-State aims for bigger savings

By DIETER KRIEG
QUARRYVILLE — InterState Milk Producers
Cooperative has a goal of



Dr. James E. Honan

saving \$750,000 this year, compared to \$500,000 annually in previous years. Some of the jump in savings will come as a result of a rise in membership dues, which climbed to 10 cents per hundredweight, effective Jan. 1. They had been eight

cents per hudredweight for the past seven years.

Although the dairy cooperative hasn't yet realized any benefits of the increased deductions, it is evident that Inter-State is in good financial shape, notes Dr. James Honan, general manager and secretary of Inter-State. He made the remark last week at the District 12 membership meeting at the Quarryville Methodist Church.

Statistical information compiled by Inter-State shows that the cooperative is showing gains over comparison periods of the previous year. Marketing costs, for example, are not as great as they were a year ago when markets were flooded with surplus milk.

According to the cooperative's annual meeting report (November, 1978) Inter-State Milk Producers Cooperative boasts \$18 million worth of assets, made up of current value of members' milk and

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Youth awards in District 12 of Inter-State Milk Producers Cooperative were presented to, left to right, Doug Hershberger, Debbie Hershberger, and David Herr. They were recognized for their excellence in project books.



Among those honored last week for 25 years of membership in District 12 of Inter-State Milk Producers Cooperative were, left to right, Mr. and

Mrs. Hayes Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Herr, Ken Rutt, and Amos Rutt. Also recognized, but not present for the picture, was Mrs. Martha B. Herr.

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