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185 Larry L Boyer Aprıl Bea Betty	5-0 4-0 4-0	14,610 17,479 21,734	37 36 30	540 621 659
83 94 106 19 R 140 80 R 13	5-2 4-7 3-3 3-5 3-0 2-1 2-2	17,037 20,167 16,024 16,881 14,488 11,180 12,716 15,066	37 33 40 38 36 47 43 38	628 667 638 638 515 529 552 573
Arthur Brandt Eagle Pam Elwillo Farms	8-0 5-6	17,048 16,405	33 35	558 570
62 102 Donald Miller Deemar 50	3-9 2-2 10-8	15,290 13,707 15,300	40 44 37	617 605 568
Earl Campbell 131 66	3-7 3-9	13,715 16,339	48 34	656 552
Great View Farms Hope Jill Mona Ballet Hilda	5-0 4-1 4-8 4-4 2-4	19,940 13,204 18,632 14,031 15,736	35 39 34 38 33	692 510 627 533 517
Franklin G Wagner Lucille Olive Pat Comet	7-10 6-5 8-10 3-6	16,068 14,445 18,074 15,403	37 35 44 37	592 506 788 573
Lauden Farms 101 114	3-0 2-10	17,425 18,819	33 37	574 691
Edgar Hoffman Pegmar Lavina Otto	5 11 3-3	18,634 14,922	32 37	602 549



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## Eastern produces most milk in past 16 years

SYRACUSE, N.Y. -Eastern Milk Producers Cooperative announced Thursday it has manufactured nearly a quarter billion pounds of milk during the months of March through June, 1980.

This is due to the tremendous production of milk this spring, reportedly, the highest in 16 years, the Co-op said.

Howard McDonald, **General Manager of Eastern** Milk Producers, a 4000 member dairy Cooperative based in Syracuse, New York, stated that Eastern's Grover, Pa. plant and the Eastern-Leprino plants at Waverly and Horseheads, New York, manufactured over 10 percent of all milk used for that purpose in the New York-New Jersey Federal Milk Marketing Order 2.

McDonald said the 249.8 million pound (12.5 percent) increase in Class II (manufactured milk) disposition since 1978, in Order 2, represents the total production of about 1,160 averaged size milk producers. It also closely represents the amount of

milk manufactured by Eastern this Spring.

If 40 percent of the 2.3 billion pounds of Class II milk in 1980 represents milk for which no current market exists, it represents the marketings of 4185 average size producers, noted the Coop leader. This provides a rough indication of the number of producers for which no commercial market would exist at current over-production levels in the absence of the facilities owned by Cooperatives on this market. he said.

Although there has been some controversy over the building of the Waverly and Horseheads mozzarella cheese plants through a joint venture between Eastern and Leprino Foods, this Spring's over-production of milk has proven the necessity of these facilities, observed McDonald.

"Without them and without Eastern, a lot of dairymen would have been without a market and prices paid to dairymen would have been depressed substantially, from the prevailing levels", he concluded.

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