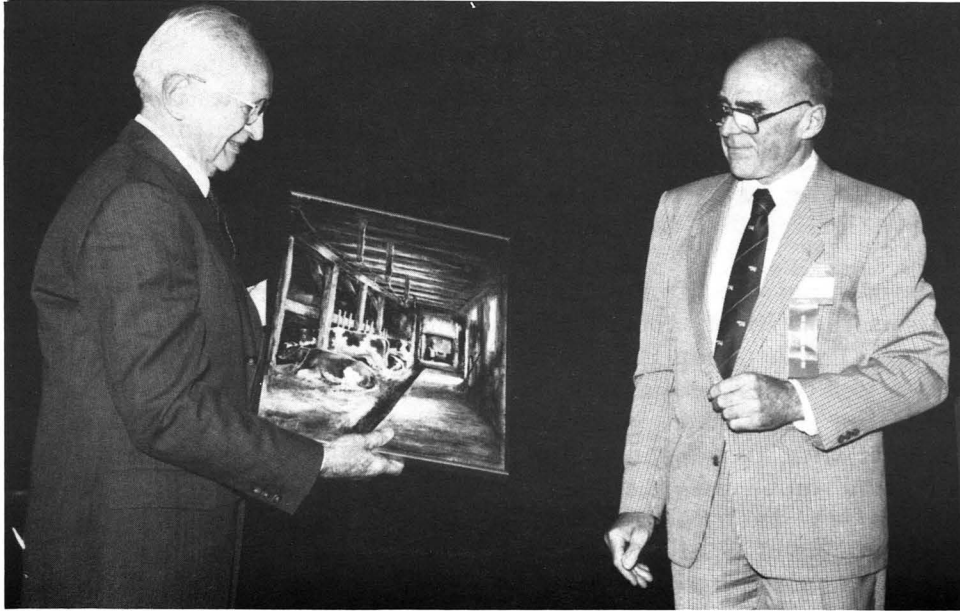


# Dr. Amstutz Receives Rosenberger Award



*Dr. Amstutz (left), AABP executive vice president, receives the Gustav Rosenberger Memorial Award from Dr. Stöber.*

**At the Opening Ceremony on Monday evening, August 31, Dr. Harold E. Amstutz was awarded the Gustav Rosenberger Memorial Award.**

The Award was established in 1982 by "Geneeskunde van het Rund" within the Dutch Veterinary Association following the World Veterinary Association for Buiatrics Congress in Amsterdam. It is a memorial to Prof. Dr. Gustav Rosenberger, Hannover, Germany, one of the founders of WAB and who served as Secretary-Treasurer of the organization for many years. He was a long time Director of the Hannover Veterinary School Cattle Clinic and was the author of several books and clinical papers on cattle diseases.

The Rosenberger Award is presented during the WAB Congress, every two years, to a recipient from the host country for outstanding contribution to veterinary science as a clinician or administrator.

Dr. Amstutz is currently Executive Vice President of the AABP having served as Secretary-Treasurer and later Executive Secretary for over 25 years. A native of Barrs Mill, Ohio, he received the B.S. degree in Agriculture from the Ohio State University in 1942 and the D.V.M. degree from the same institution in 1945. After a short time in private practice in Orrville, Ohio he became an Instructor in

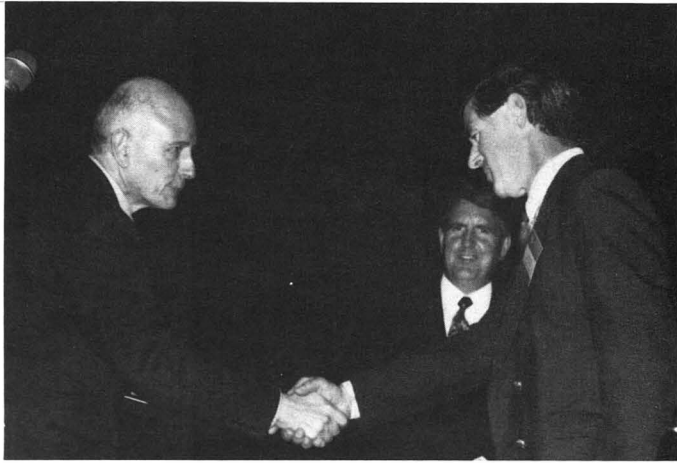
veterinary medicine at his alma mater, rising to the rank of Professor in 1957. He became Professor and Head, Department of Veterinary Clinics at Purdue University in 1961, and later the Large Animal Clinic. He retired in 1989.

Dr. Amstutz is the author and co-author of several clinical and research publications on cattle diseases, the editor of *Bovine Medicine and Surgery* textbook and a contributor and reviewer of *Merck Manual*. He has presented numerous papers on bovine medicine and surgery at state, national and international meetings.

Dr. Amstutz was President of the World Association for Buiatrics from 1972 until 1984 and is now Honorary President and serves on the Executive Board. He was the organizer of the 6th World Association for Buiatrics Congress at Philadelphia in 1970. He is a Past President of the American Association of Veterinary Clinicians and was the first President of the American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine of which he is a Diplomate.

Prof. Dr. M. Stöber, Hannover, Germany presented the Award which consisted of a proclamation and an "object d'art" - a printed picture of a traditional Dutch cow barn.

# 1992 Pfizer Award



*Dr. Jacques Espinasse (left) World Association for Buiatrics president, presents Dr. Joe Brownlie with the Pfizer Award.*

The 1992 Pfizer Award was presented to Dr. Joe Brownlie, Compton, England. Dr. Julian Gee, Vice President, Products and Technical Services, Pfizer Animal Health introduced the award which consisted of a plaque and \$10,000, the recipient being selected by the WAB Board of Directors and international specialist referees. The Award is presented every two years, for outstanding contribution to the advancement of knowledge on the origin and treatment of bovine diseases caused by microorganisms.

Dr. Brownlie is Principal Veterinary Research Officer at the Institute for Animal Health at Compton. Since 1946, when Cornell University workers first described a viral diarrhea in cattle, mucosal disease has remained one of the great

enigmas of veterinary science. A major breakthrough came in 1984 when Dr. Brownlie published his work on the experimental reproduction of mucosal disease. He reported on a number of field outbreaks and examined the clinical, virological and immunological basis for the disease, proposing a hypothesis which he subsequently tested and proved to be correct and confirmed by other researchers.

Dr. Brownlie has shown that, although both biotypes of bovine virus diarrhea (BVD) virus are intimately associated with production of mucosal disease, the BVD virus biotypes have different biological roles. He has shown the unique association of the noncytopathogenic biotype with persistent viremia which contrasts to the failure of the cytopathogenic virus to infect the fetus. He has then continued his work to show the exquisite precision of the tolerised immune system to recognize other "heterologous" BVD isolates. His group was the first to show the expression of the 80 K protein in the cytopathogenic viruses and this has been part of the basis for the molecular understanding of the two biotypes. In 1989, he was the first to report at a meeting in Liège, the incorporation of host ubiquitin into the pestivirus genome. His work is now directed at both the pathogenesis of this disease and the impact of the virus on the early fetus.

The natural development of this research has lead Dr. Joe Brownlie to develop a vaccine to protect cattle against BVD virus. The vaccine, currently under commercial development, has shown good protection for the calf against BVD virus challenge. It is being further examined for its ability to protect against *in utero* infection.



## Safe Arrival!

*Mr. Rudy Bittle, President, Frontier Printers, shows a copy of the Proceedings to Drs. Allenstein and Amstutz on arrival at the Convention Center. Mr. Bittle had brought 1500 copies by road from Stillwater, OK (750 miles journey) to ensure safe delivery.*



# AABP Amstutz — Williams Award



*Dr. Matthew Stöber (center) receives the Amstutz-Williams Award from Drs. Harold Amstutz (left) and Leland Allenstein*

**The AABP Amstutz-Williams Award reached international dimensions at the St. Paul Congress when it was presented to Prof. Dr. Matthew Stöber, Hannover, Germany who is undoubtedly one of Europe's most distinguished bovine clinicians.**

The Award was established by the AABP in 1986 to recognize individuals who have given services beyond the call of duty to the Association and the veterinary profession. The Award is only presented periodically when a suitable recipient is nominated and approved by the awards committee. It was named in honor of Dr. Harold E. Amstutz who has served as Secretary-Treasurer (now Executive Vice President) for over 25 years and Dr. Eric I. Williams, the AABP editor for over 20 years who were the first recipients.

Prof. Dr. Stöber received the award from Dr. Amstutz who eulogized his outstanding career. He was born in Hirschberg, Silesia and received his elementary and high school education in Neustadt, Black Forest. In 1944 he was called up for military service. After his discharge in 1946 he finished his high school in 1947. He proceeded to study medicine at the University of Freiburg, Germany, but after a year he had to leave to earn money by working as a coal miner and woodcutter. From 1949 to 1953 he studied veterinary medicine in Hannover and finished in 1954 at the École Nationale Vétérinaire d'Alfort, France and received the Docteur en Médecine Vétérinaire degree. He passed the German examination for veterinarians and started his career at the Hannover Cattle Clinic in 1955. He succeeded Prof. Dr. Gustav Rosenberger as head of

the cattle clinic in the early 1970s.

Prof. Dr. Stöber has published over 200 scientific articles and was co-author and co-editor of *Diseases of Cattle* and *Clinical Examination of Cattle* edited by Prof. Dr. Rosenberger. He developed several new methods for the examination and treatment of cattle as well as new instruments. He speaks German, French, Spanish and English.

Prof. Dr. Stöber served as Secretary of the World Association for Buiatrics from 1977 to 1988. He was the German representative (serving as Secretary or Head) on several committees of the European Community in Brussels as well as for the World Veterinary Association. He served on the Veterinary Research Council of the Netherlands.

Prof. Dr. Stöber received the Medal of Honor from the University of Liège, Belgium, the Veterinary Association of Bologna, Italy and the École Nationale Vétérinaire d'Alfort. He is an Honorary Member of the French, Italian and Israeli Associations for Buiatrics. He visited the United States as a Distinguished Foreign Scholar of the Mid America State Universities Association. Prof. Dr. Stöber is an Honorary Associate of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons, London, and was bestowed the Honorary Doctor Medicinae Veterinariae honores causa by the University of Breslau, Poland and the University of Liège, Belgium.

Prof. Dr. Stöber and his wife, Hannelore, have three children and enjoy their holidays at their cottage in the Vosges walking and doing handicrafts. He retired in September of this year.

# 1992 Bovine Practitioner of the Year



*Dr. Jenks Britt (right) receives the AABP Bovine Practitioner-of-the-Year Award from Dr. George Hausman of Syntex Animal Health, Inc.*

**Dr. Jenks S. Britt, Russellville, Kentucky is the 1992 Bovine Practitioner of the Year.**

*The Award, presented by Syntex Animal Health, Inc. was initiated by Diamond Laboratories in 1979. It was established to honor an individual who has built his professional life on providing the highest quality of service to his clients and their animals, contributes to the advancement of the veterinary profession and his fellow practitioners and balances that with the same degree of commitment and devotion to his family and his community.*

The Award was presented by AABP President Gordon Atkins who stated:

“This year’s award winner is so well known in AABP that my challenge is to conceal his identity past the first paragraph. He is one of those amazing individuals whose extremely busy practice has not prevented his outstanding contributions to AABP both as an organizer and a presenter. We have admired and benefitted from his leadership in AABP and are proud to have him as a colleague in this great profession.

Our recipient was raised on a dairy farm near Bowling Green, and his roots are deeply embedded in the dairy industry. His love for dairy cattle began early in life as he purchased his first

heifer calf at the age of 10 years. This venture began his long and distinguished career in 4-H. His efforts were recognized in 1961 as he was named to the State Dairy Judging Team which went on to win the national championship.

In 1963 he was selected a delegate to the 4-H Club Congress in Chicago and delegate to the 33rd National Conference in Washington, D.C. Throughout his school years he continued milking cows on the family farm and developed the expertise in judging, pedigree evaluation, and dairy management which would later become an asset for his clients and his profession. He continued these activities into college where he was selected as a member of the Kentucky State Judging Team.

Our awardee received his Bachelor of Science degree from Western Kentucky University in 1966 and went on to receive his DVM from Auburn University in 1970. He was honored with the Upjohn Award as the most outstanding senior in large animal medicine and also the Davis Award for the most outstanding senior in combined large and small animal medicine. Upon graduation he worked as an associate veterinarian for two years and then in 1972 became a partner and co-owner of Logan County Animal Clinic. He served in this position until 1986 when he became the owner of

Animal Health Management Services and Bov-Eq Embryo Transfer. During this time our recipient's interest and involvement in the dairy business led him to the position of partner and co-owner of J&W Dairy Farm.

This award winner's contribution to organized veterinary medicine through the positions held on state and national associations is truly remarkable. In the time available I simply cannot do justice to these accomplishments, however, I would like to recognize a few of the highlights.

He is a member of the National Mastitis Council and has served on their program committee.

He is a certified member of the American Embryo Transfer Society and served on their board of directors and as program chairman for a national meeting.

He is a member of the AVMA and served on the task force on Extra Label Drug Usage.

He is a member and director of the Kentucky Holstein Cattle Club and is also a member of the American Holstein Association, the Society for Theriogenology, and the Academy of Veterinary Nutrition.

Finally, he has served as a member, a director, and ultimately as President of AABP.

In addition to all of these accomplishments our award winner has a list as long as your arm of lectures and presentations delivered to state and specialty veterinary organizations, universities, breed associations, dairymen and feed companies.

His commitment to continuing education is outstanding and it is noteworthy that he has attended 19 AABP national meetings and is a graduate or instructor for almost all the specialty seminars on quality milk, embryo transfer, and nutrition.

Although all these activities sound like a full time job, our recipient also conducts a very busy herd health practice across several states as well as a very active ET practice. He is well respected for his expertise in reproductive management, nutrition, and mastitis control.

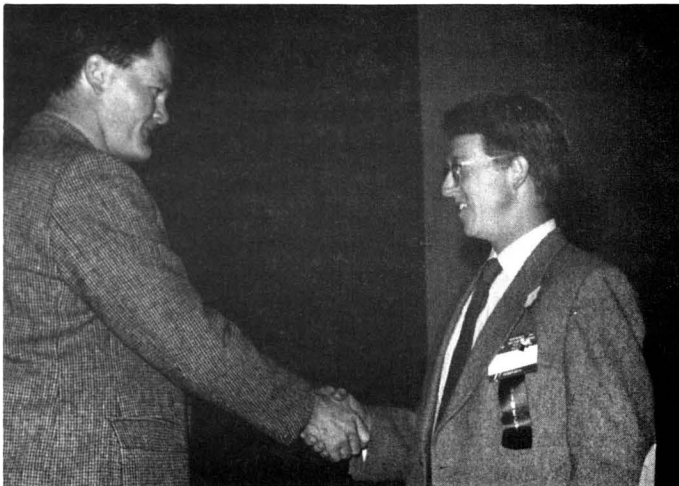
My conclusion is that he is either an incredible time manager or he never sleeps!

Our recipient has served his community and family with the same commitment with which he has served his profession. He is a member of the Russellville/Logan County Chamber of Commerce, a past member of the DHIA Association, a past president of the Ag Council and the Russellville Jaycees and a past chairman of the Board of the United Methodist Temple. He and his wife Kathy have three sons, David - 22, Andrew - 18, and Matthew - 15.

Despite our award winner's hectic schedule, he and Kathy have become avid football fans supporting David and Andrew at Navy and the University of Kentucky, respectively.

Ladies and Gentlemen, please join with me in honoring the 1992 Syntex Animal Health AABP Bovine Practitioner of the Year, from Russellville, Kentucky, Dr. Jenks S. Britt."

## AABP Research Assistantship Award



*Dr. Francis Taylor (left) receives the AABP Research Assistantship Award from Dr. Stephen Wadsworth, selection committee chairman.*

This Award of \$10,000 is presented annually to a practitioner or a graduate degree student to

support relevant research in bovine medicine and management. The Award is judged on academic qualification and experience, relevance to the concerns of private practice and the cattle industry, site suitability for the proposed research, methodology and scientific merit, budget, clarity of objectives and probability of project completion.

The 1992 recipient is Dr. Francis Taylor, Department of Medicine and Theriogenology, Western College of Veterinary Medicine, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada. The title of his project is "The Association Between Virological and Serological Evidence of Bovine Virus Diarrhea Virus (BVDV) Infection and Disease in a Western Canadian Feedlot".

The Award was presented at the Plenary Session on Tuesday morning, September 1 to Dr. Taylor by Dr. Steve Wadsworth, Selection Committee Chairman.

# AABP Distinguished Service Award



*Dr. David McClary (left), AABP past president, presents Dr. Lawrence Hutchinson with the AABP Distinguished Service Award.*

The 1992 recipient of the AABP Distinguished Service Award was Dr. Lawrence J. Hutchinson, College Park, Pennsylvania.

AABP Past President David McClary presented the award, stating that selection criteria included a career of self-commitment to excellence in bovine medicine as evidenced by conscientious involvement in the affairs of AABP, demonstrated leadership in keeping organized veterinary medicine abreast of the times, and peer recognition as an effective spokesman for bovine practitioners.

This year's recipient received his BS from Penn State University in 1959, and his DVM from

Cornell in 1962. Following graduation he practiced in Vermont, New York and Pennsylvania. In 1976 he accepted a position as Associate Professor of Veterinary Science at Penn State University. He was promoted to Full Professor of Veterinary Science in 1984, a position he currently holds. He has authored and co-authored a number of Referred Journal articles, key publication articles, and extension materials. He has organized and conducted numerous C.E. courses for producers and veterinarians in his extension position.

Because of his distinguished record in C.E., AABP asked him to serve as C.E. Chairman, a position he held for five years with the organization. Perhaps his most significant and challenging C.E. effort is his work in organizing and production medicine certifying program in Pennsylvania similar to the program established at Guelph by Dr. Ken Leslie. Our winner has won a number of awards including the Penn. Dairymen's Assoc. Extension Award in 1988; American Association of Extension Veterinarians - Extension Veterinarian of the Year and Penn. Veterinary Medical Associations - Penn. Veterinarian of the Year - again in 1988 - obviously very significant and productive years for our winner.

Perhaps a key point mentioned by a supporter of this year's winner's nomination was - "He has moved extensions away from the individual farm and individual farmer to a more organized general education incorporating the veterinarian and the producers".

## Appreciation

The AABP and the WAB thank all the commercial organizations for their generous financial support of this Congress.

Exhibitors have always made major contributions to the success of our meetings and we thank them for their continued support.

*Five of the awards are donated annually by the following organizations:*

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Special thanks are extended to the following commercial organizations for their response to our requests for assistance to meet the extra financial needs of this Congress:

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# MSD AGVET AABP Awards for Excellence in Preventive Veterinary Medicine

Sponsored by MSD AGVET division of Merck and Co. Inc. the awards recognize member practitioners who have developed outstanding veterinary medicine programs for their clients in beef or dairy practice. Each award consists of a \$1500 Scholarship Contribution by MSD AGVET in the name of the recipient to his/her Veterinary College of choice and a specially designed bronze plaque in bas-relief.

## Dairy Award



*Dr. John Ferry and his wife, receiving the AABP Award for Excellence in Veterinary Preventive Medicine from Dr. Jay Brown.*

**The 1992 recipient of the award in dairy preventive medicine was Dr. John Ferry, Belleville, New York. The award was presented by Dr. Jay Brown, MSD AGVET representative and Dr. Darrel Johnson.**

Dr. Ferry is a 1977 graduate of the New York State College of Veterinary Medicine, Cornell University. He is the owner of four veterinarian mixed practice in Adams, Jefferson County, New York. All of Dr. Ferry's time is dedicated to the bovine portion of the practice. He is an innovative leader in the area of production medicine and an avid proponent of client education. His practice style emphasizes comprehensive records analysis, a thorough knowledge of all aspects of the farm enterprise coupled with a more traditional "herd health" program. He is committed to providing those services to his clients that will not only allow them to survive but to prosper in the dairy industry.

Dr. Ferry has authored a veterinary column in *AMERICAN AGRICULTURALIST* since 1983. His articles are timely, informative, and sometimes controversial. They make people think. He has covered subjects that include mastitis control, replacement heifer management and herd profitability. He has also addressed such issues as animal welfare, drug residues and quality assurance. *Dairy Today*, *Successful Farming*, *Agri-Practice* and *DVM Magazine* have also published his articles and letters. A dairy production management paper written by Dr. Ferry was recently published in the *Compendium on Continuing Education*.

Producer and veterinary groups alike have placed Dr. Ferry in great demand as a speaker. He addressed the AABP Conference in Orlando and was a featured speaker at the 1992 Eastern States Veterinary Conference. He was a speaker at the AABP meeting in St. Paul and the Dairy Production Medicine Meeting in Raleigh, NC. Production medicine and herd profitability are areas of expressed interest of Dr. Ferry's and he has addressed local veterinary groups on these subjects in Wisconsin, New York, Vermont and Massachusetts. Dr. Ferry has been, and is scheduled to speak to producer groups throughout the northeast. He has not limited himself to speaking on herd management and production issues but has also addressed more controversial issues. In 1990 he was a featured speaker at an Animal Rights Forum sponsored by the NYS Senate Dairy Commission and he testified at a hearing concerned with BST called for by the National Institute of Health. Dr. Ferry shares his knowledge and expertise with colleagues willingly and cheerfully.

In addition to retaining membership in the AVMA, the National Mastitis Council and the Central NY Veterinary Medical Society, Dr. Ferry is a member of the Board of Directors of the Empire State Mastitis Council and serves on the Food Animal Production Committee and Public Relations

Committee of the New York State Veterinary Medical Society. He is currently chairman of the Ruminant Health and Nutrition Conference Committee of the NYSVMS and is serving as chair of the bovine program for the NYSVMS annual meeting in 1992.

In the area of public service, Dr. Ferry is a member of the advisory committee for the Northern New York Agriculture Project, serves on the Dairy Committee of the New York State Farm Bureau, and is a member of the Agriculture Awareness Committee of Cornell Cooperative Extension of Jefferson County. This committee promotes agriculture on a local level. Pro-Dairy is a state wide program designed to enhance dairy production

and profitability. Dr. Ferry has taught many of the Pro-Dairy courses and assisted in many other local cooperative extension efforts. A \$250 scholarship provided by Dr. Ferry is awarded to a local student attending a two-year Agricultural and Technical College in New York. He has provided this assistance to and recognition of deserving students since 1982.

Dr. Ferry's family includes his wife, Tracy, daughters Brena age 10, Elizabeth age 8, and son Daniel, age 4. He is a member of St. Cecelia's Church in Adams, a member of the Knights of Columbus, and a teacher for the Rite of Christian Initiation for adults.

## Beef Award



*Dr. Craig Rowan, accompanied by his wife, accepts the Award for Excellence .*

### **The 1992 Beef Program Award was presented to Dr. Craig Rowan, Weiser, Idaho.**

Dr. Rowan graduated from the University of Pennsylvania in 1948. He established a veterinary practice in Weiser, Idaho that same year and is still in practice there after 44 years. Dr. Rowan has been in practice longer than any veterinarian now in the state of Idaho.

Dr. Rowan made some of the first diagnoses of hog cholera and some diseases involving turkeys in the Northwest. He has been practicing preventive

medicine in beef and dairy cattle for many years - vaccinating to prevent disease in weaner calves and feedlot cattle and pregnancy examining thousands of cattle in Idaho and Oregon every year. Many cattle breeders have routinely hauled cattle for hundreds of miles for Dr. Rowan to make a diagnosis and treatment of the existing problem. He started doing surgical embryo transplants in beef cattle in 1973 and continues to do non-surgical embryo collections and transplants.

The clinic is now a 5-person practice and heavily involved in beef cattle. In addition, Dr. Rowan has helped train over a hundred veterinary students from Washington State, Colorado State, Michigan State, and Wisconsin as well as foreign students from Israel, Denmark, and Sweden.

Dr. Rowan was named Veterinarian of the Year for Idaho in 1986, and his wife, Tensey, was also Mother of the Year for Idaho the same year. She is also a veterinarian and a graduate of Cornell University, 1953. Together they have raised 6 children; including a lawyer, a medical doctor, an industrial engineer, and an agricultural economist for Simplot, Inc. Dr. and Mrs. Rowan were last year's Grand Marshals for the Annual Weiser, Idaho National Fiddle Festival Parade.

Dr. Rowan and his wife were also instrumental in starting the Mary Kay School for retarded children in Ontario, Oregon and more recently the Treasure Valley Opportunity Workshop for sheltered children which has two group homes and works with 150 clients.

During the last 30 years, Dr. Rowan has raised several breeds of beef cattle and was active in the Western Charolais Association for 19 years. He

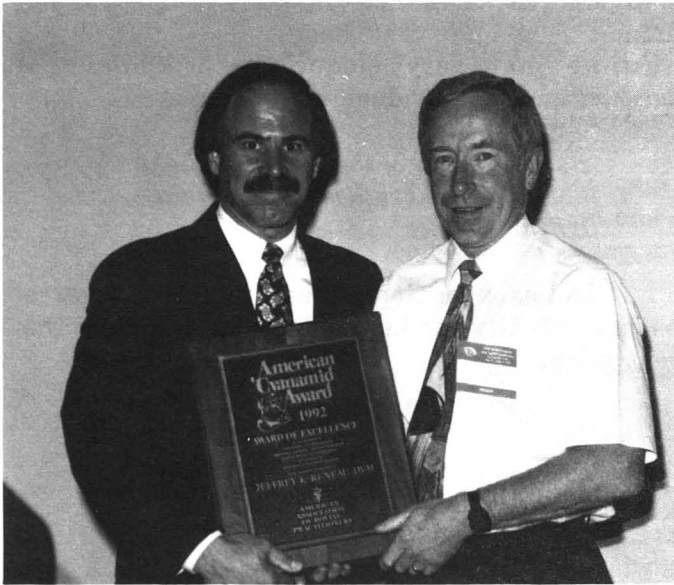


was the Association's president for a period of time. Dr. Rowan was also a consultant for a large export company of exotic cattle in Arkansas for 3 years, travelling to England, France, Ireland, Canada, and Mexico during this time.

**Dr. Duane Mickelsen, in his nomination letter stated, "Dr. and Mrs. Rowan are fine examples of what the veterinary profession is all about."**



## AABP Award of Excellence



*Dr. Jeffrey Reneau (left) receives the American Cyanamid Award of Excellence from Dr. Noel Laing of American Cyanamid.*

**The AABP Award of Excellence, sponsored by American Cyanamid was presented to Dr. Jeffrey K. Reneau, St. Paul, Minnesota.**

AABP President Gordon Atkins, in presenting the award stated:

This year's recipient is one of those talented individuals with a quiet but yet powerful strength as an educator and a specialist in transferring technology from the research setting to practical use by dairyman and veterinarians. His professional career began at the University of New Hampshire where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Dairy Science. After serving with the U.S. Army Medical Service Corps as a clinical lab officer he joined the University of Minnesota where he worked as a research technician and later received his Master of Science degree in Animal Nutrition.

Our recipient continued his academic career

and graduated from the University of Minnesota with his D.V.M. in 1976. He then entered private veterinary practice until 1979 when he returned to the University of Minnesota as an assistant professor of Animal Science and finally professor of Animal Science in 1989.

It is evident from his resume that our award winner is a well rounded individual, however, he is also an excellent communicator and serves not only as a liaison between research and practice, but also between veterinary medicine and animal science. He is a model citizen who has contributed in a large way to the formation of close collaboration between Animal Science and the Veterinary College at the University of Minnesota. This person has had a major impact in the establishment of a formal linkage between the departments so that the Department of Animal Science is now an associated department with the Veterinary College facilitating major advantages in the food animal curriculum. His leadership and role model as a veterinarian has made this marriage possible when so many others have ended in divorce.

His contributions to his profession and the dairy industry are well recognized through his active role in both AABP and NMC as well as his leadership in education and technology transfer. He has been a major leader in NMC for many years, chairing numerous committees, authoring several education publications and videotapes and contributing to the overall mission of the National Mastitis Council. As chairman of both the NMC Milk Monitoring Committee and the AABP Mastitis Committee, he has spearheaded the drafting of resolutions calling for the lowering of U.S. somatic cell count standards.

In addition, he has been a key person in designing the Minnesota DHI Somatic Cell Summary Chart which has become a standard throughout the country. More recently our recipient has served as a the leader for the development of Minnesota's Research and Implementation Project on the use of Prostaph on Minnesota dairies, a project

likely to provide a role model for the rest of the nation.

Apart from his academic accomplishments, this individual displays a special skill for speaking to a diverse crowd and being able to make the message meaningful for people of many different levels of understanding. We have all marvelled at his ability to bring enthusiasm to his subject and to impart a unique understanding of the material.

Dr. Reneau has also been a tireless worker for AABP serving as a co-leader of the very popular DHI Records Seminar which has run for five consecutive years as well as presenting numerous papers in the general and split sessions. This combined with his chairmanship of the AABP Mastitis Committee and his involvement in the National Planning Committee of the Milk and Dairy Beef Residue Avoidance Program has earned him great respect from his AABP colleagues and we are proud to have him as part of our profession.

Besides the AABP and NMC, our recipient is also a member of the Minnesota VMA, The AVMA, the American Dairy Science Association, and the Minnesota Sanitarians Association. He is a prolific writer of scientific papers for both refereed journals

and other publications. In addition, he has an impressive list of invited presentations throughout the U.S., Canada, and Mexico.

This outstanding individual has earned the same respect in his community work where he has served for 7 years as State 4-H and FFA Dairy Show and judging contest coordinator. On a more personal note, this award winner is a very accomplished long distance runner and he and his family give high priority to athletics and physical fitness. His sons are involved in intercollegiate wrestling and even though he is considered to be a small man he often gets involved as a sparring partner. A plaque that hangs above the family wrestling mat very eloquently describes the character of this individual — it reads:

*"Its not the size of the dog in the fight that counts, but rather the size of the fight in the dog".*

Ladies and Gentlemen, this is a man of absolute integrity and he is a credit to all of us in this great profession.



## Bovine "Give-Away"

The AABP again sponsored a "Bovine Give-Away" in the form of five \$100 prizes. The event was organized by Dr. Samuel Hutchins III, Exhibits Manager in collaboration with the exhibitors.

The winners and exhibitors who had the winning milk bottles were as follows:

### Winner

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Searcy, AR 72143

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Trenton, NJ 08618



*Dr. Hutchins presents Dr. Tommy Reece with his check.*

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