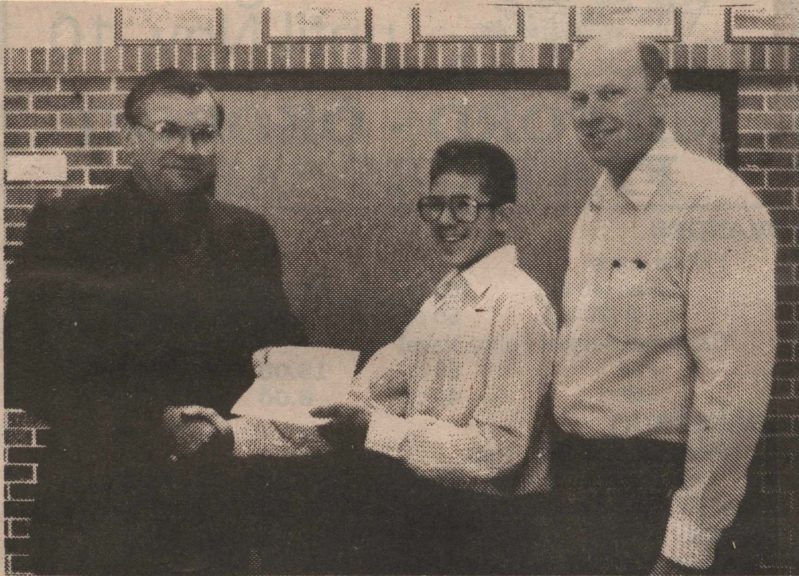




STANTON LETSCHER, center, was the first place winner in the Dickinson County Soil and Water Conservation Essay Contest. The contest was sponsored by the Dickinson County Soil and Water Conservation District, The Grinnell Mutual Reinsurance Company and the Ladies Auxiliary of the Iowa Association of Soil and Water Conservation District Commissioners. The topic for this year's contest was 'My Role as a Youth in Preserving Our Soil and Water'. Presenting him with his prize money, are Jim Rohlfen, left, M-H-R Insurance, and Orville Berg, Dickinson County Soil Conservation commissioner. (Photo by Doris Welle)

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