OUT OF 2 HERDS SELL



ON

THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1978

8:00 P.M. Sharp DST

Sale barn located 5 miles east of Lancaster, 5 miles west of Intercourse, (Rt 340) in Smoketown, Pa. Silent Meadow Farm **Registered Herd Dispersal**

This herd is on D.H.I.A. There are 29 reg. cows - 2 Grade cows and 24 reg. heifers, 4 grade heifers, calves to springers. This is a young herd and good uddered cows. Herd average is 55 lbs. per day, Average age of milking herd is 48 mo. Cows average \$849 over feed cost. Herd average is 14,426 M., 527 F., 3.7 T., on just 7 lbs. of grain and roughage. All heifers are calfhood vacc. and most of the cows. There are 3 Astronaut Daughters. 1 cow in 305 da., 17,600. Born 1-5-73 due July 15 to Elevation. Astronaut Granddaughter with a Kennedy Dam, 2 yrs. old with 1st calf milking and proj. 19,416 M., 4.1 T., bred to Elevation due Nov. 17, safe and milking 50 lbs. Black Eagle born 3-71 good plus, bred to Elevation, due Sept. 16 proj. 13,215-5.1 T for tester. Centurion born Sept. 72 - 296 da. 19,463 M., - just fresh with Astronaut heifer calf milking 85 lbs. for tester. Astronaut G. Daughter born Nov. 72 - fresh milk 100 lbs. per day last year, 305 da. 17,697 M., 735 F. She has 2 daughters selling. 5 cows bred to Astronaut. 3 cows bred to Elevation, 3 bred to Willow Farms Rockman Ivanhoe, 6 daughters to Willow Farms Rockman Ivanhoe, 2 bred to Carnation First Million, 2 bred to Ramson Rail pacemaker, 2 bred to Wittier Farms Apollo Rocket 2 bred to Kanza Brook Matt Carlo. Reg. sires include Paclamar Double Triune, Paclamar Net Profit. Irvin Pride Commander, Arlinda Senator Curtis. Penn Gate Aristocrat, Pudget Sound Expectation, Polytechnic Black Bart, heifer born 12-76, bred to Astronaut, due Sept. Most of these cows are all out of top A.I. Bulls and bred to A.I. Bull studs. Milk records on Dam's side of these heifers will be cataloged at ring side.

One Registered Holstein bull, Sire-Harrisburg Gay Ideal, Dam's records 4 yr. 296 dys, 17,300M, 3.8T, 652 F, 5-1, 338 dys, 17,439M, 645F. Mother classified G+82.

Selling one Registered G+81 Holstein Cow born 4/14/72 sired by Caernarvon Roman. She was bred 10/24/77 to Diamond S. Pietye Standout. Her records are 4-4, 266, 13,365, 519, 3.9. Proj. 305 dys. 14,301, 561F, 3.9 Test.

Second Herd. Crystal Spring Farm Complete Herd Dispersal. There are 33 cows, 6 bred heifers and 2 open. All heifers are vacc. This is a real good herd of young cows, that were on D.H.I.A. for just 9 mo. There are quite a few of these cows proj. for high milk production as 2 yr. olds. 1 cow is milking 61.8 lbs. for the tester and proj. 18,846 M. Due Aug. 21. 2 yr. old proj. 15,444 M., due Aug. 21. 2 yr. old proj. 16,436 M., due Aug. 27. 2 yr. old proj. 15,229 M., due Sept. 30. 1 cow milking 85 lbs. per day proj. 19,169 M., due Jan. 15. 2 yr. old proj. 16,404 M., due Dec. 7. 4 yr. old milking 61 lbs. per day, proj. 15,768 M., due Nov. 28. 2 yr old proj. 14,780, due Aug. 1. 2 yr. old proj. 14,272, due to July 8. There are 14 cows due May to Aug. 8 due Sept., Oct., Nov. There are 5 young Registered Cows in this herd. Sire-Collins Crest Buddy Burke, born Nov. 7, 1974; Thronstead Bright Lightning, born July 20. 1974; Thronstead Bright Lightning born July 4, 1974; Poverty Hollow Independence born Dec. 6, 1975; and Hilltopper Reflection Escort born Jan. 22, 1974.

Between the two herds there are 25 cows due from May to Nov. All check for pregnancy. If you want to up your D.H.I.A. records these are the cows to buy. There are 36 heifers in the two herds. We have had good cows in our past sales and we have better cows for this sale. These cows are getting harder to find so get your good cows now. This is a rare opportunity to get milk, bloodlines, and foundation cows. These cows have the potential for high classification. We do not misrepresent any cows in these dairies. We do not advertise top cows when we don't have them. We sold some top dairies in past sales, but these will top them

SHORT NOTICE SALE

Selling Good Little Herd for Warren R. Martin, Leola, RD1.

6 Head of Grade Holstein Cows including 1 heifer due in 2 to 3 weeks, 1 heifer just fresh, 1 cow due in 2 to 3 weeks, 1 cow due in Sept., 1 cow just fresh, 1 springing cow.

This herd was hand milked, producing bet-

ween 50 & 60 lbs. per day.

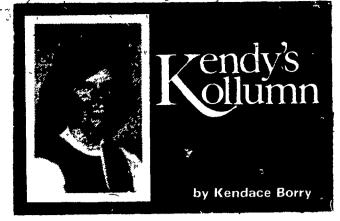
Catalogs at ring side. Cows milked at regular times. TB & Blood Tested. Cash or good check night of sale.

> Sale Managed by **GORDON & RON FRITZ**

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Auctioneer, Carl Diller **Pedigrees Henry Kettering** Lunch Bird-in-Hand Aux.

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Mowing lawn, in my mind, ranks right up there at the top of the untouchables beside washing dishes and ironing clothes. But every Spring this funny green stuff grows in our oversized yard, and my Mom keeps threatening to disown us if she can't find the house in the weeds.

So, we mow the lawn. This year, though, a new mower was bought, so instead of arguing over who mows the lawn, the fight is over who uses which lawn mower.

I seem to have inherited the job of moving the area around the pond. To mow around the pond or

MACHINERY CONSIGNMENT AUCTION SATURDAY, JUNE 3

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not to mow around the pond has been a debate that has been continuing as long as we have lived on the farm.

When my father was alive, he thought he found the ideal solution to the pond dilemna. He put up a fence and turned some happy sheep loose in the area to eat the lush grass to their hearts' content. But Mother objected to the fertilizer the sheep left there and since our picnic area was near the pond, and lots of our friends didn't understand life on the farm, the fence came down, and the sheep moved back to the pasture.

Then a tractor mower was bought. This made most mowing much easier but unfortunately the bank of the pond has a suicide slope on one side that only the bravest idiots attempt. I used to do it in high school and tried to show my sister once how you put the tractor in gear, let the clutch fly, and mow down the hill at 90 miles an hour, swerving in the middle for the trees in the way. She retired to the house with a headache and has never been seen in the pond area again.

So I'm still mowing the pond with occasional help from my brother. But now this year we have the self-propelled push mower to play with.

My biggest worry is that the machine seems to have a mind of its own. It goes at its own rate of speed and can't seem to read my mind when to stop. I keep seeing this vision of it disappearing over the pond bank into the water to slowly sink out of sight

Maybe then Mother would let the sheep back

Cooperative business declines

WASHINGTON, D.C. -1976 dropped for first time in 20 years. Dollar volume was \$40.1 billion - down three per cent from the year before.

USDA says the drop was due USDA reports business mainly to lower prices volume done by farmer cooperatives received for cooperatives in fiscal year farm products. Memberships dropped from 6.1 million to 5.9 million. Number of cooperatives dropped from 7,645 to 7,535.



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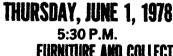
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