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Kyle Brown, Klingerstown, right, exhibited both the grand champion Dorset ram and ewe. Brother Kevin holds the champion ram.



Troy Schreffler of Gratz showed the grand champion Southdown ram while York County's Michele Bankert exhibited the grand champion Southdown ewe, shown here by father Preston Bankert.

Kurt Brown of R1 Klingerstown. Kurt is the son of Harvey and Delphine Brown. Capturing the pink rosette for Kurt was Admiral Holloway Mindy, a Sleepy-Hollow Kennedy daughter out of Admiral Vevation Marty. Mindy's stablemate and half-sister claimed another championship for the Brown family, being tagged junior champion of both the open and youth shows.

Older brother Kyle Brown is the proud owner of this year's Gratz Fair junior champion. Judge Trostle gave the double honors to the first-place senior yearling, S H Citation Amanda. This fancy heifer is out of one of Kyle's cows, Admiral Citation Marge.

Kurt Brown made his appearance in the winner's circle of the youth show earlier in the day by exhibiting the reserve junior champion, his first-place yearling, Mindy.

The reserve junior champion of the open show went to Kermit Kahler of Pitman and his junior yearling, Maggie, a Jetstream daughter. According to Kahler's son Ryan, this is the first championship ribbon the family has won with their black and whites, recently added to the 75-head Guernsey herd.

Dairy cattle weren't the only livestock exhibited by Kyle Brown on Tuesday. Earlier in the morning, the young showman captured both grand championship ribbons in the Dorset breeding sheep competition. Judge Trostle gave Kyle's yearling ram and yearling ewe the official nod. The Triple K ram champion is sired by a Clearview Acres ram out of a Seveck ewe. The Triple K ewe champion is sired by Everett out of a Crommelin ewe.

Kyle, who has been in the purebred Dorset business for the past three years, purchased his champion ewe's dam at the 1979 Keystone International Livestock Exposition's bred ewe sale. Along with his purebred Dorset flock, which numbers about 25 head, Kyle also has about the same



Thirteen-year-old Kurt Brown showed his yearling Holstein, Mindy, to the Reserve Junior championship of the youth show, while Kermit Kahler's junior yearling, Maggie, was the open show's reserve junior champion, shown by son Ryan.



Michele Bankert's entries claimed both ram and ewe championships in the Hampshire breeding sheep competition. Holding the ram, left, is Preston Bankert while James Sulouff helps out with the ewe.

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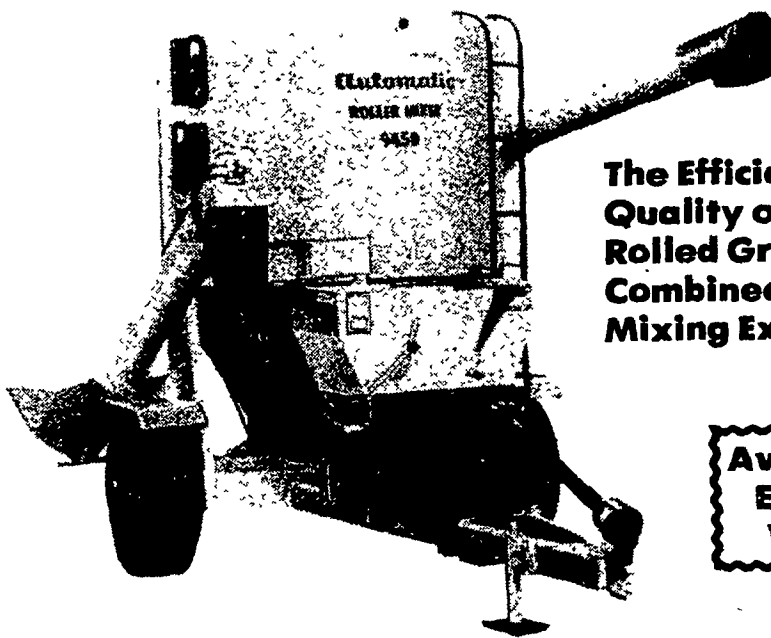
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