Matz, Kolb top

New Holland Show

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NEW HOLLAND — Consignments of H. D. Matz, Ephrata, and Mel Kolb, Lancaster, topped the Annual Dairy Show and Sale at the New Holland Sales Stables on Wednesday.

Matz, along with Albert Albright, showed the grand champion selected by Judge Francis Meehan, of Rexville, N.Y. – a Quality Ultimate daughter out of Harrisburg Gay Ideal.

Kolb's reserve champion is a Puget-Sound Sheik daughter out of Harcliff King Janet.

Both 100-pound-plus milkers as three-year-olds went onto the auction block first and set the stage for a lively and fast-moving sale. The grand champion sold for \$7,500 to Ralph Albright and the reserve commanded a \$19,600 price from David and Donald Alexander, of Indiana.

Judge Meehan, past president of the New York Holstein Association and member of the N.Y. Milk Promotion Board, said he picked the Matz entry over Kolb because of her greater maturity. Meehan is also vice president of the Northeast Dairy Co-op Fedeeration.

Both top animals have lots of milk in the family tree. Dam of the Matz' entry has records over 24,000 lbs. as a four-year-old. Dam of the Kolb entry has a record over 25,000 lbs. as a six-year-old.

Top three placings in the various classes of the show include:

Mixed Breed Dry -- 1. Kelly and Kevin Bowser, Worthington; 2. Mel Kolb; 3. Bowser.

Mixed Breed Fresh – 1. Matz, 2. and 3. Kolb.

Two-year-old Bred Heifers – 1. Kolb, 2. Bowser, 3. Bright Meadows Farm, Lancaster.

Two-year-old Fresh - 1. Kramer and Bowser, 2. Hicks and Springler, Weedsport, N.Y.; 3. Stonehurst Farm, Strasburg.

Three-year-old Bred Heifers – 1. Stonehurst Farm, 2. Bowser, 3. Bright Meadow Farm.

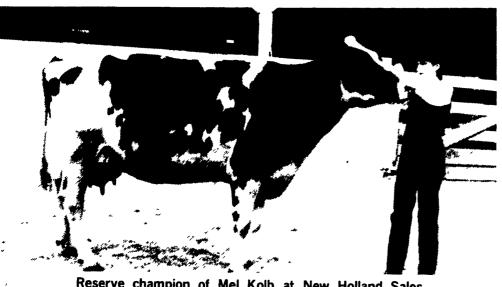
Three-year-old Fresh – 1. Kolb, 2. Stonehurst Farm, 3. Kolb.

Mature Dry Cows – 1. 2. and 3. Kolb.

Mature Fresh Cows – 1. Matz, 2. Kolb, 3. Bright Meadows Farm.



Grand champion of New Holland Sales Stables Annual Show and Sale is shown with, from the left, Albert Albright, Abe Diffenbach, Judge Francis Meehan, H.D. Matz, and Danny Albright, at halter.



Reserve champion of Mel Kolb at New Holland Sales Stables Show and Sale is held by Sandy Frey-Thomas.

Doty Remsburg dies

Doty Remsburg, well-known member of the dairy industry, died Friday, October 26, at Johns Hopkins, Baltimore. He was 60 years old.

Remsburg, of Jefferson, Md., was born December 10, 1923, at the family farm where he lived his entire life. In addition to farming, he founded and operated the Remsburg Sale Service.

His leadership in the dairy industry included terms as president of the Frederick County Holstein Association and also as president and secretary of the Maryland Holstein Association.

In 1972, Remsburg was in-

strumental in establishing the "Southeastern Holstein News." He was a delegate to the National Holstein Convention numerous times, and he also managed the National Holstein Sale when it was held in Maryland in 1964 and 1981.

A member of the Maryland Dairy Shrine, Remsburg served as a 4-H dairy leader for many years. His agricultural activities also included service on the Maryland State Fair Board.

Remsburg is survived by his wife Helen, son Dennis, and daughter Lois Skeen, and two grand children.

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