

FRIDAY 18TH JANUARY 2019

249 STORE CATTLE

SALE TIME: 10.30AM

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FROME LIVESTOCK

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STEERS TO £1,180 HEIFERS TO £1,142

An increased entry of stores at Frome this week met with a flying trade for all breeds. A good show across the board with all types in demand despite the general shortage of forage. More consignments could have been well sold with cattle wanted in the build up to Candlemas.

YOUNG STEERS				YOUNG HEIFERS			
BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Blue	988	13mo	Avery & Co, Winscombe	Limousin	700	17mo	RE Dury & Son, Bristol
Simmental	850	15mo	WT & JM Hill, Sherborne	Blue	650	10mo	S & M North, Chard
Shorthorn	845	11mo	S Dyer, Ventnor	Simmental	588	12mo	RE Dury & Son, Bristol
Angus	830	12mo	Temple Farm Ltd, Bridgwater	Angus	565	16mo	PJ & AG Simmons, Beaminster
Limousin	812	17mo	RH & AE Mayo, Weymouth	Shorthorn	470	11mo	S Dyer, Ventnor
Hereford	650	16mo	DJ Snaith, Babcary				
Fleckvieh	595	13mo	TE Gould & Son, Wincanton				
Friesian	395	14mo	TE Gould & Son, Wincanton				

YOUNG CONTINENTALS

As with all other breeds this week's trade was very lively throughout. More men around the ring looking to purchase the good sorts on offer. Super British Blue x and Simmental x single suckled steers and heifers 8 – 10mo from S Dyer from IOW saw prices to £790 and £510 respectively. Quality home-bred Limousin and Simmental from regular vendor RE Dury & Son, demand was very strong with their 12mo Limousin steer to £750 and Simmental steer to £750. 16mo Limousin heifers from the same home sold to a blistering £700! Not too many dairy x Continentals forward but generally a lot more interest particularly for those with good conformation. Plainer types just beginning to see keener interest as the new grazing season grows closer.

HEREFORD & SHORTHORN

A limited number of Shorthorn cattle forward, but those on offer were of high quality. A grand consignment from Steve Dyer of IOW saw his 10mo steers to a blistering £845! With plenty over £740. Hereford cattle much dearer and overall saw prices firmer by up to £75 over previous sales. Tidy steers from Diane Snaith to £650. Forward Hereford x steers and heifers 20 – 22mo from Avery & Co commanded a marvellous trade to £1010 and fleshed heifers from Tom Farthing & family to £865!

ABERDEEN ANGUS

A nice run of Angus cattle on show today, which enjoyed lively bidding from start to finish. Some super young Angus cattle forward from Andrew & Judith Denning of Bridgwater with a monster 12mo steer selling at £830 with others at £695 and heifers to £525. Harder non-sired 10mo steers from Andrew Young of Lyndhurst enjoyed spirited bidding and eventually sold at £500. Really cracking older Angus steers from E Reeves & Sons of Kilmington looked well sold at £1155. Another super run from Mike & Bridget Cox of Bridgwater enjoyed a solid trade from start to finish. Best types to £1100 who had others at £1055 and £1000. 20mo Angus steers from HT Farthing to £1065. Older, thicker Angus heifers to £995 from E Reeves, other stronger Angus types from Mike & Bridget Cox again looking well sold to £972 with others at £838 and £802.

FRIESIANS & FLECKVIEHS

Not many dairy types forward today but those that were forward enjoyed increased demand and a livelier trade. Larger British Friesians to £775 from RC Garraway of Patterdown. A nice run of 18 – 22mo Holstein Friesians from Bernard Kane of Alderholt, sold well with the best steers selling at £635, with others to £618 and £595. A few smaller types which consisted of Holsteins and Fleckviehs. A nice run from TE Gould & Son with best Fleckviehs to £595 and others at £395.

FORWARD CONTINENTALS

Well fleshed forward Continentals with large frames in high demand helped by the slight lift in finished beef price. A cracking consignment of well-bred and farmed Continentals were keenly sought with the best Limousin steers to £1180. Smart Blue steers from Ingsdon Farm not far behind at £1160 with Charolais steers from the same consignment to £1110. Simmental steers from LM Garraway to £1090 and £1070 from HT Farthing. Large framed Blue steers from Avery & Co to £988 with slightly younger Simmental steers from WT & JM Hill to £850 and Limousins from RH & AE Mayo to £890. Strong Simmental heifers from HT Farthing encouraged fast bidding from numerous buyers with the best to £1142. Similar types from the same consignment reached £1055 and Limousin heifers to £998. Blue heifers again from HT Farthing to £968 with a smart Blue heifer from PW CC & JC Gould to £950.

FORWARD STEERS				FORWARD HEIFERS			
BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Limousin	1180	28mo	HT Farthing, Bradford On Avon	Simmental	1142	27mo	HT Farthing, Bradford On Avon
Blue	1160	25mo	Ingsdon Farm, Shepton Mallet	Limousin	998	28mo	HT Farthing, Bradford On Avon
Angus	1155	24mo	EAS Reeves & Sons, Wilts	Angus	995	25mo	EAS Reeves & Sons, Wilts
Charolais	1110	24mo	Ingsdon Farm, Shepton Mallet	Blue	968	27mo	HT Farthing, Bradford On Avon
Simmental	1090	24mo	LM Garraway, Chippenham	Hereford	865	27mo	HT Farthing, Bradford On Avon
Hereford	1010	22mo	Avery & Co, Winscombe	Fleckvieh	792	27mo	P Hurd, Warminster
Friesian	775	23mo	RC Garraway, Chippenham	Friesian	695	28mo	RH & AE Mayo, Weymouth

WEDNESDAY 23RD JANUARY
SALE OF STIRKS/REARED CALVES

FRIDAY 25TH JANUARY 2019
SALE OF STORE & ORGANIC CATTLE
SPECIAL SALE OF STORE LAMB & IN LAMB EWES COMMENCING @ 10AM

CANDLEMAS SALES 8TH & 15TH FEBRUARY 2019

NEXT POULTRY SALE
SATURDAY 16TH MARCH 2019

CALF COLLECTION SERVICE EVERY WEDNESDAY

FLA ARE PLEASED TO OFFER BLACKMORE VALE FARMERS A CALF COLLECTION SERVICE EACH WEDNESDAY FOR THE USUAL CALF MARKET HELD AT FROME LIVESTOCK MARKET COMMENCING ON WEDNESDAY 16TH JANUARY.

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ENTRIES BY 5PM MONDAY PRIOR TO WEDNESDAY SALE
WE LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU.**

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This enables prospective purchasers to be notified.**