

FRIDAY 5TH APRIL 2019

967 STORE CATTLE

SALE TIME: 10.30AM

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FROME LIVESTOCK

AUCTIONEERS LTD

STEERS TO £1215

HEIFERS TO £1135

Close to 1000 cattle in the yard enjoyed an improved trade with more purchasers forward. Please keep the cattle coming as we have plenty of customers looking to source cattle from Frome.

BREEDING BULLS

Only 2 forward today. Strong Simmental stock sires looked well bought at £990 while pure bred Charolais topped at £1010. Wednesday 17th April sees our 1st sale of pedigree breeding sires and a number of good entries are to hand.

YOUNG STEERS				YOUNG HEIFERS			
BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Simmental	1080	17mo	AJ Snook, Frome	Charolais	978	17mo	TW Gore (Farms) Ltd, Hungerford
Charolais	1075	17mo	TW Gore (Farms) Ltd, Hungerford	Limousin	882	16mo	JJ Taylor & Son, Bristol
Angus	1025	17mo	D & R Corp, Shepton Mallet	Simmental	828	14mo	P & S Foot, Weymouth
Limousin	995	15mo	JJ Taylor & Son, Bristol	Blue	810	16mo	DW Ford & Son, Dorchester
Blue	900	17mo	SM Simmons, Yeovil	Blonde	805	16mo	DJ & SE Merrett, Devizes
				Hereford	785	17mo	MJ Bendall & Ptns, Bath

YOUNG CONTINENTALS

Another strong entry of younger continentals coming through the ring today. A big variation in breeding and quality and the larger shaped types saw buyers being selective. The quality, well conformed, single suckled cattle commanded the keenest competition and a number of good consignments were on offer. P & S Foot presented their normal high quality Simmentals and trade was electric; their 12mo steers £1005 - £990 and heifers peaked at a wonderful £828. More grand Simmental steers 11 - 12mo from RE Dury & Son and North Hill Farms Ltd all sold well £862 - £892. Quality Limousin steers and heifers from P James & Partners saw their consignment of 40 command strong bidding. Heifers were wanted to £760. Pedigree 13mo Simmental heifers from RM & JE Brown IOW to £800 and 9mo steers to £900. JJ Taylor & Son once again presented good stock and all their 13 - 15mo Limousin, Charolais and Blues sold to a stronger trade at £995 - £840 for steers. Limousin heifers from the same home saw a blistering trade at £882. Dairy x Blues 14mo from the Corp family saw steers to £840 and heifers to a strong £790.

HEREFORDS

A large entry of Herefords forward today which enjoyed a solid trade. Best Hereford steers to £1132 from THJ Denbee of Wedmore with others to £1000 from LJ Ings & Sons and D Phillips. Younger 17mo types to £980 from AJ Snook who had others at £735. No best Hereford heifers forward today but medium types to £850 from AJ Snook and £840 from CW Butcher & Son. A super run from MJ Bendall enjoyed a tremendous trade with 13mo heifers to £785.

ABERDEEN ANGUS

Overall the Angus continuing to sell well. Obviously the easier finished prices were still having an affect throughout the store cattle sector but generally demand was strong for these types today. Quality younger Angus all keenly sought with nice types from North Hill Farms Ltd 10mo to £752. More dairy types of that age £600 - £680. 17 - 18mo steers having a good trade and regularly £850 - £950. More forward Angus steers seeing wonderful prices with plenty over £1100. Top spot to HL Stott, Wookey at £1215. Heifers all selling well and more interest for bullers today as the season progresses. Best bullers £900 - £940 this week. Better fleshed heifers for finishing in shorter supply and peaked at £1092.

FRIESIANS

A huge variance in the Friesians this week and leaner, younger Holstein types continuing to find trade weak. More British Friesian steers with better conformation were easier to sell throughout the day. 13mo British Friesians from MJ Bendall & Partners to £545 and their 15mo steers to a strong £800! More fleshed Friesians seeing greater competition and regularly £820 - £840. Heavy fleshed Friesian heifers produced excellent prices to £1135 from PW & ASL Hunt.

FORWARD CONTINENTALS

Demand exceeded supply with excellent bidding for cattle with potential. Many more forward types wanted to satisfy this electric trade. The quality consignment of British Blue steers from Nigel Masters were the highlight, selling from £1135 - £1180 and younger Limousins equally wanted to £1140 from Robert, Ann and Jane Mayo. Other young continentals sold well with Simmental steers from £1020 from both A Smith and WF Fisher & Son to £1080 from AJ Snook. Younger Charolais steers met a fast trade to £1075 for TW Gore (Farms) Ltd. Heifers also met a sensational trade with British Blue heifers from £1000 from Charlie Butcher and Dave Merrett; £1010 from THJ Denbee to £1050 from Nigel Masters. Younger Charolais heifers met fast bidding from £932 to £978 from TW Gore (Farms) Ltd and their Simmental heifers to £948. Other Simmentals sold well to £932 from Charlie Butcher with his heifers selling well to £952. Other quality sorts £890 - £930 from PW, CC & JC Gould. Many more wanted over the coming weeks.

FORWARD STEERS				FORWARD HEIFERS			
BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Angus	1215	30mo	HL Stott, Wookey	Hereford	1135	43mo	PW & ASL Hunt, Sherborne
Blue	1180	25mo	DH Masters & Son, Wincanton	Angus	1092	26mo	PW & ASL Hunt, Sherborne
Limousin	1140	24mo	RH & AE Mayo, Weymouth	Blue	1050	25mo	DH Masters & Son, Wincanton
Devon	1135	24mo	Newton Farm Ptns, Bath	Limousin	952	18mo	CW Butcher & Son, Devizes
Hereford	1132	24mo	THJ Denbee, Wedmore	Simmental	948	31mo	TW Gore (Farms) Ltd, Hungerford
Salen	1020	29mo	A Smith, Sturminster Newton	Salen	938	22mo	CW Butcher & Son, Devizes
Simmental	1020	27mo	WF Fisher & Son, Newbury	Friesian	930	32mo	MJ Stiles, Shaftesbury

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Cash Prizes and Rosettes given on the day

WEDNESDAY 17TH APRIL

SALE OF PEDIGREE BEEF BULLS &

PEDIGREE/COMMERCIAL X SUCKLER COWS & CALVES

BULL ENTRIES TO DATE: 2 X RED RUBY DEVON; 1 X ABERDEEN ANGUS; 11 X HEREFORD;

1 X BRITISH BLUE; 5 X BRITISH LIMOUSIN AND 1 X SIMMENTAL

POULTRY SALE SATURDAY 18TH MAY

**** ENTRIES CLOSE 3RD MAY ****

CALF COLLECTION SERVICE EVERY WEDNESDAY

FLA ARE PLEASED TO OFFER A CALF COLLECTION SERVICE EACH WEDNESDAY FOR THE USUAL CALF MARKET HELD AT FROME LIVESTOCK MARKET.

FOR FURTHER DETAILS PLEASE CONTACT:

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ENTRIES BY 5PM MONDAY PRIOR TO WEDNESDAY SALE

WE LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU

Please get your stock to market early – Gates open 6.30AM.

**Entries for Friday store cattle sales for inclusion in catalogue must be entered by midday Tuesday.
This enables prospective purchasers to be notified.**