

FROME LIVESTOCK

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MONDAY 22ND JANUARY 2018

**TB RESTRICTED
CATTLE (422)**

**SALE TIME: 10.30AM AUCTIONEERS: TREVOR ROWLAND,
BRADLEY TOWELL & MARK NORTHCOTT**

STORE CATTLE (355)

STEERS TO £1,240 HEIFERS TO £1,165

Another well supported sale with over 350 store cattle penned for our first TB market of 2018.

CONTINENTALS: Plenty of quality Continental cattle on offer today with an excellent pair of Blue steers from [REDACTED] topping at £1240. Some smart Simmental steers sparked brisk bidding with the best to £1165 from [REDACTED] (only 21mo), £1120 from [REDACTED] and £1100 [REDACTED]. Other well presented Simmental steers easily sold to £1040 from [REDACTED] with more Blues wanted to £1065 from [REDACTED], £1040 from [REDACTED] and £1025 from [REDACTED]. Forward heifers also met a buoyant trade with quality Blues from [REDACTED] topping at £1165 with their Simmentals to £1070. More smart Blue heifers from [REDACTED] settled at £1130 with equally smart Simmentals to £1025 from [REDACTED].

NATIVE BREEDS: A very large entry of **Angus** cattle today and these quality types sold to a strong complement of purchasers. The best forward steers met a flying trade topping at £1070 from [REDACTED] whilst a super consignment of 50 steers and heifers from [REDACTED] topped at £1068 (av. £960). Other good Angus steers (only 20mo) easily to £1055 from [REDACTED] with plenty more from £900 to £990 from [REDACTED] and £985 from [REDACTED]. Cracking Angus heifers met a sensational demand topping at a massive £1130 from [REDACTED]. The harder plainer Angus were also wanted regularly trading from £700 to £800. The named sire farm assured **Hereford** cattle also met a strong trade with the top quality steers from [REDACTED] settling at outstanding levels peaking at £1172 and £1102. The best heifers equally as dear to £1092 from the same home and £990 from [REDACTED]. The feeding and summering Herefords also commanded keen interest from £800 to £890 from [REDACTED]. More well fleshed types showing good conformation would have sold to advantage.

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FRIESIANS: A solid demand for the Friesian cattle today with a number of purchasers looking for the strong framed steers. The best fleshed steers topped at £1100 and £1015 from [REDACTED] with others to £1005 from [REDACTED]. Medium framed steers wanted from £730 to £810 from [REDACTED].

BEEF CATTLE & CULL STOCK (67)

A fantastic trade for today entry of TB restricted cull stock with both the cows and overage fat selling to very strong levels equal to those achieved on a Wednesday.

22 BARREN COWS (Max. 136.50p/kg £1,018 Av. 118p/kg): Considering there were no beef cows on offer today's average of 118p/kg was exceptionally high. The best Friesian meat cows topped at 136.5p/kg from [REDACTED] with others from the same home to 132.5p/kg, 130p/kg grossing over £928. Other good fleshed meat cows sold to 133p/kg and £1018 from [REDACTED], 130p/kg from [REDACTED] and 126.5p/kg from [REDACTED]. Almost all cows today sold in advance of 120p/kg! More wanted every month.

45 OTM FAT (Max. 189.50p/kg & £1,140 Av. 163p/kg): Only overage cattle presented this month but all sold a very brisk trade. A large consignment from [REDACTED] sparked very competitive bidding with his Limousin steers to 189.5p/kg, 186p/kg, 184p/kg and £1140, £1122 and £1071 whilst his Hereford steers topped at 180.5p/kg (£1039). Limousin heifers from the same home equally sought to 180p/kg.

NEXT SALE: MONDAY 19TH FEBRUARY **SPECIAL CANDLEMAS FAYRE**

IMPORTANT NOTICE: **APPLYING FOR A LICENCE HAS NOW CHANGED**

RATHER THAN MAKING YOUR APPLICATION BY TELEPHONE,
ANIMAL HEALTH NOW REQUIRE A COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM (TB204)
TO BE COMPLETED AND EMAILED / POSTED TO

CSC.TBlicensing@apha.gis.gov.uk

APHA, Polwhele, Truro, Cornwall, TR4 9AD

Please note: Licences are issued on a first come first served basis & may take up to 5 working days to process. As such, short notice requests may not be issued in time.

Cattle can enter an Orange market if they have tested negative within 90 days of a new or repeat herd test, even if reactors are found (reactors must be removed from the holding prior to applying for a licence). Cattle are **NO LONGER ALLOWED** to return home. The only onward movement allowed will be to an Approved Finishing Unit (AFU) or an abattoir.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO VENDORS: **DUE TO THE VOLUME OF PAPERWORK INVOLVED** **PLEASE CONTACT THE MARKET OFFICE WITH YOUR ENTRIES** **IMMEDIATELY AFTER APPLYING FOR YOUR LICENCE**

Mark Northcott	07798 645 274	Fat Cattle & Barren Cows Auctioneer	Trevor Rowland	07968 480 401	Dairy & Store Cattle Auctioneer
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Andrew Doble	07825 812 982	Sheep Auctioneer	Bradley Towell	07765 703 301	Store Cattle Auctioneer
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