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## TRURO LIVESTOCK MARKET

## MARKET REPORT

AND

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

WEDNESDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2016



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# TRURO LIVESTOCK MARKET

## **LODGE & THOMAS**

Report an entry of 22 UTM and OTM prime cattle, 53 cull cows and bulls, 142 store cattle including 15 suckler cows and calves, 78 rearing calves and 511 finished and store sheep

### UTM PRIME CATTLE

#### **HIGHEST PRICE BULLOCK**

Each Wednesday the highest price prime steer or heifer sold (pence per kilogram) will be commission free

#### **Auctioneer – Andrew Body**

A light entry of prime cattle with insufficient numbers to satisfy buyer demand. Quality cattle are required by butchers and buyers alike for the Christmas trade. Top price per kilo was 190p for a Limousin x steer from Messrs. G.E.R. & C.E.R. James of Rosudgeon purchased by J.V. Richards Ltd of Perranwell Station. Top value was £1,306 for a Simmental x steer for Messrs. S.J. Dustow & Son of Ladock.

#### **11 Prime Cattle – leading prices**

Limousin x steer to 190p (510kg) for Messrs. G.E.R. & C.E.R. James of Rosudgeon, Penzance  
British Blue x heifer to 187p (521kg) for Mr. D.R. Tonkin of Mevagissey, St. Austell  
British Blue x steer to 181p (575kg) for Mr. D.R. Tonkin of Mevagissey, St. Austell  
British Blue x heifer to 174p (559kg) for Mr. D.R. Tonkin of Mevagissey, St. Austell  
Simmental x steer to 170p (768kg) for Messrs. S.J. Dustow & Son of Ladock, Truro

#### **Wednesday's South-West Regional Market Averages**

##### **Steers – 167.8p/kg**

##### **Truro Steers**

Premium	-		
Prime	to	190p	av. 176.50p
Others	to	159p	av. 155.01p
<b>All Steers</b>			<b>av. 167.37p</b>

##### **Heifers – 170.3p/kg**

##### **Truro Heifers**

Premium	-		
Prime	to	187p	av. 180.50p
Others	to	146p	
<b>All Heifers</b>			<b>av. 169.08p</b>

### OTM PRIME CATTLE

#### **11 OTM Prime Cattle – leading prices**

British Blue x heifer to 137p (526kg) for Mr. D.R. Tonkin of Mevagissey, St. Austell  
Friesian steer to 124p (654kg) for Messrs. S.J. Dustow & Son of Ladock, Truro  
Hereford x heifer to 122p (611kg) for Mr. D.R. Tonkin of Mevagissey, St. Austell

#### **Overall Averages:**

OTM Steers	to	124p/kg	
OTM Heifers	to	137p/kg	av. 125.00p/kg

## CULL COWS AND BULLS

### **Auctioneer – Andrew Body**

A decent entry of cull cows this week which in the main were well-covered and this showed in the demand and overall averages which are far better than recent weeks. A smart Friesian topping the day at 130p/kg for Messrs. J.C. Boaden & Son of Cury Cross Lanes bought by Dawn West Devon of Hatherleigh. A pair of strong heavy Friesians from Chynoweth Farm Partners of St. Allen selling well to £973 and £968. Best of the beef section was a South Devon cow for Mr. A.L. Pascoe of Fraddam selling at 114p/kg to Robert Trevarthen of Roskrow. 40% of cows sold for 100p/kg+!!

### **18 Beef Cows – leading prices**

South Devon x to 114p (791kg) for Mr. A.L. Pascoe of Fraddam, Hayle  
Limousin x to 108p (729kg) for Mr. R.T. Hallowell of Lowertown, Helston  
Simmental x to 107p (737kg) for Messrs. K.P. & A. Sowden of Constantine, Falmouth  
Simmental x to 107p (729kg) for Messrs. M.R. & M. Hampden-Smith of Newmill, Penzance  
Simmental x to 106p (708kg) for Messrs. M.R. & M. Hampden-Smith of Newmill, Penzance  
Simmental x to 106p (759kg) for Messrs. M.R. & M. Hampden-Smith of Newmill, Penzance  
Simmental x to 105p (751kg) for Messrs. M.R. & M. Hampden-Smith of Newmill, Penzance  
Aberdeen Angus x to 104p (792kg) for Messrs. K.P. & A. Sowden of Constantine, Falmouth

### **Breed Averages:**

South Devon x	to	114p/kg	
Limousin x	to	108p/kg	
Simmental x	to	107p/kg	av. 102.36p/kg
Aberdeen Angus x	to	104p/kg	
Charolais x	to	100p/kg	
Hereford x	to	95p/kg	av. 94.00p/kg

### **34 Dairy Cows – leading prices**

Friesian to 130p (581kg) for Messrs. J.C. Boaden & Son of Cury Cross Lanes, Helston  
Friesian to 115p (815kg) for Messrs. B.L. Hearn & Partners of Whitecross, Wadebridge  
Friesian to 114p (849kg) for Chynoweth Farm Partners of St. Allen, Truro  
Friesian to 108p (832kg) for Mr. D.J. Heller of Blackwater, Truro  
Friesian to 106p (810kg) for Messrs. H.K, D.M. & N.T. Jeffery of Summercourt, Newquay  
Friesian to 101p (963kg) for Chynoweth Farm Partners of St. Allen, Truro  
Friesian to 99p (820kg) for Messrs. W.O. Brown & Son of St. Austell  
Friesian to 99p (773kg) for Messrs. W.O. Brown & Son of St. Austell  
Friesian to 98p (715kg) for Messrs. G.E.R. & C.E.R. James of Rosudgeon, Penzance

### **Breed Averages:**

Friesian	to	130p/kg	av. 93.04p/kg
Norwegian Red x	to	96p/kg	av. 76.00p/kg
Ayrshire x	to	94p/kg	
Jersey x	to	87p/kg	

## **1 Cull Bull**

Simmental to 99p (1003kg) for Heard Bros. of St. Issey, Wadebridge

### **Overall Averages:**

Beef Cows	to	114p/kg	av.	102.35p/kg
Dairy Cows	to	130p/kg	av.	92.76p/kg
Cull Bulls	to	99p/kg		

## **STORE CATTLE**

### **Auctioneer – Andrew Body**

A better entry of store cattle than in recent weeks met strong demand especially for the quality cattle on offer. All age ranges selling very well. A smart trio of Aberdeen Angus x steers from Mr. M. Stephens of Chacewater at 19 months old topping at £1,090 apiece. A cracking run of 13 South Devon steers for Mr. S. Taffinder of Portscatho all sold for over £1,000.

***Aberdeen Angus and Hereford sires – please write on front of passport***

### **88 Steers – leading prices**

#### **2yo**

Limousin x to £1,040 for Messrs. K.P. & A. Sowden of Constantine, Falmouth

#### **1½yo**

Aberdeen Angus x to £1,090 for Mr. M. Stephens of Chacewater, Truro

South Devon x to £1,070 for Mr. S. Taffinder of Portscatho, Truro

Limousin x to £950 for Messrs. K.P. & A. Sowden of Constantine, Falmouth

Friesian to £700 for Messrs. C.J. Osborne & Son of Fraddon, St. Columb

#### **1yo**

Limousin x to £880 for Messrs. K.P. & A. Sowden of Constantine, Falmouth

Aberdeen Angus x to £790 for Messrs. K.P. & A. Sowden of Constantine, Falmouth

Hereford x to £650 for Mr. I.C. Michell of Nancegollan, Helston

Friesian to £315 for Mr. I.C. Michell of Nancegollan, Helston

#### **9mo**

Limousin x to £900 for Messrs. K.P. & A. Sowden of Constantine, Falmouth

South Devon x to £750 for Messrs. H.H. & P.D. Hocking of Towednack, St. Ives

### **39 Heifers – leading prices**

#### **2yo**

Hereford x to £790 for Messrs. C.J. Osborne & Son of Fraddon, St. Columb

Aberdeen Angus x to £745 for Miss M. Burley-Hodge of Perranwell Station, Truro

## **1yo**

Charolais x to £570 for Messrs. H. Williams & Son of Tehidy, Camborne  
Limousin x to £570 for Messrs. H. Williams & Son of Tehidy, Camborne  
Aberdeen Angus x to £520 for Mr. I.C. Michell of Nancegollan, Helston

## **9mo**

Limousin x to £525 for Mr. K. Lane of Lowertown, Helston  
South Devon x to £475 for Messrs. H.H. & P.D. Hocking of Towednack, St. Ives  
Aberdeen Angus x to £410 for Mr. F.T. Sampson of Ludgvan, Penzance

## **15 Suckler Cows and Calves**

All the suckler cows and calves entered were sold on behalf of Mr. R.W. Radford of Newmill, Penzance. Most of the cows were younger types with 3/4 month old calves at foot. Top price was £1,380 for a Limousin cow with steer calf, South Devon with steer calf to £1,270, averaging £1,135 and Aberdeen Angus to £1,130, averaging £975.

## **REARING CALVES**

### **Auctioneer – Ben Messer-Bennetts**

A similar entry of calves to last week met a continued strong trade with the highest price achieved for several months for a British Blue x bull from Messrs. E.B. & M.E. Symons of Ruan High Lanes of £400!!

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## **50 Bulls**

British Blue x to £400 for Messrs. E.B. & M.E. Symons of Ruan High Lanes, Truro, av. £226  
Limousin x to £340 for Messrs. A.D. & J.A. Bray of St. Martin, Helston, av. £232  
Fleckvieh x to £245 for Messrs. R.G. & C.W. Semmens of St. Buryan, Penzance, av. £190  
Hereford x to £240 for Messrs. A. Eddy & Sons of St. Buryan, Penzance  
Simmental x to £180 for Mr. C.M. Phillips of St. Mawes, Truro  
Friesian to £80 for Mr. C.W. Eddy of Grampound, Truro, av. £64  
Friesian bobby calves to £45, av. £29

## **28 Heifers**

Simmental x to £280 for Messrs. A.D. & J.A. Bray of St. Martin, Helston, av. £235  
British Blue x to £275 for Messrs. E.B. & M.E. Symons of Ruan High Lanes, Truro, av. £138  
Limousin x to £270 for Messrs. A.D. & J.A. Bray of St. Martin, Helston, av. £129  
Hereford x to £260 for Messrs. A. Eddy & Sons of St. Buryan, Penzance, av. £160  
Aberdeen Angus x to £185 for Messrs. S. Wallis & Son of Helston, av. £160  
Welsh Black x to £150 for Mr. N.L.J. Trevethan of Rose, Truro

## FINISHED AND STORE SHEEP

### LAMBS (295)

#### **Auctioneer – Ed Harris**

A larger entry of finished lambs presented sold to a stronger trade across the board. The heavies continue to command premium prices whilst the lightweight lambs see more limited demand. Superb butchers' quality lambs from Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval topped the market at £85.50 to Robert Trevarthen of Roskrow. Leading the averages were blocky 44.8kg lambs from Mrs. P.M. Ellery of Talskiddy selling to 180p/kg, also to Robert Trevarthen.

#### **Leading Averages:**

180p/kg for 44.8kg lambs from Mrs. P.M. Ellery of Talskiddy, St. Columb  
174p/kg for 47.2kg lambs from Messrs. C.H.P. Powell & Sons of St. Ervan, Wadebridge  
171p/kg for 46.0kg lambs from Messrs. I.D. & S.S. Backway of St. Eval, Wadebridge  
171p/kg for 45.6kg lambs from Messrs. P.T.R. & P.E. Jones & Sons of Crantock, Newquay  
170p/kg for 46.3kg lambs from Messrs. W.W. James & Sons of Sancreed, Penzance  
170p/kg for 41.8kg lambs from Messrs. W.R.T. & A.S. Guy of West Portholland, Truro  
169p/kg for 48.6kg lambs from Mrs. E.M.J. Eggins of St. Breock, Wadebridge  
169p/kg for 46.5kg lambs from Mr. J.T. Rowe of Lower Penponds, Camborne

#### **Top Price Lambs:**

£85.50 (52.0kg) from Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval, Wadebridge  
£85.00 (64.0kg) from Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval, Wadebridge  
£82.00 (47.2kg) from Messrs. C.H.P. Powell & Sons of St. Ervan, Wadebridge  
£82.00 (48.6kg) from Mrs. E.M.J. Eggins of St. Breock, Wadebridge  
£81.50 (50.8kg) from Mr. R.A. Coad of Cubert, Newquay  
£80.50 (44.8kg) from Mrs. P.M. Ellery of Talskiddy, St. Columb  
£80.50 (47.8kg) from Mr. J.A. Morpew of St. Ervan, Wadebridge  
£80.50 (52.5kg) from Messrs. P.T.R. & P.E. Jones & Sons of Crantock, Newquay  
£80.00 (49.3kg) from Mr. W.F. Teagle of Trevithick, Newquay  
£79.50 (48.7kg) from Methleigh Farm Ltd of Porthleven, Helston

#### **Averages:**

Medium (39.1kg-45.5kg)	to	180p/kg	av.	162.00p/kg
Heavy (45.6kg-52kg)	to	174p/kg	av.	163.00p/kg
Overweight (52.1kg+)	to	153p/kg	av.	150.14p/kg

SQQ Lamb Average **162p**

## WEDNESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER

**\*\*\* Christmas Commercial Primestock Prize Sale of Butchers Lambs \*\*\***

***Please advise of your entries to Ed Harris 01872 272722***

## **CULL EWES (65)**

### **Auctioneer – Ross Collins**

A steady trade with a high proportion of plainer types forward. A top price of £70 for a pair of shapely Texel ewes from Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval. Also realising £70 was a strong-frame ram from Mr. N. Fessey of Falmouth.

#### **Leading Prices:**

£70.00 for ewes from Messrs. T.B. & M.B. Osborne of St. Eval, Wadebridge

£70.00 for a ram from Mr. N. Fessey of Falmouth

£62.50 for ewes from Messrs. P.W.J. & D.E.J. Vian of Gorran, St. Austell

£61.00 for ewes from Messrs. W.W. James & Sons of Sancreed, Penzance

£59.00 for ewes from Messrs. P.W.J. & D.E.J. Vian of Gorran, St. Austell

£54.00 for ewes from Messrs. A.G. Collins & Son of St. Newlyn East, Newquay

#### **Averages:**

First quality ewes	to	£70.00	av.	£61.20
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Second quality ewes	to	£48.50	av.	£39.50
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Cull rams	to	£70.00		
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## **STORE LAMBS (151)**

### **Auctioneer – Ross Collins**

A large entry met a stronger trade with all types in demand. The forward, near-finish sorts were looking well-sold against the finished trade, topping at £63.50 for a pen of strong Suffolk x stores from Mr. A.J. Kent of Washaway.

#### **Leading Prices:**

£63.50 for stores from Mr. A.J. Kent of Washaway, Bodmin

£63.00 for stores from Methleigh Farm Ltd of Porthleven, Helston

£61.50 for stores from Mr. R. Withers of Probus, Truro

£57.00 for stores from Mr. S. Keyte of Paul, Penzance

£55.00 for stores from Mr. W.J. Jane of Newtown, Fowey

£55.00 for stores from Mr. A.J. Kent of Washaway, Bodmin

£53.50 for stores from Mr. S. Keyte of Paul, Penzance

£52.00 for stores from Mr. A.J. Kent of Washaway, Bodmin

£50.00 for stores from Mr. V.R. Barrett of Baldhu, Truro

£50.00 for stores from Messrs. W.R.T. & A.S. Guy of West Portholland, Truro

£50.00 for stores from Messrs. W.W. James & Sons of Sancreed, Penzance

#### **Averages:**

Best store lambs	to	£63.50	av.	£55.00
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Medium store lambs	to	£49.50	av.	£43.50
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WEDNESDAY NEXT 7<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER

**LODGE & THOMAS**

10.00am  
50 Dairy and Beef Cull Cows

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10.00am  
100 Rearing Calves

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10.30am  
50 Prime Cattle

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11.30am  
200 Store Cattle and Suckler Cows and Calves  
Inc. 15 pure bred South Devon 20 month old heifers

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11.30am  
400 Lambs, Cull Ewes and Store Sheep

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Next "Orange" Market for TB-Restricted Prime Cattle, Cull Cows & Store Cattle  
TUESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER – 10AM

*Licences must be obtained by Tues 13<sup>th</sup> December – Entries to the Auctioneers*

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## Truro Sale Room – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December at 10am

Sale of General Furniture & Furnishings inc. Stove Boilers

### LODGE & THOMAS

Have been instructed by Executors and Private Vendors to sell by auction at  
Truro Sale Room, Truro Market, Newquay Road, Truro, TR1 1RH

### GENERAL FURNITURE & FURNISHINGS INC. STOVE BOILERS

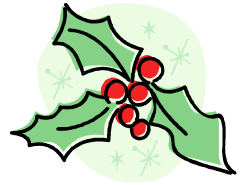


**Ceramics & Glass** – Wade British Navy Pusser's rum decanter bottle, var. Wedgwood Jasperwares, Wedgwood bisque porcelain lady figures, var. Coalport bisque porcelain lady figures, Portmeirion "Phoenix" coffee set for 6, retro Rushton Pottery Isle of Mann bottle & 6 goblets, var. dinner & teawares, var. novelty teapots, 3x Royal Doulton figures, large collection of modern bisque porcelain dolls within original boxes, cut glass inc. Edinburgh Crystal decanter & stopper, var. fruitbowls, coloured art glass, paperweights, animals figures.  
**Metals & Misc** – George III silver wine funnel, continental silver small pedestal lamp, Edwardian Silver trinket box, costume jewellery inc. modern silver charm bracelet, silver gilt musical locket, Prinz Flex camera, Pentax camera, Teisco ribbon microphone, Diecast toys inc. Dinky, repro brass fireman's helmet, taxidermy tawny owl, var. walking sticks, canoe with accessories.  
**Furniture & Furnishings** – Rustic pine arched door, modern Ercol, Queen Anne style walnut bureau, pine farmhouse dresser, var. dining tables & chairs, white painted metal garden table & 4 chairs, leather brass-bound domed trunk, oak court style sideboard, var. bookcases & display case, G-Plan 3-piece suite, pair Stressless style leather armchairs with stools, modern Victorian style chaise longue, pictures & prints, books.  
**Household Electricals & White Goods** – Hotpoint Aquarius tumble dryer, Bush A<sup>++</sup> washing machine, 2 large chest freezers, Zanussi GHQ washing machine, Warrior Stoves elec stove, var. vintage valve radios, var. elec garden tools.  
**Stoves** – **NO RESERVES** – Palazzetti Minnie Ecofire dual combustion pellet burning boiler stove, Palazzetti Ecofire Maxi pellet burning boiler stove, Palazzetti Ecofire Sissi combustion pellet burning boiler stove with red ceramic top & sides, Lopper Timber 25kW auto-feed log burning boiler.

**Viewing** – Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December 11-4pm and on morning of sale from 8.30am. Marguerite's Catering. **Catalogues** – Online and on sale day. **Payment** – By cash, credit or debit card. Contact **Carl Nielsen 07738219438 [antiques@lodgeandthomas.co.uk](mailto:antiques@lodgeandthomas.co.uk)**



# TRURO MARKET



## CHRISTMAS COMMERCIAL PRIMESTOCK PRIZE SALE

**WEDNESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER – £500 PRIZE MONEY**  
*Kindly sponsored by NFU Mutual*

**Classes for Finished Steers, Heifers and Lambs**  
To be held in addition to our usual Market of  
Prime/Store Cattle and Sheep



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### Cattle Classes



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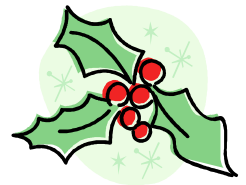
*Cattle top price (p/kg)*  
**1<sup>st</sup> Prize £50, 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize £30, 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize £20**

**Class 1 – Steer up to 650kg**  
**Class 2 – Steer 651kg+**

**Class 3 – Heifer up to 550kg**  
**Class 4 – Heifer 551kg+**



### Sheep Classes



*Butchers Lambs top price (p/kg)*  
**1<sup>st</sup> Prize £25, 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize £15, 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize £10**

**Class 1 – Lambs with av. weight 46kg or under (minimum 4/pen)**  
**Class 2 – Lambs with av. weight of over 46kg (minimum 4/pen)**

**ALSO *Special Sale of Store Lambs***

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# Truro Primestock Show

Truro Christmas Primestock & Produce Society

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## WEDNESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER

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