ROSS AUCTION CENTRE - WEEKLY MARKET REPORT

MONDAY 14th NOVEMBER 2005

WILLIAMS & WATKINS report an entry of 221 Cattle and 1,627 Sheep.

FAT CATTLE

221 Forward	Auctioneer: Richard Williams	Sale	at

10.30 am prompt

A reduced entry of cattle which was a surprise considering the excellent trade recently. There was an outstanding trade on all sorts with 20 cattle over 120 pence to a top of 137 pence. Once again there was a high percentage of plainer cold sorts which reduced overall averages. Many more cattle could easily have been sold. Premium Steers averaged 125.10p, Prime averaged 109.10p and Others 97.10p. Premium heifers 122.10p Prime 109.00p and Others 94.60p The next Market on MONDAY 21st NOVEMBER 2005 is a GREEN MARKET. THERE WILL SHORTLY BE A BREAK IN THE SEQUENCE OF GREEN/RED MARKETS: GREEN markets will be as follows: Monday 21st November, Monday 28th November (Christmas Fatstock Sale & Show), Monday 12th December, Monday 2nd January 2006 and thereafter fortnightly.

Overall Steers: Average	Medium to Heavy to	120.50p per kg Average 137.00p per kg Average 1	98.50p
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Overall Heifers: Average	Heavy to	130.00p per kg Average	101.50p

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Top Price per Head: £887.25 for an entry from Mesr DE & SJ Cheacker, Pilning. **Top Price per Kilo**: 137.00p for an entry from the same vendor.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT WE KNOW YOU ARE BRINGING STOCK - THAT WAY WE CAN GUARANTEE ENOUGH BUYERS FOR YOU - PLEASE, PLEASE CONTACT US WITH YOUR ENTRY.

EAR TAGS

Trading Standards are now checking all cattle for two visible tags. Any cattle with only one tag will be sent home. Please make sure all cattle have two Ministry approved tags before leaving home.

FAT LAMBS

1,401 Forward 9.15am

Auctioneer: Richard Williams Sale at

A disappointing entry of lambs considering the flying trade of recent weeks. As a consequence there was an excellent trade on all classes of sheep. Heavier weights sold particularly well peaking at £57. Export type lambs peaked at 120.4 pence. The overall average was £48.28 per head. SEVERAL BUYERS COULD NOT BID AS THE LAMBS WERE NOT BELLY SHORN. IT DOES PAY TO HAVE YOUR LAMBS CLEAN AND BELLIED IF POSSIBLE.

Standard to Medium to Heavy to Overweight to

118.90p per kg 120.40p per kg 113.00p per kg 104.70p per kg

110.60p Average 113.00p Average Average 109.10p 103.20p Average

Overall Average 111.70p

Top Price per Head: £57.00 for entries from Mesr R & MA Read, Longhaope. **Top Price per Kilo:** 120.40p for an entry from Mesr FJ & RH Griffiths, Llangattock Lingoed.

CULL EWES & RAMS

Sale at 10.15 am

226 Forward Auctioneer: Martvn Evans Another slightly increased entry of ewes sold to a greatly improved trade with a top price of £49.50 and an overall average of £32.26 an increase of £7 per head on the previous week. First quality ewes sold from £35, second quality sold from £22, small and plain ewes sold to this figure. Rams also met an improved trade to average £26.90 with no first quality forward.

TRADING STANDARDS

WISH TO REMIND ALL SHEEP VENDORS THAT IT IS MANDATORY FOR ALL SHEEP TO BE EAR TAGGED PRIOR TO TRANSPORT TO MARKET AND, WHERE NECESSARY ALSO "S" TAGGED. ADDITIONALLY, ALL FARMERS MUST CARRY A COMPLTED AML IN THE VEHICLE BEFORE ENTERING THE MARKET.

NOVEMBER		
WEDNESDAY 23 RD	ROSS AUCTION CENTRE – Sale of Antiques & Effects. Entries to Roger Garlick.	
THURSDAY 24 TH	ROSS AUCTION CENTRE – Sale of Store Cattle. Sale at 11.00 am.	
MONDAY 28 TH	CHRISTMAS FATSTOCK SHOW & SALE (see below for details)	
DECEMBER		
THURSDAY 8 TH	ROSS AUCTION CENTRE – Sale of Store Cattle. Entries for Catalogue to be received by 12 noon Thursday 1^{st} December.	

ROSS AUCTION ROOMS

From Local Residences

SALE OF ANTIQUE FURNITURE & EFFECTS

To briefly include:

19th Century Dutch Oil, P H Duval "Return of Sail Boat" 42" x 31", 18th Century Oak Refectory Table, Set of 7 Heavily Carved Oak 19th Century Chairs, 18th Century Oak Panel Settle on Cabriole Legs, Georgian Mahogany Hex' Cellaret, Georgian Mahogany Butlers Tray, 18th Century Oak Longcase Clock 30 Hour Owen Davies Llanidloes, 17th Century Small Carved Oak Coffer, 17th Century Carved Oak Bible Box A/F, 36" Early Georgian Oak Bureau, 1960/70s Wurlitzer "Music Maker" Juke Box, Georgian Oak Coffer, Bergere Suite, Large Late Victorian Light Oak Sideboard 107", Edwardian Pedestal Desk, Set of 8 Queen Anne Style Dining Chairs, Leather Chesterfield, Leather 3 Piece Suite. China 100 Lots Inc: Adderleys Delhi 57 Piece Dinner Service, Worcester "Blush" Jar, Moorcroft Bowl, Goebel Figures, Tea & Dinner Services etc, Glass: Inc Victorian "Trumpet" Centre Piece Etc, Silver & Plate, Pictures: Also Inc: Pair Seascape Watercolours by Leymore Wilson & E St John, Watercolour: Newlyn School, 1910 Beach Nude, Roland Batchelor Watercolour etc. Jewellery, Miscellanea, 1980s Gulbranson Rialto 2 Organ, Large Chinese Carpet, Shipping & General Furniture. In all about 800 Lots. on WEDNESDAY 23RD NOVEMBER 2005 at 10.00 am VIEW DAY – Tuesday 22nd November 1pm – 7pm. **10% +VAT (BUYERS PREMUM)** CATALOGUES AVAILABLE.

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*** ROSS CHRISTMAS MARKET ***

MONDAY 28TH NOVEMBER Substantial Cash Prizes and Trophies <u>SPECIAL CLASS for Barren Cows £50 Prize</u> Schedules from the Auctioneers

ROSS AUCTION CENTRE Fortnightly Auction Sale (Green Markets) STORE LAMBS, RAMS & BREEDING EWES Monday 21st and 28th November Advance entries appreciated Tel: WILLIAMS & WATKINS 01989 762225

OVER THIRTY MONTH CATTLE We are now selling in Ross Market over 30 month Cattle Including Cull and Feeding Cows and Clean Cattle (born after August 1996) Buying support has been promised.

Entries must be made in advance to the Market