

SLAPTON HOLSTEINS SELL TO 1500GNS

A crowd of serious buyers gathered around the ring at Beeston Castle Auction to bid on the Slapton herd of Holsteins the property of Messrs R & B Smith of Slapton, Towcester.

This was a very genuine herd of cows that displayed great dairy frames, with super well attached udders.

Trade was firm right through the sale, with several animals smashing through the 1000gns barrier! Leading the days trade was two animals both selling for 1500gns, the first was Slapton Zico Pretty BSR(GP84) (VG-86-MS) this super third calver that calved fresh on the 3rd March and milking extremely well was snapped up by Coopon Lavenham Farms, the other animal sharing the same price was Slapton Jayson Baroness (GP81), she calved fresh earlier in the month, Messrs W A May of Bromsgrove secured her along with several other astute buys. Selling for 1350gns was Slapton Jayson Cara, who was giving 42.4kg daily she was added to the Coopon Lavenham load.

Messrs D H Tetlow & Sons secured a great October calver; for 1320gns Slapton Zico Cyclamen (GP84-2yr)(VG86-MS).

In Calf heifers sold to 1080gns this was for Slapton Kenrick Amore, this super heifer was secured by Messrs F & R Brassington, whilst maiden heifers sold to 670gns for Slapton S Man Carmen.

Averages

115 In Milk Cows & Heifers £812.79

12 In Calf Heifers £897.75

17 Maiden Heifers £624.44

Wright Manley Of Beeston Castle were the Auctioneers