

## DAUNTSEY MILKERS TO 1800GNS

Auctioneers Gwilym Richards & Co report a level trade at the dispersal of the Dauntseyvale herd of commercial pedigree Holstein Friesians at Dauntsey, near Chippenham, Wiltshire, for Arne and Marion Hass.

Top price was 1800gns for a Netherside Dynamo sired second calver which had calved in February having given 7,233kgs as a heifer. The buyers were Trinity Farms Ltd of Seagry.

The sale comprised chiefly of Dutch cattle which had been imported as heifers and the second highest price was for one of these. The March calved 3<sup>rd</sup> calver Marie 228 sold for 1720gns. She was giving 39kgs daily when sold having recorded 9,153kgs with her second calf.

Buyers from Carmarthenshire, Shropshire and Staffordshire were in attendance but most cattle stayed in the home county of Wiltshire and the adjoining county of Gloucestershire.

Averages:

165 milking cows and heifers £1,015.13

26 three quartered and empty cows £596.88

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