

**1,280GNS TOP PRICE FOR  
COWDRAY CROSS-BRED DAIRY CATTLE**

The sale of cross-bred dairy cattle for Cowdray Home Farms at Midhurst, West Sussex, sold for a top price of 1,280gns for a Friesian cross Scandinavian Red second calver. The buyers were Burgess & Son of Lutterworth, Leicestershire.

1,250gns was the best price for a calved heifer with a Brown Swiss cross being purchased by M A Bowditch of Crewkerne, Somerset.

Served heifers sold to 1,020gns for a Scandinavian Red cross due in August. The buyers were A Jones & Sons of Lampeter, Ceredigion.

Ayrshire maiden heifers sold to 750gns, one of 19 Ayrshires purchased by A Hosie & Sons of Sherborne, Dorset, including an Ayrshire in-calf heifer at 960gns. Ayrshire cows sold to 950gns.

All 416 cattle were sold in exactly 6 hours to 35 buyers from 23 counties including Carmarthenshire, Cumbria, Devon and Yorkshire.

Averages:

224 cows £812

115 served heifers £921

72 maiden heifers £491

5 Hereford bulls £1,065

416 head £790

Auctioneers:

GWILYM RICHARDS & CO