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Autumn Calvers in demand at Colac.

A large crowd of Dairymen from throughout Western Victoria and South Gippsland were keen to secure Autumn calving Holsteins at the Complete Dispersal Sale of H Eldridge & Son of Alvie. Backed by near on 100 years of dairying and more than 50 years of AI breeding the large herd presented in tremendous form.

Sale top of \$3100 was reached 3 times for 3 top young cows due early Autumn all sired by Reginald.

5 young cows hit the \$3000 mark for daughters of Reginald, Baltimore and HoBrick.

Top selling Autumn calving heifers were a pen of 4 daughters of Reginald at \$2700 each, while 10 Baltimores brought \$2600.

Top selling Spring calving cows at \$2600 was for a pair of HoBrick 4 year olds.

Selling agents Dairy Livestock Services and Charles Stewart & Co of Colac report the following details –

131 Autumn calving cows ave \$2430.00
50 Autumn calving heifers ave \$2282.00
84 Spring calved cows ave \$1850.00
20 Open Autumn calved cows ave \$1833.00

285 Cows and heifers gross \$624,950.00
ave \$2193.00