Jordan Cattle Auction Thursday, March 9, 2017

**MASON & SAN SABA** – Receipts totaled 1,636 head. All classes of cattle sold steady with last week's increases. Feeder steers and heifers sold steady with a strong demand for 500 to 650 weight steers with condition to be turned out on grass in the next few weeks and light cattle sold in strong demand for graze out on grain fields. The 6 weight steers topped out at \$157 and the 5 weight steers at \$164. The lightweight steers and heifers (300-500 lbs) sold steady with the top steers bringing \$168 to \$190 and the top lightweight heifers bringing \$130 to \$163. Packer cows and bull sold steady with the top cows at \$76.00 and bulls at \$94.50. Replacement heifers remained very strong on choice Brangus, Brangus white face, as well as black white face and Angus heifers. The 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Cattleman's Kind 44 head of Black Simmental and SimAngus bulls (13-18 months old) averaged \$3,282 with the top selling bull at \$6,500.

Steers: choice lightweight calves – 165.00-197.50; choice medium weight calves – 145.00-180.00; choice heavyweight calves – 130.00-157.00

Heifers: choice lightweight calves – 140.00-190.00; choice medium weight calves – 120.00-163.00; choice heavyweight calves – 110.00-150.00

Yearlings: choice lightweight steer yearlings – 120.00-135.00; choice heavyweight steer yearlings – 110.00-121.00; choice lightweight heifer yearlings –105.00-149.00; choice heavyweight heifer yearlings 100.00-115.00; #2 steer calves and yearlings 115.00-150.00; #2 heifer calves and yearlings 100.00-135.00; shorties and plainer calves and yearlings 100.00-130.00

Bred Cows: choice bred cows - 1200.00-1300.00; medium to good bred cows - 1050.00-1190.00; plainer and older bred cows - 960.00-1040.00

Slaughter Cows: high yield – 70.00-77.00; medium yield 61.00-69.00; low yield 52.00-60.00; heiferettes and young stockers – 85.00-110.00

Bulls: high yield -90.00-94.50; medium yield - 86.00-89.00; low yield - 81.50-85.00; feeder - 81.50-88.00

Pairs: Choice – No Test; medium to good – 1250.00-1275.00; plainer and older – 1000.00-1275.00

## **Representative Sales:**

Fall Creek Ranch, Austin, 1 steer 375 lbs 185.00 Damon Blossman, San Saba, 1 steer 405 lbs 180.00 Gary House, Goldthwaite, 2 steers 453 lbs 179.00 John Stephens, De Leon, 1 steer 505 lbs 164.00 Gary House, Goldthwaite, 1 steer 500 lbs 163.00 Jerry Pierce, Early, 11 steers 564 lbs 157.00 Willie Mae Shahan Estate, Lometa, 5 steers 567 lbs 151.00 Mark Ivy Ranches Inc, Mountain Home, 9 steers 581 lbs 151.00 Hemphill Ranch Co, Coleman, 7 steers 623 lbs 149.00 Mike Hail, Lampasas, 1 steer 1645 lbs 144.00 WW Cattle Co, London, 14 steers 632 lbs 141.00 Barry Sutton, Melvin, 6 steers 693 lbs 135.00 David Barksdale, Melvin, 1 steer 705 lbs 135.00 Hemphill Ranch Co, Coleman, 7 steers 750 lbs 125.00 Bill Stoker, Temple, 11 steers 819 lbs 114.00 Rebecca Bates, Rising Star, 1 heifer 470 lbs 163.00 Faught Ranch Partnership, San Saba, 1 heifer 695 lbs 150.00 David Barksdale, Melvin, 1 heifer 730 lbs 149.00 Willie Mae Shahan Estate, Lometa, 9 heifers 441 lbs 145.00 Reggie Osbourn, Llano, 5 heifers 520 lbs 142.00

Dan Bagley Estate, San Saba, 4 heifers 598 lbs 128.00 4K Ranch & Farm Operation, Ft Worth, 18 heifers 569 lbs 124.00 Michael Holubec, Melvin, 22 heifers 602 lbs 117.00 Zachary Shipman, Spring Branch, 1 heifer 835 lbs 115.00 Chad & Kathy Oliver, San Saba, 2 heifers 703 lbs 108.00 Hanging H Ranch, Pecos, 11 steers 274 lbs 192.50 Hanging H Ranch, Pecos, 28 steers 345 lbs 187.00 Hanging H Ranch, Pecos, 30 steers 406 lbs 175.00 Hagood Ranch Partners, Junction, 5 steers 422 lbs 166.00 Ted Loeffler, Fredericksburg, 4 steers 450 lbs 161.00 Six Star Ranch, Conroe, 2 steers 518 lbs 158.00 Triple S Ranch, Llano, 1 steer 695 lbs 151.00 Gary Drgac, McCamey, 9 steers 672 lbs 143.00 Gary Drgac, McCamey, 5 steers 814 lbs 121.00 Alice Brown, Mason, 1 heifer 505 lbs 143.00 Hanging H ranch, Pecos, 22 heifers 427 lbs 142.00 Gaylon Galvin, Mason, 6 heifers 494 lbs 135.00 Charlie McLeod, Pontotoc, 2 heifers 508 lbs 131.00 Ted Loeffler, Fredericksburg, 4 heifers 533 lbs 128.00 Charlie McLeod, Pontotoc, 5 heifers 590 lbs 125.00 Hanging H Ranch, Pecos, 1 heifer 785 lbs 118.00 Hank Kimbriel, Mason, 1 heifer 835 lbs 110.00