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## **Market Reports For Monday 18th June 2018**

### **Market At A Glance**

Prime Steers to 220p/kg & £1434  
Prime Heifers 224p/kg & £1389  
Prime Bulls 182p/kg & £1219  
Spring Lamb SQQ 247p/kg (1856)  
Spring Lambs to 281p/kg & £144  
Prime Hogg SQQ 181p/kg (89)  
Prime Hogs to 209p/kg & £118.50  
Ewes to £118 (378 Avg £79)  
Calves to £270

**\*Thursday 21st June 5:30pm\***

**Standing Crop Sale on behalf of R & J Hill & Son,  
Stockton**

*(Details inside report)*

**Monday 2nd July  
Sale of Store Cattle**

**Monday 23rd July**

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## **CATTLE: 55**

A disappointing entry for numbers was easily accommodated by the full ring of 10 buyers looking for all types, ages, weight and breed of cattle. The large percentage of the entry were working class cattle proved to be the trade of the day easily 3-5 p dearer on the week.

**BULLS:** The trade for these were the talk of the market with the new face at ringside making his presence felt. An entry of native breeds saw dairy types from Mike Sharlot sell to 182p for a 25 month old animal, with others from the same to 169p, this time for a 29 month old Holstein. Beef Shorthorn's sold to 182p for a 25 month old animal from Danzey Green. Top Price per head was £1219.40 with Black and Whites topping at £1130.22 from Fields Farm.

**STEERS:** The commercial types, everybody wanted at an increased trade, while the few cherries on offer held late rates. The section was topped at 220p for a limousin from Alan (the man) Tacy. A nice trailer-load of grass cattle from new customer Messrs Timbs, Oxon sold to 210p for a Simmental and averaged 207p for the load. Native breeds sold to 180 for dairy bred Herefords. Top price per head was £1434.40 from Peatling Parva.

**HEIFERS:** As ever short of requirements and with the large physical buyer presence at ringside, demand is strong for all types. Lester Smith topped the section and sale with a superb heavyweight heifer which realised 224 pence. Parry Walters changed colour this week selling black Limousin's to 217p. Heavyweight sold to £1388.80 from Preston on Stour and Blonde's to £1356.32 from Mark and Carolyn Jackson.

**COWS:** What have we to do to get 30+ cows in the market!!!!

No real showstoppers, but a flying trade with 6 men wanting cows, Lester topped it with a Limousin Cow at 150p, but the cows in the 120-135p bracket looked the trade in the section. White Shorthorn's sold to 137p from Messrs Fenemore, Angus cows from Messrs Bryson sold to 128p, with 223 month Hereford crosses to 120p from Cosby Hill.

**FARMERS REMEMBER MAXIMUM COMMISSION IS £25 A HEAD IN THIS SECTION.**

Craig can be contacted on 07901-787636 for any entries and enquiries to marketing of livestock.

***Auctioneer: C Thompson***

STEERS: 16			
Top prices per head			
Limousin x	652kg	£1434	AE & AM Tacy
Limousin x	620kg	£1265	JW & M Timbs
Limousin x	631kg	£1262	JW & M Timbs
British Blue	690kg	£1228	M J Sharlot
Simmental	583kg	£1224	JW & M Timbs
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	652kg	220p/kg	AE & AM Tacy
Simmental	583kg	210p/kg	JW & M Timbs
Simmental	518kg	204p/kg	G Walker
Limousin x	579kg	204p/kg	JW & M Timbs
Limousin x	620kg	204p/kg	JW & M Timbs

HEIFERS: 17			
Top prices per head			
Limousin x	620kg	£1389	L Smith
Blonde	692kg	£1356	E T Jackson
Limousin x	605kg	£1313	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin x	589kg	£1243	DTP & PA Walters
British Blue	607kg	£1190	J & I J Tivey
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	620kg	224p/kg	L Smith
Limousin x	605kg	217p/kg	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin x	589kg	211p/kg	DTP & PA Walters
Blonde	692kg	196p/kg	E T Jackson
British Blue	607kg	196p/kg	J & I J Tivey

### **CALVES: 10 Forward**

A mixed show of calves today, which saw baby calves to £270 from MJ & R Titterton, selling Limousin x Bulls at 3 weeks, with AW & J Brandreth selling MRI x Bulls at 16 days to £120. Weaned calves saw Angus x to £250 from Pritchett Farms.

More required every fortnight.

***Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd***

## **SHEEP:2362**

### **SPRING LAMBS: 1856 Forward SQQ 247p/kg**

A large increase in lambs and a sharp fall in trade. 247p/g SQQ though one of the highest in the country. It was also worth noting that the yarding of lambs today would be the worst quality on average we have had in the market for several years. Vendors are asked not to rush lambs to sell. A sharp decrease in trade and limited enquiry today with buyers constantly being held back on the phones. That said quality lambs still a sharp enough enquiry. Shannon Mitchell top at 281p/kg for 39kg Beltex with P K Coblely 38kg to 276p/kg. Proper fed lambs from MM Clarke & Son held weight to take 273p/kg at 45kg with 44.5kg the same. In the heavies 46kg to 270p/kg from MM Clarke & Sons with 46kg 260p/kg. Richard Lowe and P & L Gibbs both 258p/kg at 46kg. In the lump £123 for 45kg from MM Clarke & Sons with 44kg at £119.50. 44 to 45kg saw £117 for Messrs Coblely and Osborn & Son. Overall weight wanted today selling to £144 for 65kg from Cecil Thomas. F J Tombs & Son £133 and £137.50 for 53 and 55kg with P & LA Gibbs 53kg to £130.50. A matter of Supply catching up with Demand nationally and abattoirs happy to stop kills rather than work for a loss.

### ***Auctioneer: Tom Wrench***

Spring Lamb: SQQ 247(p/kg) under 45.5kg			
Per kilo			
Beltex x	39.00kgs	281p/kg	S Mitchell
Beltex x	38.00kgs	276p/kg	P K Coblely
Charollais x	45.00kgs	273p/kg	M M Clarke & Sons
Charollais x	44.50kgs	269p/kg	M M Clarke & Sons
Charollais x	39.00kgs	267p/kg	M M Clarke & Sons
Per HEAD			
Charollais x	45.00kgs	£123.00	M M Clarke & Sons
Charollais x	44.50kgs	£119.50	M M Clarke & Sons
Charollais x	44.50kgs	£117.00	M M Clarke & Sons
Beltex x	44.00kgs	£117.00	P K Coblely
Texel x	45.00kgs	£117.00	R J Osborn & Son

Spring Lamb: OVER 45.5kg			
Per kilo			
Charollais x	46.50kgs	270p/kg	M M Clarke & Sons
Charollais x	46.00kgs	261p/kg	M M Clarke & Sons
Charollais x	47.50kgs	260p/kg	M M Clarke & Sons
Charollais x	46.00kgs	258p/kg	J & R Lowe
Texel x	46.00kgs	258p/kg	P & LA Gibbs
Per HEAD			
Charollais x	65.00kgs	£144.00	C W Thomas
Suffolk x	55.00kgs	£137.50	FJ Tombs & Son
Charollais x	53.00kgs	£133.00	FJ Tombs & Son
Suffolk x	53.00kgs	£130.50	P & LA Gibbs
Charollais x	51.50kgs	£127.00	F J Tombs & Son

**PRIME HOGGS: 89 Forward SQQ 181p/kg**

Nearly all gone but absolutely fought for with 209p/kg top for Messrs Page Bros and £118.50 for Brian Aries

***Auctioneer: Tom Wrench***

## Store Lambs: 39 Forward

Really the winding up of store hogs, and slowly seeing a start to this seasons store lambs. Top today to FJ Wardall & Son selling Texel x NSL to £74, with JC Bostock selling Jacob x to £68.50.

**Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd**

## Cull Ewes: 378 Forward

After last weeks monstrous show, the ewe numbers as expected were much shorter, and trade subdued. Top today from ST Phillips, Tamworth selling Texel x to £118, with Richard Lowe Selling big pens to £117. RJ Wright sold Suffolks to £109, with FJ Wardall & Son selling Cross-breds to £108, with D&M Herrick selling Texel x to £107. Top mules today to £96 from RW Heygate. Ewe trade has dipped after the festival and should definitely be monitored to market stock to advantage.

**Auctioneer: Tom Wrench**

Texel x	£118	S T Phillips	Texel x	£104	Page Bros
Texel x	£117	J & R Lowe	Suffolk x	£103	M M Clarke & Sons
Suffolk x	£109	R J Wright	Texel x	£102	RW & HJ Dewes
X bred	£108	F J Wardall & Son	Texel x	£101	J Smith
Texel x	£107	D & M Herrick	X bred	£99.50	J & R Lowe

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