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Market Reports For Monday 23rd January 2017

Market At A Glance

Prime Steers to 225p/kg & £1460
Prime Heifers to 219p/kg & £1372
Prime Bulls to 182p/kg & £1402
Cows to 160p/kg & £1022
Prime Hogs to 159p/kg & £95.50
Prime Hogg SQQ 175.5p/kg
Cull Ewes to £100
Calves to £234

**Monday 30th January
2pm**

~Approximately 600~

**3 Genuine Flock Dispersals of In-Lamb Ewes
February, March Lambing
Lleyn, NCM, Welsh Mule & Continental**

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CATTLE: 112 forward

Prime Cattle: 27 forward

A nice entry but twice as many needed. Only a glance at the gross and per kg column shows that the trade is all here for you. In the Steers some shape and finish today as well as weight. Top ppk to Parry Walters with a handy weight Steer to 225p/kg whilst heavy weights from PD & CA Davenport returned 193p/kg and £1460 with Messrs Hopkins taking £1342 and £1343.

Heifers a good show and some feeding on show today not just breeding with heifers to 219p/kg and ahead of Messrs Davenport at 213p/kg and Baylis Partners 211p/kg. Top gross again with weight to the Banbury boys at £1372 and £1310.

A real trade today and some momentum as buyers wanting them at less money but also needing the meat.

Bulls

A couple from Padray Farms, with well fed none assured bulls to 180p/kg, or £1401.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

STEERS & BULLS: 10			
Top prices per head			
Limousin x	756kg	£1459	P D & C A Davenport
Charolais x	770kg	£1401	Padray Farms
Limousin x	718kg	£1342	RAJ & D Hopkins
Limousin x	764kg	£1315	RAJ & D Hopkins
Limousin x	711kg	£1308	R W Cross & Partners
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	756 kg	193p/kg	P D & C A Davenport
Limousin x	654kg	191p/kg	R W Cross & Partners
Limousin x	718kg	187p/kg	RAJ & D Hopkins
Limousin x	665kg	186p/kg	RAJ & D Hopkins

HEIFERS: 10			
Top prices per head			
Limousin x	644kg	£1372	P D & C A Davenport
Limousin x	689kg	£1310	P D & C A Davenport
Limousin x	640kg	£1286	R J Heckford
Limousin x	600kg	£1254	D TP & PA Walters
Limousin x	614kg	£1246	JB Baylis & Partners
Top prices per kilo			
British Blue	535kg	219p/kg	R J Heckford
Limousin x	644kg	213p/kg	P D & C A Davenport
Limousin x	560kg	211p/kg	J B Baylis & Partners
Limousin	600kg	209p/kg	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin x	588kg	208p/kg	R W Cross & Partners

COWS: 12 Forward

Cows to 160p/kg from Messrs Coley for a slip whilst Grade 2 cows from Padray farms to 135p/kg. Untested feeding cows from DC Hancock to 87p/kg for plain types.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Calves: 1 Forward

What a shame! Just the one calf forward today and men everywhere fit for some! A Limousin x heifer from D&E Trice sold to £234 at 5 weeks. Calves would be as dear here as anywhere, and we have men crying out for them!

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

<p>Next week 4 Limousin x Bulls 1 Limousin x Heifer 1 British Blue x Heifer All 5-6 weeks from D&E Trice</p>

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SHEEP: 2707

Prime Hogs: 1742 forward SQQ 175.55p/kg

Over 1700 lambs penned on a day where the men just were not interested, with two accounts not represented, with supermarkets choosing New Zealand lamb, and Christmas credit card bills tightening purses everywhere. That said with 802 lambs in the SQQ to average 176p/kg, which puts RFM firmly in the top end of the Monday trade. Quality in the Hogs today however very changeable, and meat and finish at a marked premium over lean lambs. Smart Charollais x from Andrew Geary top of the tree today at 198p/kg at 40kg, with overnight lambs from AN Calcott & Son seeing 194p/kg at 35kg, with the next two pens at 191p/kg for the same weight. Early riser Graham Tutton showed 40kg Beltex x to 189p/kg. In the heavies, W Rogers showed smart 47kg Texel x to 179p/kg, with IA Heady also showing Texels, at 46kg to 177p/kg. Frank Page showed 46kg Beltex x to 174p/kg while R&A Adams, and Humphrey Livestock both showed 46kg Texel x to 172p/kg and 171p/kg respectively. In the lump, Euro Specs topped at £79 for Andrew Gearys 40kg Charollais x, with GL Woodard selling 42kg Charollais x to £78.50, and Ben Burton hitting £78 twice with Texels at 44kg and 44.5kg, Graham Tutton then went on to sell 42kg Texels to £77.50. Overall top today to Rich and Lynne Smith seeing 62kg Suffolk x to £95.50, and 58.5 kg to £93. John Hill showed monster Charollais x to see £92 with 61kg and Herefordshire wanderer Owen Morgan sold 59kg Charollais x to £90, while A Tarry-Smith showed Suffolks at 57kg to £87. Hogg trade in disarray across the land, with end product sales slow, and supplies of heavy lambs everywhere. ***WE HAVE NOW STARTED BELLY CLIPPING HOGGS ON A SUNDAY EVENING. PLEASE MAKE USE OF THIS SERVICE AND CALL TO BOOK HOGGS IN FOR CLIPPING*** Some abattoirs are making efforts to refuse Hogs that aren't clipped, and others are making refusing to buy unclipped Hogs. Please ensure Hogs are presented clean for sale.

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Prime Hogs: SQQ (175.55p/kg)			
Per kilo EURO (under 45.5kg)			
Charollais x	40.00kgs	198p/kg	A J Geary
Beltex x	35.00kgs	194p/kg	A N Calcott & Son
Beltex x	35.00kgs	191p/kg	A N Calcott & Son
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Texel x	40.00kgs	189p/kg	G Tutton

Per HEAD			
Charollais x	40.00kgs	£79.00	A J Geary
Charollais x	42.00kgs	£78.50	G L Woodard
Beltex x	44.50kgs	£78.00	B C Burton
Texel x	44.00kgs	£78.00	B C Burton
Beltex x	42.00kgs	£77.50	G Tutton

Per kilo HEAVIES (45.5kg & over)			
Texel x	47.00kgs	179p/kg	William Rogers
Texel x	46.00kgs	177p/kg	IA Heady
Beltex x	46.00kgs	174p/kg	Page Bros
Texel x	46.00kgs	172p/kg	R & A Adams & Partners
Texel x	46.00kgs	171p/kg	Humphrey Livestock

Per head			
Suffolk x	62.00kgs	£95.50	J K Smith & Sons
Suffolk x	58.50kgs	£93.00	J K Smith & Sons
Charollais x	61.00kgs	£92.00	J Hill
Charollais x	59.00kgs	£90.00	ORP Morgan
Suffolk x	57.50kgs	£87.00	A Tarry-Smith

Cull Ewes : 577 forward

A tidy yard of ewes, with some real power amongst them. Top today for JP Page & Sons selling a ram to £100, equal to PE&EH King, who also sold Charollais Rams to £100. Texel x from Frank Page to £92 and strong cross breeds to £88.50 from John Peebles. Top Suffolks today for R Phizacklea to £87, with top mules from PL Morris at £83. Ewes today still wanted and although less trade nationally meat and power the best touch, with poor, grazing types much harder to fix. Trade today £10 dearer than expected.

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X Bred	£100.00	J P Page & Sons	X Bred	£90.00	J Peebles
Charollais x	£100.00	PE & EH King	X Bred	£88.50	Parkinson Partners
Charollais x	£96.00	R G Elliot & Son	Suffolk x	£87.00	Phizacklea & Co
Texel x	£92.00	Page Bros	X Bred	£87.00	Hutchings & Sons
Texel x	£91.00	J S Hammon	X Bred	£85.00	Heritage Farms

Store Lambs : 388 Forward

A smaller show of store lambs forward, both in number and size. Top today for SD Shipton reaching £67.50 for Suffolk x, with Frank Page equaling that figure for Beltex x. Short keep stores £60-£67.50, with nothing particularly framey amongst them. Mid-term lambs £54-£59, with long term lambs £35-£50 only rare breeds and very small under this figure. Store lambs still a sharp trade, though just starting to feel the pressure from the slip in the fat trade. A small run of grazing ewes topped at £42 from Peter Amor.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Store Cattle- 72

A seasonal show of store cattle forward, with some men unable to bring cattle for various reasons, but what a day they missed out on. A Breeding Bull to start saw SF Summers sell a 2013 Angus to £1550, with feeding cows from J&P North to £810. On into the stores which saw a smart consignment of spring born cattle from Ellis Partners between 9 & 11 months with Limousin x steers at £945, with other pens around the £900 mark. Heifers from the Ellis's topped at £820, for a pen full. A change in breed saw Woods Farm Meriden sell 11 month old Angus x steers to £930, while Spabrook LTD sold Herefords to £870, for steers at 15 months. Moving up the ages saw RW Mellor sell Angus steers to £970 at 21 months, with neighbour RL Root selling Simmental x steers to top the sale at £1050. Trade for all today, and no real big sorts but what was sold fast. Next store cattle sale Monday 6th February.

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SECOND SALE OF IN-LAMB EWES

~Approximately 500 ~

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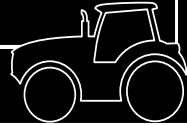
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