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Market Reports For Monday 20th August 2018

Market At A Glance

Prime Steers to 214p/kg & £1341
Prime Heifers to 228p/kg & £1370
OTM Cattle 132p/kg & £1398
Prime Lamb SQQ 187p/kg (2525)
Prime Lambs to 213p/kg & £111
Ewes to £111 (804 Avg £68)

Friday 24th August

Special Sale of Store Lambs

Thursday 30th August 6:30pm

Beltex Central Club Show & Sale

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CATTLE : 44

PRIME CATTLE 28

An increased entry of prime cattle was on offer to the usual good company of butchers and wholesalers, with a regular making a welcome re-appearance. Trade taking quality into consideration would be sharper on the week with meat wanted, whilst quality cattle with shape but lacking flesh were discounted by up to 5p per kilo.

STEERS: 15 HEAD

Improved quality with several runs of in-side fed cattle forward. The section was topped at 214p by a heavyweight Charolais from Brian Smith, others sold to 212p from John Stephens. Other breeds sold to 201p for Salers from Roger and Tom Elliott and Angus's 199p from Geoff Walker.

HEIFERS: 12 HEAD

Excellent show for shape quality and numbers, with several runs of well finished Butchers heifers. The section and sale was topped at 228p twice for Limousin's shown by the Trevitt Family, Gospel Oak Farm. Brian Smith sold heavy Charolais to 215p and 214p, with lightweights to 205 from Richard Fontaine. Native Breeds sold to 201p from Geoff and Sue who sold others to 198p.

OTM,s: 6 HEAD

Extra buyers at ringside saw all types dearer from the Dexter's, Red Polls to the Blonde's and Limousin's. Topping the section at 132p was a blonde cow from Messrs Tivey, Wood Farm. Suckler Cows sold to 120p from Messrs Morris, with Shorthorn Cross's to 113p from Mr Wightman. Cast Bulls sold to 128p for a limousin from Messrs Cross, grossing £1397.76, Red Polls sold to 104p grossing £865.28.

Auctioneer: Craig Thompson

STEERS & BULLS: 15			
Top prices per head			
Salers	667kg	£1341	R G Elliott & Son
Limousin x	627kg	£1329	J D Stephens
Salers	664kg	£1321	R G Elliott & Son
Charollais x	613kg	£1312	B M F Smith
Salers	654kg	£1288	R G Elliott & Son
Top prices per kilo			
Charollais x	613kg	214p/kg	B M F Smith
Limousin x	627kg	212p/kg	J D Stephens
Salers	667kg	201p/kg	R G Elliott & Son
Simmental	604kg	200p/kg	G R Fontaine
Aberdeen Angus	537kg	199p/kg	G Walker

HEIFERS: 12			
Top prices per head			
Charolais x	637kg	£1370	B M F Smith
Limousin	594kg	£1354	RW & HER Trivett
Charolais x	617kg	£1320	B M F Smith
Limousin	572kg	£1304	RW & HER Trivett
Limousin x	553kg	£1134	G R Fontaine
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin	572kg	228p/kg	RW & HER Trivett
Limousin	594kg	228p/kg	RW & HER Trivett
Charolais	637kg	215p/kg	B M F Smith
Charolais x	617kg	214p/kg	B M F Smith
Limousin	550kg	205p/kg	GR Fontaine

Calf Sale Next Monday 10:20am

SHEEP:3557

PRIME LAMBS: 2525 Forward SQQ 187p/kg

Quarbani day, following a week where unprecedented numbers of sheep came out across the country to meet, and exceed, an Eid Festival demand. Trade today must be reported as sticky with customers short on orders and trade falling rapidly elsewhere with some places as low as 20p per kg elsewhere. Here though an SQQ of 187p/kg only 6p back on the week which included some very light meated lambs that depressed the trade. Fed lambs still good returns. Top today from J Herod 213p/kg for 40kg with Beltex from M J Woodard 42kg to 205p/kg and Pear Tree Farming Partners 44kg at equal money. In the heavies meated shape the order of the day seeing 50.5kg to 208p/kg from L Weatherburn with Blue Texel. Fed Lambs from O Pritchett 46kg 204p/kg and Messrs Weatherburn 202p/kg for 50.5kg. In the lump Euro lambs topping at 44kg for £90 and CBE Price showing super meat to £90 for 45kg, R & B Smith equal money. Overall top today £111 for 66kg from Harrison Bros with equal weight £110 from G Bostock & Sons. R T Haynes £109 for 62kg and Angela Tarry-Smith and Tom to £105 for 61kg.

Trade sticky as numbers overtook demand. Next week a pivotal week with predictions that trade will find a limited outlet after the feast of this week.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Spring Lamb: SQQ 187p/kg) under 45.5kg			
Per kilo			
Beltex x	40.00kgs	213p/kg	J Herod
Beltex x	42.00kgs	205p/kg	M J Woodward
Charollais x	44.00kgs	205p/kg	Pear tree Partners
Charollais x	37.00kgs	200p/kg	P J Hicks
Texel x	38.00kgs	200p/kg	W Taylor

Per HEAD			
Charollais x	44.00kgs	£90.00	Pear Tree Partners
Texel x	45.00kgs	£90.00	C B E Price
Texel x	45.00kgs	£90.00	R & B Smith
Texel x	45.00kgs	£89.00	G R Fountaine
Charollais x	45.00kgs	£88.50	R Morris & Sons

Spring Lamb: OVER 45.5kg			
Per kilo			
Texel x	50.50kgs	208p/kg	L Weatherburn
Texel x	46.00kgs	204p/kg	O Pritchett
Texel x	50.50kgs	202p/kg	L Weatherburn
Beltex x	50.00kgs	200p/kg	Passmore & Nunneley
Texel x	46.00kgs	199p/kg	R & B Smith
Per HEAD			
Texel x	66.00kgs	£111.00	Harrison Bros
Charollais x	66.00kgs	£110.00	G Bostock & Sons
Texel x	62.00kgs	£109.00	R T Haynes
Suffolk x	61.00kgs	£105.00	A Tarry-Smith
Texel x	50.50kgs	£105.00	L Weatherburn



Thursday 13th September 6:30pm

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Cull Ewes: 804 Forward

A drop back in numbers to just over 800 ewes this week. A cautious entry as ewes dropped to a 5 year low in the middle of last week as Supplies came forward in massive numbers. Dry weather and cash flow dictating that Britain was awash with lean Ewes last week and as such the value of Ewe meat drawn back. Notwithstanding the aforementioned a trade possibly £10 up on the week with heavy ewes not back by any means to where they have been but medium meated Ewes a very swift trade with Mules topping at £90 from Harrison Bros. Heavy Ewes to £111 for Suffolks from S & J Farming, Brackley. Bishop Agriculture sold Texels to £110. Suffolks from C D Harrison £108. Medium Ewes today trading £75 to £90 and looking £15 up on the week. Lean ewes hard to shift and vendors are asked to question the cost effective nature of what to feed this autumn. Feeding Lean ewes this year really may pay as well as anything.

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Suffolk x	£111	S & J Farming	Suffolk x	£104.50	J Plumb
Texel x	£110	Bishop Agriculture	Suffolk x	£104	M W Emery
Suffolk x	£108	C D Harrison & Sons	x bred	£101.50	B & SM Sutton
Suffolk x	£105.50	M M Clarke & Sons	Texel x	£101	H S Underwood & Son
Suffolk x	£104.50	MG & M Barnes	x bred	£100	G S Eaton

Store Lambs:229 Forward

A few more about but in general no genuine Store lambs but instead tail end Charlies looking for new homes. Short Keep lambs to £77 from Holly Weaver with J Rutter Ram Lambs to £67. Mid Keep £66 to £54 mainly Rare Breeds under. The best part of 3000 through the main ring this Friday. See you there

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

Next Week

20 North Country Mule Theaves from Cottesbrooke Estate

STORE CATTLE :9 Forward

A small seasonal catalogue entry of mainly young native breed stores was offered to a useful ring of farmers looking for all types of store cattle. Small Shorthorn heifers sold to £500 from Messrs Honour who sold steers to £570. The sale was topped at £995 by a pair of 16 month Angus Steers from Mr. D. Harris with the sister selling to £895. Farmers as the autumn is shortly upon us, do contact us with regard to the sale of your cattle. We are always willing to do a farm visit and advise you on the valuation and marketing of your cattle to your best advantage.

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Celia is a rural vicar, an FCN volunteer and an experienced shepherd, I am sure that you will both make her welcome and chat to her.

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