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## **Market Reports For Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2018**

### **Market At A Glance**

Prime Steers to 208p/kg & £1317  
Prime Heifers to 211p/kg & £1267  
Prime Lamb SQQ 184p/kg (2216)  
Prime Lambs to 219p/kg & £110  
Ewes to £96 (556 Avg £67)  
Store Lambs to £70

Monday 3rd December  
Christmas Primestock Show

Saturday 8th December

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Also this day **Smallholders Sale**

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## **CATTLE:56**

### **PRIME CATTLE:43 HEAD**

A reduced entry of cattle was on offer to a good company of Butchers and Wholesalers, who wanted cattle in particular, first quality which proved woefully short of ringside demand. Commercial cattle, taking like for like would easily uphold late rates, while the small number of Butchers cattle met strong competition from all corners of the ringside which bodes for next week's show.

### **BULLS:6 HEAD**

An entry solely of black-white's saw 4 men bidding for all types with demand outstripping supply. Topping the section at 132p was a heavyweight from Messrs Ratcliffe, Broughton Astley. Heavyweights sold to £833.75 from Elms Farm, as ever more are required on a weekly basis.

### **STEERS:20 HEAD**

Increased numbers were easily accommodated by the buyers at ringside with several new orders in operation. Topping the section was a Heavyweight Angus from Messrs J & I.J. Tivey which realized 208p with other Angus to 200p. Heavyweights sold to 198p for an Angus from Messrs Cross, Aston Flamville. Heavyweight Charolais sold to £1316.88 from Staverton Lodge.

### **HEIFERS:18 HEAD**

A mixed entry for quality saw demand strong, with all types in demand especially the best. Topping the section and sale was a heavyweight Limousin at 211p from Parry Walters, who sold others to 206p. Angus's sold to 203p from Ivan Tivey with sisters to 200p. Top price per head was £1267.30 from Staverton Lodge, Simmentals topped at £1233.75.

### **OTM's and COWS 13 HEAD**

Trade in this section continues to be difficult, with several orders missing at ringside, but those present, bid freely for all types on offer. OTM's sold to 161p for a Beef Shorthorn Heifer from Messrs Robson which grossed £1226.85, others sold to 155p or an Angus from JMT Engineering Ltd. Cows sold to a top of 118p for a limousin from Messrs Wrench

Farmers; Christmas Primestock Show and Sale next Monday. Extra buyers in attendance all types of cattle wanted, could do with 40 plus commercial cattle.

***Auctioneer: Craig Thompson***

STEERS & BULLS:			
Top prices per head			
Simmental	744kg	£1317	JMT Engineering Ltd
Aberdeen Angus	650kg	£1287	R W Cross & Partners
Simmental	724kg	£1274	JMT Engineering Ltd
Simmental	692kg	£1253	JMT Engineering Ltd
Simmental	680kg	£1244	JMT Engineering Ltd
Top prices per kilo			
Aberdeen Angus	563kg	208p/kg	J & I J Tivey
Aberdeen Angus	563kg	200p/kg	G Walker
Aberdeen Angus	523kg	200p/kg	G Walker
Aberdeen Angus	650kg	198p/kg	R W Cross & Partners
Simmental	554kg	195p/kg	R & T Reeve

HEIFERS:			
Top prices per head			
Limousin x	667kg	£1267	JMT Engineering Ltd
Simmental x	705kg	£1234	BT Caswell & Son
Limousin x	584kg	£1232	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin	597kg	£1230	DTP & PA Walters
Simmental	673kg	£1178	B T Caswell & Son
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	584kg	211p/kg	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin	597kg	206p/kg	DTP & PA Walters
Aberdeen Angus	547kg	203p/kg	J & I J Tivey
Aberdeen Angus	560kg	200p/kg	J & I J Tivey
Aberdeen Angus	543kg	195p/kg	R W Cross & Partners

**Calf Sale Next Monday**

**SHEEP:3037**

**PRIME LAMBS: 2216 Forward SQQ 184p/kg**

A much harder sell today with customers reporting slowed sales showing a decreased SQQ at 184p/kg and a more lethargic enquiry albeit again a poor quality yarding. In the Euro section some quality from Page Bros saw 219p/kg and 218p/kg for 37.5kg and 39kg ahead of SJ Denne 39kg to 210p/kg and Alan Collett 44kg to 207p/kg.

In the heavies a top of 189 p/kg from Humphrey Livestock at 46kg with J & P Seymour 49kg 183p/kg and C Stubbs, Northampton 46kg 179p/kg. In the lump Euro lambs topping at £91 for 44kg from Alan Collett with pens full from B C Burton £88 for 44kg and Page Bros £87.5 for 43kg. Overall a top gross today of £110 for a single donkey from H L Goode & Son with a pen of proper meat from Rocky Poulson 56kg to £100 with H L Goode & Son £98 for 18 at 61kg. Trade stickier than past weeks not helped by a dirth of badly bred over fat lambs.

***Auctioneer: Tom Wrench***

We are sad to announce the passing of John Busby.  
His funeral will be held on Monday 3rd December 11:30am  
at The Church of the Immaculate Conception, Bicester.

Spring Lamb: SQQ 184p/kg) under 45.5kg			
Per kilo			
Beltex x	37.50kgs	219p/kg	Page Bros
Beltex x	39.00kgs	218p/kg	Page Bros
Texel x	39.00kgs	210p/kg	SJ Denne
Texel x	44.00kgs	207p/kg	AR & J Collett
Texel x	41.00kgs	205p/kg	R Richins

Per HEAD			
Texel x	44.00kgs	£91.00	A R & J Collett
Texel x	44.00kgs	£89.50	B C Burton
Texel x	44.00kgs	£88.00	R Richins
Beltex x	43.00kgs	£87.50	Page Bros
Texel x	44.50kgs	£87.00	B C Burton

Spring Lamb: OVER 45.5kg			
Per kilo			
Beltex x	46.00kgs	189p/kg	Humphrey Livestock
Texel x	49.00kgs	183p/kg	J & P Seymour
Cheviot	46.00kgs	179p/kg	C Stubbs
Charollais x	56.00kgs	179p/kg	Poulson & Co
Charollais x	49.50kgs	178p/kg	J & R Lowe

Per HEAD			
Suffolk x	76.00kgs	£110.00	H L Goode & Son
Charollais x	56.00kgs	£100.00	Poulson & Co
Suffolk x	61.00kgs	£98.00	H L Goode & Son
Suffolk x	61.00kgs	£98.00	H L Goode & Son
Charollais x	60.50kgs	£97.00	J & R Lowe

## Store Lambs: 265 Forward

A short entry following Fridays sale, with trade a shilling or two less, but mainly because of the complete lack of quality. Top today to WG Batchelor & Son selling Ram Lambs to £70, with Charollais x from WH & R Weston to £66.50. MJ Woodward sold Suffolk x to £65. Shorter term lambs all £60 + with mid-term types £52-£55. The majority of the entry little hard lambs trade £40-£50.

Next Week- Due to the Fatstock Show Store Lamb Numbers Limited, due to time Constraints

**Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd**

## Cull Ewes: 556 Forward

A stronger trade throughout. Top today from DP Jones Agricultural Contractors selling Crossbreds to £96, with WE Green & Son selling rams to £91, equal with W Lambourne's Texels. J&R Lowe sold Suffolk x ewes to £88 equal to his Continental x. Top Mules today from W Lambourne to £85. Ewes looking sharper today.

**Auctioneer: Tom Wrench**

X bred	£96	D P Jones Agricultural Contractors	Texel x	£87	IPG Farms
Texel x	£91	W E Green & Son	Texel x	£86	M C & M Herbert
Texel x	£91	W Lambourne	Suffolk x	£85	W Gaydon
Suffolk x	£88	J & R Lowe	Mule	£85	W Lambourne
Continental x	£88	J & R Lowe	Suffolk x	£85	W E Green & Son

## **Store Cattle Friday 23rd November: 274 Forward**

An improved entry on the year and a good strength of buying support at ringside. Young suckled Calves and best sorts must be reported as very dear with heavy Cattle a stand on trade and cold or bad grading cattle just as hard to sell as they have been all year. W H Robinson & Son got us off to a bang seeing Charolais Steers at 7 months to £850 with others £800 and sisters £710 whilst Stabilisers to £725. Messrs Lovett, Measham sold to a terrific trade with 8 month old Steers to £720. 11 to 13 month old Beef Shorthorn Steers from Robert Leach saw a big pen full at £795. Team Semple with the weekly consignment saw £1000 at 9 months of age with others 11 to 8 months £950 and £930. Bucket Calves from Louise Trice saw 15 month Limousin Steers at £920 and Sisters £800. E C Parker showed the firsts of his Charolais Steers sired by W H Robinsons Bull to £1065 at 18 months with others £1010 at 16 months. First time vendors, OJ & MJ Guest of Twycross showed a consignment of Cattle of the exact specifications buyers require from Store Cattle in the current Market place topping out at £1190 at 16 months of age with others £1135 and £1100. Younger cattle from the same saw £850 for 13 months of age. D P Jones Ag Contractors showed older weight to £1105 for Herefords at 21 months with others £1100. Angus from A Davenport & Sons, Rugby sold to £1180 at 19 months with others full pen at £1100. 17 month old Steers from the same home saw the ring full at £1100 with sisters £1050. Strength from Kevin Welsby saw 23 month old Charolais Steers to £1180 with 20 to 21 month Steers £1090 to £1030 and sisters £920. Pound for pound the dearest trade of the year but good honest Store cattle today a testament to the need not to show cattle that leave the next owner little room to manoeuvre.

***Auctioneer: Tom Wrench***

## **Store Lambs Friday 23rd November : 750 Forward**

An entry of store lambs that was desperately short, faces around the ring from near and from far, all fit for lambs. Top quality very short, with the top price for Ram lambs from SW Mason, selling to £78, with Suffolks from JW Pickford & Son selling to £74. Strong lambs very short, with trade for these between £66 and £74. Mid-term types £56-£62 with the longer term better sorts around the £50 mark. Harder bred sorts around £45 and only the very small or rare bred under £40. Overall market average £56.50 to include absolutely everything. Lambs travelling to Leek and Staford as well as locally. Buyers are seeking lambs, if you have any to market please contact us.

***Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd***



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