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Market Reports For Monday 27th November 2017

Market At A Glance

Prime Bulls to 180p/kg & £1610
Prime Steers to 205p/kg & £1362
Prime Heifers to 226p/kg & £1483
Prime Lamb SQQ 181p/kg (1237)
Prime Lambs to 208p/kg & £104.50
Cull Ewes to £109 (1164 Avg £64)
Calves to £323
Store Cattle to £1165

**Monday 4th December
Christmas Primestock Show**

**Saturday 9th December
Smallholders Sale**

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CATTLE: 67

Prime Cattle: 40 Forward

A handy number but in truth a show of generally poor sorts with over half Store Cattle.

Meat though again wanted and demand remaining.

In the Steers a top of 205p/kg and 202p/kg from C D Harrison & Sons whilst top gross with weight £1610 for J R Morris with a heavy Charolais Steer. R Grades generally 200p/kg or more.

Heifers today either good meated and well finished or very short of feeding. Good empty cattle a smart trade selling to 226p/kg from R J Heckford ahead of RJ Grindal at 224 and Parry Walters at 221p/kg x2. In the gross a top of £1483 for R Heckford.

Cattle wanted but much of today's show Store Cattle that would pay well to be TB tested and shown as Stores.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

STEERS & BULLS: 24			
Top prices per head			
Charolais	970kg	£1610	J R Morris
Limousin x	788kg	£1403	Heart of England Farms
Limousin x	688kg	£1362	C D Harrison & Sons
Aberdeen Angus	670kg	£1340	R W Cross & Partners
Simmental	662kg	£1331	J H Thomas & Son
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	638kg	205p/kg	C D Harrison & Sons
Limousin x	644kg	202p/kg	C D Harrison & Sons
Simmental x	662kg	201p/kg	J H Thomas & Son
Limousin x	612kg	200p/kg	P Amor
Aberdeen Angus x	670kg	200p/kg	R W Cross & Partners

HEIFERS: 16			
Top prices per head			
Limousin x	656kg	£1483	R J Heckford
Limousin x	601kg	£1298	R J Grindal & Co
Charolais x	630kg	£1298	C W Reay & Son
Limousin x	576kg	£1290	R J Grindal & Co
Charolais x	611kg	£1240	C W Reay & Son
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	656kg	226p/kg	R J Heckford
Limousin	576kg	224p/kg	R J Grindal & Co
Limousin x	522kg	221p/kg	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin x	524kg	221p/kg	DTP & PA Walters
Limousin x	601kg	216p/kg	R J Grindal & Co

COWS: 10 Forward

Again really wanted and many more easily fixed.

Top today a slip to 164p/kg from J R Morris ahead of a Hereford tucked up Cow to 150p/kg from D P Jones Contracting, older model South Devons from K Badger a grade 3 Cow to 141p/kg and R Heckford 136p/kg. Top gross £1253 to Mr Morris with Kirsty Badger £1059. Aged Bulls saw old Simmetal Stock Bulls to 129p/kg from R Nichols whilst a heavy Hereford Aged Bull 113p/kg for Wally McCurdie returning £1255.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

CALVES: 17 Forward

A better show of calves forward today, with some better sorts amongst them. Top this week for a lovely British Blue x heifer to £323 at 5 weeks, from D&E Trice, with bull calves from the same stable to £300. HMP Hewell Grange sold British Blue x bulls to £235 at 2 months.

More next week.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

SHEEP:2875

Prime Lambs: 1237 Forward SQQ 181p/kg

Shortage of numbers with under 1300 on parade today and in truth a poor show of meat in the Euro section although heavy lambs much fitter than past weeks. Trade a real lift off with several accounts desperate to take numbers and levelling the SQQ at 181p/kg. At 45 to 46% a deadweight comparison not far shy of 400p/kg!!

Euro lambs today topped by Page Bros at 208p/kg for 32kg with others 204 and 203p/kg. Heavies topping at 200p/kg for A Beaumont at 50kg with Alberto Goulding 192p/kg for 47.5kg with 189p/kg twice for A Beaumont at 46kg. In the lump a top for Euro lambs of £92 for 45kg from Page Bros with BC Burton 43kg to £86 and £85 for 42kg. In the lump heavies a large uplift to top at 104.50 twice for 60kg from BMF Smith with others £101 for 57.5kg and Ted Taylor £100.50 for 60kg.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Keith Evans of Squab Hall Farm, Bishops Tachbrook sadly passed away on 16th November. There will be a Memorial Service on Thursday 14th December at 11:30am at Squab Hall Farm.

With great sadness we report the passing of Mr J Tustian, Towcester our sympathy and Prayers are with his Family at this sad time.
Funeral to be held at St Lawrence Church Towcester.
Friday 1st December at 12.30. Followed by a Wake at the Towcestrians Rugby Cub (One of his favourite places) Donations to Cancer Research & Mcmillan Nurses.

Prime Lamb: SQQ 181/kg) UNDER 45.5kg			
Per KILO			
Beltex x	32.00kgs	208p/kg	Page Bros
Beltex x	45.00kgs	204p/kg	Page Bros
Beltex x	39.00kgs	203p/kg	Page Bros
Charollais x	35.00kgs	203p/kg	P A Masters
Beltex x	42.00kgs	202p/kg	Page Bros

Per HEAD			
Beltex x	45.00kgs	£92.00	Page Bros
Beltex x	43.00kgs	£86.00	B C Burton
Beltex x	42.00kgs	£85.00	Page Bros
Texel x	45.00kgs	£84.50	Page Bros
Texel x	45.00kgs	£83.50	Page Bros

Prime Lamb: OVER 45.5kg			
Per KILO			
Charollais x	50.00kgs	200p/kg	A Beaumont
Texel x	47.50kgs	192p/kg	A W Goolding
Charollais x	46.00kgs	189p/kg	A Beaumont
Charollais x	49.00kgs	189p/kg	A Beaumont
Texel x	47.00kgs	183p/kg	Phil Darby Structures

Per HEAD			
Texel x	60.00kgs	£104.50	B M F Smith
Texel x	61.50kgs	£104.50	B M F Smith
Texel x	57.50kgs	£101.00	B M F Smith
Texel x	57.50kgs	£100.50	B M F Smith
Charollais x	60.50kgs	£100.50	E J Taylor & Son

Store Lambs: 474 Forward

Another fair sized show of store lambs, with not quite 500 penned. Top today from Woody Pecker, seeing Suffolk x at £72 with PT Harris selling Charollais x to £69. Short term stores dearer today seeing them between £64 and £72, with mid-term lambs £57-£62 and longer term lambs £48-£55 with very long term £43 and under.

NEXT WEEK:- 100 SUFFOLK X STORE LAMBS

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

Cull Ewes: 1164 Forward

Yet another massive yarding of ewes, with just shy of 1200 penned. Top today from Page Bros, selling Beltex x to £109, with Stone House Farming selling Texel x to £108. R Morris & Sons sold cross-bred ewes to £100 with I&P Griffiths selling Texels to £100 also. WE Green & Son sold the top Suffolks to £96, with the top mules of the day to £77 from Parkinson Partners. Best ewes £5-£7 dearer, with the very lean or screw ewes almost unwanted.

Minimum Commission on Cull Ewes to go up to £2.50.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Charollais x	£109	Page Bros	X bred	£94.00	R Morris & Sons
Texel x	£108	Stone House Farming	Suffolk x	£94	Hyde Lane Farms
X Bred	£100	R Morris & Son	Suffolk x	£92	R J Batchelor
Texel x	£100	I & P Griffith	Texel x	£90	Upton Mill Farm Ltd
Suffolk x	£96	W E Green & Son	Texel x	£90	Stone House Farming

Store Cattle- Second Martinmas: 161 Forward

An entry cut massively short by TB for this sale, with 80 cattle not forward due to being put under restrictions. That said those forward enjoyed a neat trade. Breeders to start which saw L Matthews sell second calving Hereford x cows with Angus x calves to £1080. TH Morris & Sons sold Simmental breeding bulls to £1850 at 18 months. JC Bostock & Son sold pure Charolais heifers to £800 at 7 months. Autumn born calves from D & GM Wright sold to £890 for Simmental x steers with spring born Limousin x steers to £900. JL & DA Davies sold Limousin x steers to £950 at 5 months, with heifers from the same home to £900. D&E Trice sold dairy bred British Blue x steers to £995 at 15 months. Up the ages saw GM & LD Robson sell Beef Shorthorn steers to £1150 at 20 months, with RL Root & Son selling Angus x steers to £1165 at 16 months. KW Welsby sold Charolais x steers to £1100 at 24 months with others to £1050. Our next sale is Monday 18th of December.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

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