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#### Market Reports For Monday 25th June 2018

#### **Market At A Glance**

Prime Steers to 237p/kg & £1666
Prime Heifers to 237p/kg & £1465
OTM Cattle to 181p/kg & £1239
Prime Lamb SQQ 217p/kg (1119)
Prime Lambs to 237p/kg & £116
Prime Hogg SQQ 181p/kg (54)
Prime Hoggs to 192p/kg & £92
Ewes to £125 (400 Avg £96)

Monday 2nd July Sale of Store Cattle

Monday 23rd July Sale of Store Cattle

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#### CATTLE: 56

An entry just short of 60 head was on offer to a full company of buyers which saw 10 men purchase cattle. Trade was again firmer on the week with the working cattle looking the best sold, cows again on fire and everything in demand.

STEERS: Increased numbers on the week met good demand from all corners of the ring-side with averages well up on the week taking quality into consideration. A tremendous muscled Limousin from Peter Calcott topped the section at 237p. Heavyweight's sold to 231p for a 721 kilo red Limousin from Ces and Malcolm Thomas which realised £1665.51. Native breeds met a strong enquiry from buyers, topping at 180p for holstein's from Geoff Walker.

HEIFERS: Quality throughout the entry with demand outstripping supply, Nick Foster superb black topped the section and sale at 237p, others sold to 230p for heavyweight Blues from Ces and Malcolm Thomas, which topped the section at £1465.00.

#### COWS: TRADE SIMPLY ON FIRE.

An entry just short of 30 head, met a white-hot demand from ringside, it did not matter if they were beef or dairy bred, FABBL or NON FABBL, well finished or in working clothes everything was wanted. Heart of England topped the section and sale at 160p with a black cow, grossing £1238.61, other beef cows sold to 159p for Simmentals from Rob Evans who's load averaged £1163.55. Dairy cows sold extremely well with a massive Friesian from the Barnett Boys weighing 885 kilo's selling at 139p and realising £1230.15, others sold to 157p from Messrs Dalby, realising £998.52. Cows in their working clothes sold to 136p from David Gilbert, more are urgently needed to supply growing demand. Over-age cattle sold to 181p from Meadowsweet Farm and to £1168.64 from Manor Farm.

Auctioneer: C Thompson

STEERS:				
Top prices per head				
Limousin x	721kg	£1666	C W Thomas	
Limousin x	693kg	£1483	C W Thomas	
Limousin x	608kg	£1441	Peter Calcott	
British Blue	731kg	£1411	N J Foster	
Charolais x	691kg	£1382	L P Massarella	
Top prices per kilo				
Limousin x	608kg	237p/kg	Peter Calcott	
Limousin x	721kg	231p/kg	C W Thomas	
Limousin x	693kg	214p/kg	C W Thomas	
Simmental x	652kg	205p/kg	L P Massarella	
Charolais x	691kg	200p/kg	L P Massarella	

HEIFERS: 17				
Top prices per head				
British Blue	637kg	£1465	C W Thomas	
British Blue	591kg	£1401	N J Foster	
British Blue	592kg	£1356	C W Thomas	
Limousin x	622kg	£1325	L P Massarella	
Limousin x	605kg	£1252	L P Massarella	
Top prices per kilo				
British Blue	591kg	237p/kg	N J Foster	
British Blue	637kg	230p/kg	C W Thomas	
British Blue	592kg	229p/kg	C W Thomas	
Limousin x	622kg	213p/kg	L P Massarella	
Limousin x	605kg	207p/kg	L P Massarella	

Calf Sale Next Monday 10:30am

#### **SHEEP:1584**

#### SPRING LAMBS: 1119 Forward SQQ 217p/kg

The Day when it all started to tumble with limited demand from a holidaying Continent and a home trade basking in the sunshine and clearly not eating spring lamb the averages fell all around with only a lack of Supply in the North showing a different picture. A orchestrated fall in numbers to aid trade. Today we thank our buyers strength and loyalty in returning an SQQ of 217p/kg which represented a 10p/kg lift over trade in near proximity on the day. Light lambs simply unwanted unless well-bred. Heavy meat a wanted commodity despite the downturn. In the Euro spec a top for smart 38kg from AEJ & FJ Claridge at 237p/kg equal with Beltex 30kg from Lucas Betteridge. IM Allen & Partners sold 36kg Beltex to 236 and Messrs Claridge 42kg 233p/ kg. In the heavies a top of 223p/kg for 52kg from FJTombs & Son and S & J Farming 215p/kg for 47kg. In the lump Euro lambs to £100.50 for 44kg from Messrs Claridge, £99.50 for 45kg from the same and £98.50 for 45kg from Angela Russell. Overall a top of £116 twice from Messrs Tombs with MM Clarke & Sons £103 for 48kg. A hard day and interestingly not a desire from the buyers to drop the trade but merely an admission they are struggling to sell the product at all.

#### Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Spring Lamb: SQQ 217(p/kg) under 45.5kg			
Per kilo			
Charollais x	38.00kgs	237p/kg	AEJ & FJ Claridge
Charollais x	30.00kgs	237p/kg	L Betteridge
Texel x	36.00kgs	236p/kg	IM Allen & Partners
Texel x	42.00kgs	233p/kg	AEJ & FJ Claridge
Beltex x	38.00kgs	232p/kg	R J Tebby
Per HEAD			
Texel x	44.00kgs	£100.50	AEJ & FJ Claridge
Texel x	45.00kgs	£99.50	AEJ & FJ Claridge
Texel x	45.00kgs	£98.50	L G Russell & Son
Texel x	45.00kgs	£98.50	D Dashwood
Texel x	42.00kgs	£98.00	AEJ & FJ Claridge

Spring Lamb: OVER 45.5kg				
Per kilo				
Charollais x	52.00kgs	223p/kg	FJ Tombs & Son	
Charollais x	47.00kgs	218p/kg	G Scrivens	
Suffolk x	47.00kgs	215p/kg	S & J Farming	
Texel x	48.00kgs	215p/kg	M M Clarke & Sons	
Charollais x	46.00kgs	214p/kg	J & B D Tustian	
Per HEAD				
Charollais x	52.00kgs	£116.00	F J Tombs & Son	
Charollais x	54.50kgs	£116.00	F J Tombs & Son	
Charollais x	52.50kgs	£110.00	F J Tombs & Son	
Texel x	48.00kgs	£103.00	M M Clarke & Sons	
Charollais x	47.00kgs	£102.50	G Scrivens	

**Cull Ewes: 400 Forward** 

Another handy sized yarding of ewes, as farmers turn attention to harvest work instead. Top today from BJ&IS Wain selling Charollais x to £125, with R Richins matching the figure for Crossbreds. M& AW Wright travelled from Stafford to see pens full of Suffolks to £123, with MM Clarke & Sons close behind with Suffolks to £122. GJ&SL Gowling sold Beltex x to £119, equal with two more pens of Suffolks from the Wrights. Top mules today to £93 from RW Heygate. Ewes today a good trade, as numbers shorten.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Charollais x	£125	BJ & IS Wain	Suffolk x	£119	M & AW Wright
X bred	£125	R Richins	Suffolk x	£119	M & AW Wright
Suffolk x	£123	M & AW Wright	Texel x	£118.50	GJ & SL Gowling
Suffolk x	£122	M M Clarke & Sons	Suffolk x	£118	C B E Price
Beltex x	£119	GJ & SL Gowling	Texel x	£117	H Smith & Sons

Store Lambs: 11 Forward

Only a handful forward, as is to be expected. NSL to £74 for light lambs from HS & DR Weaver, with hoggs topping at £51 for tail end types from RB Lewis.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

#### **Standing Crop Sale**

The first sale of standing crop conducted by RFM on behalf of Steve Hill, Firs Farm, Stockton. A 17.3 acre crop of Winter Barley, treated with Fungicide and Herbicide sold to £480 per acre.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

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Monday 23rd July Sale of Store Cattle

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