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Market Reports For Monday 7th January 2018

Market At A Glance

Prime Hogg SQQ 212p/kg (2522) Prime Hoggs to 281p/kg & £133.50 Ewes to £138 (1064 Avg £69) Store Lambs to £84.50 (1044) Prime Steers to 212p/kg & £1495 Prime Heifers to 216p/kg & £1379 OTM Cattle 157p/kg & £1060

Monday 21st January Store Cattle Sale

Tuesday 29th January Proposed Sale of TB Restricted Cattle

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CATTLE: 62

PRIME CATTLE:55 HEAD

First cattle sale of the New Year at Stoneleigh, saw an excellent entry of over 60 head penned. Quality was extremely varied, but that said, the vast majority were well finished. The 10 buyers at ringside were old and new faces with several making a welcome reappearance looking to replenish stocks after a successful Christmas trade. As ever butcher types were wanted everywhere at ringside, but the commercial cattle like other outlets were a similar trade.

STEERS:18 STEERS

An entry of commercial heavyweight types, saw all types wanted at ringside with several new buyers operating. Ces Thomas topped the section with a 712 kilo continental at 212p, others sold to 210p from Wolston. Heavyweights were dominated by Ces, selling to £1495.20 and £1441.60 per head. Herefords from Pete Yeomans realised £1292.20, with home-breds from Messrs Cross to £1268.75.

HEIFERS: 37 HEIFERS

Super entry of butcher types, with several good runs forward. Topping the section and sale was a Red Limousin from Richard Grindal at 216p per kilo, who sold others to 215p. Another load of heifers from Kent sold to 209p twice from Messrs Ferguson. Commercial types were good to sell, however anything too ripe was discounted. Heavyweight cattle sold to £1379.04 for a Charolais from Ces Thomas, with others £1326.10 Messrs Caswell.

OVERAGE AND OTM's 7 HEAD

4 Men at ringside looking to buy stock, demand easily outstripping supply. Top price was 157p for a Simmental heifer from Messrs G.A. Stanton and Sons, others sold to 135p for a Hereford from P.J. Betteridge. Cows an entry without showstoppers sold to 124p for a Simmental from Messrs North. Top price per head was £1059.75 from Glebe farm with others to £1035.40 High Field Farm. Farmers: The New Year has seen new faces at ringside and the competition generated has improved demand, to keep the new faces coming we need Cattle. Anyone looking to sell contact Craig on 07901787636 to discuss the marketing of your stock. Remember in this ring MAXIMUM COMMISSION IS £25 PER HEAD.

Auctioneer: Craig Thompson

STEERS & BULLS:			
Top prices per head		0.1.105	
Limousin x	712kg	£1495	C W Thomas
Limousin x	680kg	£1442	C W Thomas
British Blue	674kg	£1388	C W Thomas
Hereford	710kg	£1292	E O Yeomans & Sons
Limousin x	725kg	£1269	R W Cross & Partners
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	680kg	212p/kg	C W Thomas
Limousin x	712kg	210p/kg	C W Thomas
British Blue	674kg	206p/kg	C W Thomas
Limousin x	606kg	188p/kg	P Steels
Hereford	662kg	182p/kg	E O Yeomans & Sons
HEIFERS:			
Top prices per head			
Charolais	676kg	£1379	C W Thomas
Simmental	745kg	£1326	B T Caswell
Blonde	728kg	£1296	J H B Hart
Blonde	693kg	£1247	J H B Hart
Limousin x	588kg	£1229	DW Ferguson Ltd
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin	560kg	216p/kg	R J Grindal & Co
Limousin x	571kg	215p/kg	R J Grindal & Co
Limousin	559kg	210p/kg	R J Grindal & Co
Limousin x	588kg	209p/kg	DW Ferguson Ltd

Calf Sale Next Monday 15 Angus & Blue Calves, 5 Jersey Bulls & 5 weanlings already booked in

209p/kg

DW Ferguson Ltd

585kg

Limousin x

SHEEP:4630

Prime Hoggs: 2522 Forward SQQ 212p/kg

A Happy New Year to all and a firm Thank You for your continued support Business.

The first day of the Hoggetts saw a bumper trade for all categories with new buyers at ringside for the varding of just over 2500. Hoggs today from Essex to the South and Shropshire and Staffordshire to the North. An Sqq of 212p/kg a remarkable return although how sustainable the trade is remains to be seen and we must monitor this day to day as the pressures of January Finances ware on. In the Euro weight lambs today a top ppk of a massive 281p/kg at 38.5kg from GJ & SL Gowling with 41kg from the same 268p/kg both for Beltex. Laban Partners 35kg to 261p/kg and equal weight Beltex from C B E Price 246p/kg. In the heavies a top of 49kg at 227p/kg from C B E Price with properly bred sorts and K Crabtree, Winslow 46kg to 226p/kg. In the lump light weight lambs really adding up today to take a top in the section of £110 for 41kg and £108 for 38.5kg from Stuart Gowling. Weekly supporter B C Burton 43.5kg and 44kg at £100.50. Overall today heavies on fire buyers seemingly this week all needing the weight. A top today of £133.50 for 73kg from Ted Taylor and Messrs Tombs, Thame £133 for 64kg. First in the draw H L Goode & Son 65kg to £126 and BMF Smith £121 for 62kg. Today 502 Hoggs grossing over the £100 mark. Trade is variable and likely to slip so please do consult the team before arriving with Stock.

HOGGS NOW NEED BELLYING AND CRUTCHING. We are trying to resist this becoming compulsory but the number of dirty Hoggs being sold may enforce the same protocol as the markets in the North. Sunday night clipping commences as 1pm and in the interest of the staff deliveries of all stock must be completed before 4pm!

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Prime Hoggs: SQQ	212p/kg) under 4	5.5kg	
Per kilo			
Beltex x	38.50kgs	281p/kg	GJ & SL Gowling
Beltex x	41.00kgs	268p/kg	GJ & SL Gowling
Texel x	35.00kgs	261p/kg	Laban Partners
Charollais x	36.00kgs	246p/kg	C B E Price
Texel x	40.00kgs	236p/kg	S Wise
Per HEAD			
Beltex x	41.00kgs	£110.00	GJ & SL Gowling
Beltex x	38.50kgs	£108.00	GJ & SL Gowling
Texel x	44.00kgs	£100.50	B C Burton
Texel x	43.50kgs	£100.50	B C Burton
Texel x	44.00kgs	£99.50	B C Burton
Prime Hoggs: OVE	R 45.5kg		
Per kilo			
Charollais x	49.00kgs	227p/kg	C B E Price
Beltex x	46.00kgs	226p/kg	K Crabtree
Texel x	49.00kgs	224p/kg	R F & J Nichols
Texel x	50.00kgs	218p/kg	R F & J Nichols
Beltex x	46.00kgs	217p/kg	K Crabtree
Per HEAD			
Charollais x	73.00kgs	£133.50	E J Taylor & Son
Charollais x	64.00kgs	£133.00	F J Tombs & Son
Charollais x	65.00kgs	£126.00	H L Goode & Son
Texel x	62.00kgs	£121.00	B M F Smith
Suffolk x	61.00kgs	£118.00	R J Batchelor

Store Hoggs: 1044 Forward

A good number forward meeting a strong crowd of buyers with faces from near and afar. Today 1044 Hoggs trading to £84.50 from JB Baylis & Partners for pens of 40, with others from the same home to £82. Short keep lambs all over £80, with mid-term £70-£75 for the better bred sorts, with harder bred types £65-£68. Longer term sorts around the £60 mark with only the very hard bred or rare breeds under £55. Today 1044 lambs averaged £69.81 ALL IN.

Please call us to book in store lambs so we can inform buyers of expected numbers.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

Cull Ewes: 1064 Forward

With a returning face in the camp, ewes today a better trade than expected. Top from Stuart Wise selling Texels to £138, with IPG Farms selling Suffolks to £121. JMW Jackson, Henley on Thames sold Texel x to £117 with TB Checkley & Son reaching £116 with Beltex and our very own birthday boy David Doody selling Texel x to £115.50. Top Mules today from £81 from JMW Jackson. Ewes today averaged £68.67 but meated Ewes only wanted lean Ewes almost worthless.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Texel x	£138	S Wise	Beltex x	£111	GJ & SL Gowling
Suffolk x	£121	IPG Farms	X Bred	£110	R Richins
Mule	£117	J M W Jackson	Texel x	£109.50	S Wise
Beltex	£116	T B Checkley & Son	Texel x	£107	GJ & SL Gowling
Texel	£115.5	D Doody	X Bred	£99.50	Boulton Bros



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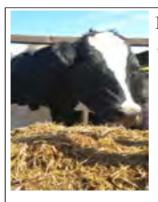
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