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Market Reports For Monday 14th October 2019

Market At A Glance

Prime Steers to 176p/kg & £1187
Prime Heifers to 197p/kg & £1275
Prime Bulls to 143p/kg & £1387
OTM Cattle to 159p/kg & £1060
Prime Lamb SQQ 178p/kg (1837)
Prime Lambs to 219p/kg & £97
Ewes to £124 (1068 Avg £60)
Calves to £300 (90)

Friday 25th October

2nd October Store Cattle Fair PLUS Store Lambs

Friday 8th November

Suckled Calf Show & Sale

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CATTLE: 152 Forward

PRIME CATTLE:62 HEAD

An extremely difficult days trading, extra numbers in all sections, the usual good company of buyers present, but demand was extremely weak with several buyers unable to operate due to excessive numbers of finished cattle in the food-chain and growing quantities of boxed beef being offered at low prices. Trade would be less on the week for all types but as ever we have competition at ringside and 'trade is trade'.

PRIME BULLS: 5 HEAD

Improved numbers saw demand as strong for these as anything in the sale. The first animal in the market a 19 month old Simmental from V M Bailey & Son which realized 143p and grossed £1387.00. Natives sold to 129p from D P Jones for a 23 month Hereford's which realized £811 in the lump.

PRIME STEERS:14 HEAD

An entry of mixed quality and improved numbers met a difficult trade from ringside buyers, quality cattle possibly saw the least demand. Topping the section was a heavyweight Hereford at 176p from Terry Kenneally which realized £1154. Top price per head was a dairy bred blue at £1187.

PRIME HEIFERS:34 HEAD

Always the jewel in the entry, however demand slow from butchers, saw the quality section several pence less on the week, only saving grace cattle weighing extremely well off the grass. Topping the section and sale was a superb home bred Limousin from the Trivett Family at 197p . Terry sold others to 192p, with Andrew Dobin sold blonde's to 190p. Top price per head was £1274 from Mr F Hodgkin, Avon Valley Farm.

OTM's:9 HEAD

A similar entry, was offered to the usual buyers and all types met a strong demand and sold well above vendors expectations. To price was 126p for a Lim x from Mr Wilks, others sold to 115p from Greyhound Estates Ltd. Overage Steers sold to 159p for Herefords from Pete Yeomans.

Auctioneer: Craig Thompson

STEERS & BULLS:			
Top prices per head			
Simmental (Bull)	970kg	£1387	V M Bailey
British Blue	715kg	£1187	P Dyson
Hereford	656kg	£1155	T V & J Kennealy
Aberdeen Angus	679kg	£1154	R W Cross & Partners
Aberdeen Angus	633kg	£1108	R W Cross & Partners
Top prices per kilo			
Hereford	656kg	176ppk	TV & J Kennealy
Aberdeen Angus	633kg	175ppk	R W Cross & Partners
Limousin x	608kg	175ppk	F Hodgkin
Aberdeen Angus	679kg	170ppk	R W Cross & Partners
British Blue	715kg	166ppk	P Dyson

HEIFERS:			
Top prices per head			
Limousin x	678kg	£1275	F Hodgkin
Hereford	673kg	£1211	T V & J Kennealy
Limousin x	637kg	£1178	PC & RA Nichols
Limousin x	650kg	£1170	P M Wilks
Limousin x	591kg	£1164	RW & HER Trivett
Top prices per kilo			
Limousin x	591kg	197ppk	RW & HER Trivett
Limousin x	573kg	192ppk	TV & J Kennealy
Limousin x	588kg	190ppk	RW & HER Trivett
Blonde	562kg	190ppk	J & A Dobin
Limousin	678kg	188ppk	F Hodgkin

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CALVES: 90 Forward

A few short of the expected 100 but a nice trade for those forward today. Continentals looking a nice trade with best end Bulls selling to £300 for a 17 day old British Blue x from Phil Dyson. GE Pountney sold Charolais x Bulls to £288. Best end of the Heifers selling to £195 from KC & DA Hughes, Twycross. Rearing continentals only being Bulls today, and trading between £100 and £140. Strong Native Bulls short on the ground topping at £180 for Angus's from Mark Bailey, Biddulph Moor, with Heifers to £135 from DW Smith, Earl Shilton. Rearing sorts saw Herefords trading between £100 and £130 for bulls with Angus x Bulls in a similar bracket, and Angus x Heifers £80-£100. Dairy Bulls looking a slightly sharper trade with rearers starting to come online. Fleckvieh x Bulls from R Jones & Son to £79, with Friesians to £75 from the same home. Rearers tending to be £35-£50 with best end processing calves £25-£30 and smaller sorts around the £20 mark.

More calves wanted and expected in a fortnights time.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

SHEEP:3079

Prime Lambs: 1837 Forward SQQ 178p/kg

A yarding of just over 1800 despite the weather of the weekend met an improved SQQ of 178p/kg reflecting an increase in trade for the top half of the quality on show with the lean and under done lambs a little harder to place. Export grade lambs an increased trade with best bred and Ram lambs enjoying fierce competition. In the Export lambs a top today of 219p/kg at 43kg from R Richins, Oxford whilst H Collins & Son 44kg to 207p/kg and Pete Jarrom 207p/kg at 37.5kg with 170 lambs selling over the 200p/kg mark. Heavies also a real trade if fit and ripe for the Export boat as Exporters move to a heavier body to counteract lack of quality lambs elsewhere. Top 206p/kg for 47kg from R Richins whilst B C Burton 200p/kg at 46.5kg and 196p/kg at 46kg. In the lump Euro spec totting up today to take £94 for 43kg from R Richins whilst H Collins and Son £91 at 44kg and £89.50. Today 531 lambs selling over the £80 mark. In the gross a top of £97 today from R Richins at 47kg who took 43kg to £94 and FJ Tombs & Son £94 at 57kg. Trade not exploding but the days highest SQQ thanks to our policy of dealing with end users.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Prime Lambs : under 45.5kg SQQ 178p/kg			
Per Kilo			
Beltex x	43.00kg	219ppk	R Richins
Texel x	44.00kg	207ppk	H Collins & Son
Texel x	37.50kg	207ppk	P M Jarrom
Beltex x	39.00kg	204ppk	A W Wheeler
Texel x	33.00kg	203ppk	P M Jarrom

Per HEAD			
Beltex x	43.00kg	£94.00	R Richins
Texel x	44.00kg	£91.00	H Collins & Son
Texel x	44.50kg	£89.50	H Collins & Son
Charollais x	43.00kg	£86.00	AEJ & FJ Claridge
Texel x	45.00kg	£86.00	Ringer Farms

Prime Lambs: OVER 45.5kg			
Per kilo			
Beltex x	47.00kg	206ppk	R Richins
Texel x	46.50kg	200ppk	B C Burton
Texel x	46.00kg	196ppk	B C Burton
Texel x	46.00kg	193ppk	B C Burton
Texel x	47.00kg	189ppk	H Collins & Son

Per HEAD			
Beltex x	47.00kg	£97.00	R Richins
Charolais x	57.00kg	£94.00	FJ Tombs & Son
Texel x	46.50kg	£93.00	B C Burton
Texel x	57.00kg	£93.00	Fordwell Farm Partnership
Suffolk x	60.00kg	£92.00	WSE & CA Moreby

Vendor Notice
**The Minimum Commission on Fat Lambs &
Store Lambs is now £2.00**

Cull Ewes: 1068 Forward

Another large yard of ewes forward today, seeing trade lethargic throughout. Top today for H Collins & Son selling Texel x to £124, with P Batchelors Beltex to £115 and Dayleford Organic selling Texels to £111. £110 for both Frank Page and H Collins with RFS LTD, Suffolk selling Texel x to £106. Top price Suffolk x to WS Harrison & Sons, Braunston selling to £82, with top Mules today from GR Fountaine & Son to £70

Ewes must be booked in as Ewe trade likely now to dip for 3 weeks.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Texel x	£124	H Collins & Son	Texel x	£106	R F Staveley Ltd
Beltex x	£115	P Batchelor	Beltex x	£102	P Batchelor
Texel x	£111	Daylesford Organic Farms Ltd	Texel x	£102	H Collins & Son
Texel x	£110	H Collins & Son	Texel x	£98	Page Bros
Texel x	£110	Page Bros	Beltex x	£92	P Batchelor

Store Lambs: 174 Forward

A neat trade for a yard of very changeable quality. Top today from EW & JE Masters, selling Suffolk x to £67.50, with M&T Austin to £67 for Charollais x. Short keep all £60 plus, with mid-terms £54-£58, and longer term sorts £40-£50. A large number of rams among the entry meeting a limited enquiry.

Auctioneer: Martin Lloyd

Friday 11th October - Store Cattle Fair

The first October Fair saw a drastically reduced Annual Entry as Farmers rightly take advantage of the easy Summer and Stores of fodder rather than face a trade that is as related to Brexit negotiations as it is as turbulent as the same discussions. Trade discussions beforehand would bring into question the possible lack of Customers at ringside, but this did not prove to be the issue with Buyers old and new around the ring but many of the seasonal quantity buyers put off wholly by the trade. In Summary trade was drastically down as can be expected, following the free fall of the National Finished trade this year. Aged and shortest keep cattle the most affected with best bred mid age suffering much less of an impact. Basically a synopsis suggesting that buyers unsure of the trade for the next 90 days at the least. We started the sale seeing a 11 year old Limousin Cow with 4 month old Calf at foot take £1550 from J & R Lowe and another take £1500. We started well with quality from the Semple Family taking £890 for 11 -12 month old Limousin Steers with others 12 -13m taking £870 and £810. D & GM Wright saw yearlings also to £800 with others £720 and Sisters £680. Stronger Blue Heifers from M Lee saw £800 17 months of age. Beef Shorthorns a little too rich from Messrs Cockerill & Son saw £970 and £955 for pens at 18 to 20 month Steers. Angus Steers from D P Mitchell saw £950 at 16 – 18 months of age with others £910, £900 and £890. Trade of the day perhaps for Bucket Calves from I & T Greenfield, Market Bosworth seeing £900 for Angus at 17 – 19 months with 13 – 15 month Blue Steers to £865 with Sisters £745. Messrs Root took £990 for none Assured Angus at 21 months of age whilst Limousin at 18 months of age took £950 for Parry Walter with others £900. Ringer Farms showed what patience will bring selling to a top for his pen of £1030 for Angus Steers at 20 months with others £1000 and Shorthorns £920. Blondes from Messrs Davenport, Banbury saw £990 at 21 months. Top for the day Bucket Herefords a pen full of at 22 months from I R Sharlot saw £1040 with others £1000 and £950 and £965. Hard trading in hard times as we now await some Political Stability so as feeders may plan ahead.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench



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Oven Temperature: 300 F, 150 C, Gas 1-2

Ingredients:

12 oz/325 g Currants
4 1/2 oz/125 g Sultanas
4 1/2 oz/125 g Raisins
3 oz/75 g Glace Cherries
2 oz/50 g Candied Peel
A little lemon rind
7 1/2 oz/215 g Plain Flour
1/2 teasp Mixed Spice
1/2 teasp Cinnamon
6 oz/175 g Butter
6 oz/175 g Brown Sugar
3 Large Eggs
1 tablesp Brandy

1. Line an 8 inch round cake tin, using 2 thicknesses of greaseproof paper. Tie a double band of brown paper/newspaper around the outside.
2. Mix the currants, sultanas, raisins, cherries and peel.
3. Cream the butter, sugar and lemon rind until pale and fluffy.
4. Add the beaten eggs and the brandy, a little at a time, beating well after each addition.
5. Fold in the flour. Then fold in the fruit.
6. Put in to the prepared tin, spread evenly.
7. Place in the pre-heated oven on a layer of brown paper/newspaper, in the lower part of the oven. Cook for approximately 2 3/4 hours
8. When the cake is cooked, leave it to cool in the tin, and then turn out onto a wire rack.
9. Store by wrapping in greaseproof paper and place in an airtight tin.

When judging, the cake will have to be cut in half to see the distribution of the fruit etc. Inserting a skewer will only achieve the taste of the cake. The cake can still be covered in marzipan and icing ready for using at Xmas.

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- **29/10/19 20:00 Stretton Under Fosse Village Hall.**

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