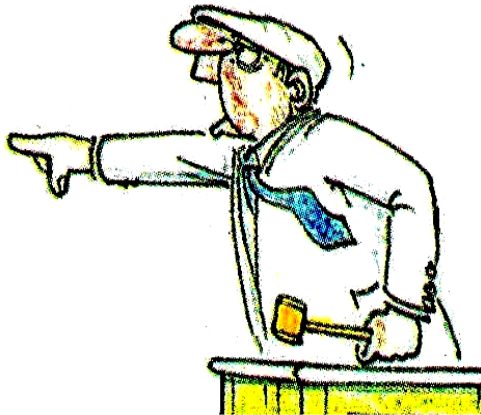




The Rostrum Weekly News

Thursday 6th December 2012
Monday 10th December 2012



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Livestock Sale Times

Monday

Prime Pigs followed by Sows & Boars 9:30

Lambs followed by Ewes & Rams 10:00

Young Bulls followed by Clean Cattle and OTM's 11:00

Thursday

Calves followed by 11:00

Cows and Calves followed by

Store Cattle

Remember cattle must be booked into the market by 11am to be included in the catalogue.

Contact Numbers

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Stephen Burley	07736 081785	01759 305431
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FORTHCOMING SALES

Christmas Poultry Sales

Thursday 20th December

Saturday 22nd December



Horse Sale

Friday 25th January

Saddlery and Tack start at 11.00am

Horses start at 12 midday



Saturday Sale– including fur and feather

Saturday 15th December

Household and Bric & Brac start at 10am

DIY and Garage tools start at 10am

Fur and Feather start at 10am

Furniture starts at 11.30am



Farmers Market

Saturday 15th December



Thursday 6th December		
25 Calves	55 Store Cattle	4 Cows & Calves
60 Store Sheep	0 Breeding Sheep	0 Pigs

STORE CATTLE	TO	AVE		
		BULLS	STEERS	HEIFERS
Breed	£ per Head			
A. Angus	485	-	-	485
Black & White	630	420	630	528.3
British Blonde	1160	-	730	1160
British Blue	910	-	910	622.1
Hereford	720	-	-	720
Highland	350	-	-	350
Limousin	970	-	575	615
Lincoln Red	660	-	660	-
Simmental	405	-	-	405
Sussex	480	-	480	-

CALVES	TO	BULLS AVE.	HEIFERS AVE.
A. Angus	230	140	150
Black & White	145	64.5	65
British Blue	208	206.5	203
Charolais	395	395	-
Hereford	65	65	-
Welch Black	120	120	-

STORE MARKET - TOP PRICES

STORE CATTLE

Top price store beast made £1160
From: Maxwell Bros



CALVES

Top price Calf made £395
From: R & K Lunn



FAT CATTLE REPORT

Monday 10th December

FATSTOCK MARKET			
243 Cattle Inc.	74 Clean Cattle 120 Bulls	26 OTM's 23 Over 72 Mths	
436 Sheep Inc.	399 Lambs	37 Ewes & Rams	0 Hoggs
661 Pigs Inc.	305 Live Auction	48 Sows & Boars	308 Deadweight

	To	Ave	Last Week Ave
Continental Young Bulls	232.5	207.2	205.4
Non Continental Young Bulls	222.5	176	173.4
Continental Steers	227.5	202.7	220
Non Continental Steers	195.5	166.3	143.5
Continental Heifers	255.5	210.5	228.6
Non Continental Heifers	212.5	176.5	210.7
OTM Continental Cattle	191.5	153	168.5
OTM Non Continental Cattle	127.5	94.6	98.4
Over 72mths Cont. Cattle	149.5	134.1	130.8
Over 72mths Non Cont. Cattle	115.5	97.6	98.4

FAT CATTLE

Following on from last week's outstanding Christmas show, we had an excellent number of cattle forward this week with 243 on parade of which 210 were bulls, 74 clean and 49 OTM's.

Trade was boosted by the appearance of Chris Wright from Boston and this reflected greater demand generally around the ring.

Our Continental averages throughout the market were only just short of 210p/kg.

The Young Bull section was headed once again by Pam Gibson with a wonderful home bred British Blue bull making 233p/kg adding up to a rewarding £1515.

Chris Robinson was close behind on 231p with Keith Bowes having 2 bulls make 230p, John Walmsley 229p and Chris Addy 227p/kg.

Also in the running was Pete Johnson with a 700kg bull that made 227p/kg adding up £1585; but even this didn't compare with Doug Shirt's 864kg bull totally £1723.

The Black and White averages for the bulls was around 170p/kg and the best British Friesian came from Ed Hardcastle making 198p with Doug Shirt hitting 196p, Bernard Henley 194p and Chris Nichols 191p/kg.

Our Clean trade was again led by Pam Gibson with 2 homebred heifers making 256 and 254p respectively.

Richard Newby had a Limousin heifer out of his own herd make 240p with Mike Towse, R Stephenson and Charles Mills all making 237p/kg.

The highest priced steer was shown by Doug Shirt making 228p but weighing 732kg.

There were a lot of OTM's this week and they were a strong trade for anything with flesh. Edgar Brothers had an overage Limousin heifer make 192p with Liz Hogg on 184p. The dearest Friesian cow came from Tony Wake on 122p/kg.

We have a full market on Monday 17th December 2012 when cattle will be wanted.

TOP PRICES

Monday 10th December

<u>Young Bull Top Prices</u>			
Vendor	Weight	Price (p/kg)	Purchaser
P Gibson	652	232.5	A Wright & Son
J W & J Robinson	578	230.5	Global Halal Foods Ltd
F E Bowes & Son	610	229.5	A Wright & Son
F E Bowes & Son	614	229.5	Global Halal Foods Ltd
J Walmsley	596	228.5	Global Halal Foods Ltd

<u>Prime Cattle Top Prices</u>				
Vendor	Sex	Weight	Price (p/kg)	Purchaser
P Gibson	F	500	255.5	J Penny & Sons
P Gibson	F	550	253.5	W Fletcher & Son Ltd
R & G Newby	F	544	239.5	J Penny & Sons
J P Towse & Sons	F	608	236.5	Kurpas Meats Plc
R Stephenson & Sons	F	604	236.5	D Wilson Family Butcher Ltd



FAT SHEEP REPORT

Monday 10th December

Lambs	Max/kg	Ave/kg	Last Weeks Ave/kg
Standard	175.6	162.5	170.5
Medium	191.1	161.3	167.9
Heavy	156.4	144.4	171.2

Cull Sheep	Max £ / head	Ave £ /head	Last Weeks Ave/head
Ewes	70	41.18	63.14
Rams	70	60	64.2

FAT SHEEP

We had the best show for many months on Monday with 436 sheep to sell of which 399 were lambs and 37 cull ewes. Trade is picking up slightly and we averaged around 160p/kg.

The top three pens of lambs were shown by Andrew Dobson who won the fatstock show last week and this time he averaged 190p/kg.

G B Harrison had a pen on 185p with Carl Fawcett on 184p and Ian Parvin 178p/kg.

On a headage basis Andrew Thompson's lambs made £81.50 with Ian Parvin on £80.50, G B Harrison together with John Jacklin making £79.

FAT PIG REPORT

Monday 10th December

Prime Pigs	To p/kg	Ave p/kg	Last Weeks Ave
Porkers	172	132.1	122.4
Cutters	138	126.2	122.9
Baconers	148	123.8	125.2
Sows	73	70.2	72.2
Boars	58	54.6	-
Deadweight			
Cutters	169		
Baconers	165		

FAT PIGS

This Monday was the Fatstock Show for pigs and there was an excellent selection from which to judge. At the end of the day it was David Otterburn who took the Supreme Championship with his bacon pigs that made 149p/kg before going to Taste Tradition.

Mark Hornsley had the Reserve Championship with the cutter pigs and these made 172p/kg being bought by R A Campbell & Sons.

Following on Geoff Thornton made 138p, E Stonehouse 134p and then Andrew Thompson had 5 pens make 133p/kg.

Our overall market averages hit 126p/kg which is encouraging but not quite as fierce as hoped.

The deadweight trade has also lifted and we sold 308 pigs this week through the system of which the cutters made 169p and the baconers 165p/kg.

Overall over throughput for the week was 661 pigs.

Don't forget next week we are marketing as normal.

Top Prices

Monday 10th December

Lamb Top Prices				
Vendor	Weight	Price (p/kg)	Price (per head)	Purchaser
R A Dobson	39.5	191.1	75.5	J Penny & Sons
R A Dobson	40	190	76	M & C Meats
R A Dobson	43	189.5	81.5	J Penny & Sons
G B Harrison	40	185	74	M & C Meats
C R Fawcett	39.5	183.5	72.5	J Penny & Sons

Pigs Top Prices		
Vendor	Price p/kg	Purchaser
J T Horsley	172	R A Campbell & Sons
D Otterburn	148	Taste Tradition Ltd
G C & S J Thornton	138	C H Meats Ltd
D Otterburn	137	R A Campbell & Sons
D Otterburn	134	T H Motson & Sons Ltd

