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TUESDAY 4th DECEMBER 2018

Prime Cattle – 18

A limited show of clean cattle following the Christmas Show and demand similar given the reduced offering. Handyweights (579kg) to 224.5 pence per kg for DA Harrison, Hill House purchased by RJ Harrison & Sons Ltd. Steers to 193.5 pence per kg for Messrs Gray, East Mill.

HEIFERS

Limousin 224.5 223.5 227.5 224.5 218.5 Hill House (Harrison)

British Blue 222.5 Hill House (Harrison)

STEERS

Limousin 193.5 East Mill (Gray) 171.5 Cockbridge House (Tinniswood)

Simental 191.5 East Mill (Gray)

CHRISTMAS BULL SHOW - 35

A super show of bulls with plenty of weight forward to a top of 225.5 pence per kg for the first prize Limousin from weekly vendor Joe Little, Greenhill Farm. This super meated 620kg bull was judged Champion by Judge G Moor, Hawick and created plenty of interest at sale time grossing £1398. Reserve Champion produced by Norman Farming Co, Little Orton and weighing 691kg to grossing £1522.

Limousin 225.5 221.5 212.5 Greenhill Farm (Little) 213.5 210.5 Norman Farming Company 209.5 Ellenbank (Byers)

British Blue 199.5 Kiln Close (Grainger) 197.5 The Thwaites (Dixon)

Aberdeen Angus 141.5 Fell End (Taylor & Gill)







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LAMBS - 1301

Prime sheep were again up on the week with 1301 lambs averaging 205.58 or SQQ of 214.1. All lambs were a fantastic trade, again handyweight lambs getting away very well 35-43kg. Heavy lambs also seeing a rise in trade with quality helping the trade. Topping today was a Beltex Lamb weighing 43kg from S M Watson, Croft House which sold for £125. More sheep are required on a weekly basis, please contact Jimmy on 07827 966377.

Top Averages - Price Per Head & Price Per Kilo

JM Wharton - 7 @ £116 or 258.10

A & A Little - 16 @ £109 or 269.70

S & D Peile - 11 @ £106.91 or 243.98

R Hall & Son - 46 @ £105.15 or 250.99

P Rae - 7 @ £104.86 or 245.45

S Watson - 6 @ £104.83 or 247.65

M Bindloss - 43 @ £100.28 or 238.37

Messrs Fell, Chapel Farm - 19 @ £98.39 or 244

Messrs Sayer – 138 @ £93.37 or 239.25

Per Head

Beltex £125 Croft House (Watson) £123 Inglewood Edge (Hall) £121 £119 Snade (Wharton) £120 Shap Abbey (Bindloss) £120 Hollands (Little) £117 Parkgate Hall (Peile)

Dutch Texel £113 £98 £95.5 £94 Mechi (Bowe)

Rouge £108 Chapel Farm (Fell)

Texel £106 £102 Bridgestone Farm (Bunting) £104 £99 High Hall (Thompson) £101.5 £96 Hill House (Harrison) £96 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge)

Millenium Bleu £102 £90.5 £83 Chapel Farm (Fell)







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Suffolk £83 £78 £74 Hill House (Harrison)

Leicester £80 Eden Park (Armstrong) £80 Street House (Shand)

Charollais £79 Kirkland Hall (Benson)

Mule £70 Greystoke Castle Farm £70 Hill House (Harrison)

Per Kg

Beltex 294.70 Hollands (Little) 292.90 Inglewood Edge (Hall) 290.70 Croft House (Watson) 284.20 282.90 282.40 Shap Abbey (Bindloss) 283.30 281.40 Snade (Wharton)

Dutch Texel 282.50 237.10 217.60 216.90 Mechi (Bowe)

Rouge 266.70 Chapel Farm (Fell)

Texel 279.50 265 Bridgestone Farm (Bunting) 258.30 249.40 241.90 Hill House (Harrison) 241.90 240.73 Wyndham House (Todd)

Millenium Bleu 255 222.30 Chapel Farm (Fell)

Suffolk 174.80 166 143.10 Hill House (Harrison)

Leicester 114.30 Street House (Shand) 112.70 Eden Park (Armstrong)

Charollais 174.70 Kirkland Hall (Benson)

Mule 155.90 Greystoke Castle Farm 152.20 Hill House (Harrison)

PRIME EWES - 107

A smaller show and much sharper to a top of £127 for a pen of 12 Suffolk x from Messrs Trafford, Bassenthwaite Hall Farm. More Ewes required each week. Tups to £141 for Texels from Messrs Hayton, Grange Farm.

Texel £121 £115 £105 Greystoke Castle Farm £110 £108 £101 Inglewood Edge (Hall)

Suffolk £127 Bassenthwaite Hall Farm (Trafford)

Cheviot £75 Inglewood Edge (Hall) £65 Greystoke Castle Farm

Mule £67 Grange Farm (Hayton) £64 Chalkside Farming Co Ltd

Swaledale £30 Greystoke Castle Farm







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Texel Tups £141 Grange Farm (Hayton)

Beltex Tups £114 Parkgate Hall (Peile) £90 Snade (Wharton)

Swaledale Tups £54 £31 Beck Grange (Hickson)



