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WORCESTER MARKET SALE NEWS WEDNESDAY 15th AUGUST 2018

PRIME CATTLE – 40

Auctioneer – Clive Roads

Some good meated cattle on offer selling well to sound competition. Leaner types and cattle with much too much belly would be more difficult. Everything has a price – no shortage of strong, spirited bidding for cattle hitting the “spec”.

Top price steer sold to 206.5ppk from **W T FALLOWS & SONS**

Best steer average to 191.0ppk from **PJ & KR SMITH-MAXWELL.**

Top price heifer sold to 216.5ppk from **PD & AP BAXTER.**

Best heifer average to 213.2ppk from **PD & AP BAXTER**

CULL COWS/OTM – 8

Nothing other than a cracking trade – all types wanted, all types sold well.

Grade 1 to 164.5ppk av. 159.5ppk

Grade 2 to 135.5ppk av. 131.0ppk

Grade 3 to 117.0ppk av. 115.0ppk

<u>Weight</u>	<u>Top</u>	<u>Av.</u>	
Heavy Steers (555+)			
Best Quality	206.5	200.0	
Standard Quality	188.5	188.5	Averages: 196.0
Also Rans	176.5	176.5	
Overall	206.5	186.1	
Heavy Heifers (485+)			
Best Quality	216.5	201.0	
Standard Quality	188.5	184.1	Averages: 188.6
Also Rans	177.5	171.8	
Overall	216.5	188.9	

Quality Price Reporting

This table is a guide for those animals, which fall within a specific weight limit to meet supermarket buyers and their highest requirements.

	STEERS 500-695kg	HEIFERS 480-650kg	BULLS 450-550kg
PREMIUM	200.0	201.0	--
PRIME	188.5	184.1	--
OTHERS	176.5	171.8	--

SHEEP – 2444

Auctioneer – Clive Roads

Supply and demand!! Masses of sheep out this week across the country with the Qurbani festival starting next week – however numbers have more than taken up the demand and the trade therefore reacts accordingly. Better lambs with MEAT are still very closely and keenly followed selling to £100.00 (192.00ppk) overall average 180.5p. No shortage of buying support BUT THEY WANT MEAT!!

CULL EWES – 1360

Auctioneer – James Amphlett

Swamped with ewes!! The same reason as the lambs – the Qurbani festival and everyone but everyone selling ewes everywhere. – Of course the same issues, supply outstripping demand – that said they were a strong trade for the numbers. Big ewes still found a strong trade but there were a large entry of lean ewes which were much harder sold Ewes to £112.00 average £45.76, which would be very high on the week.

Weight	Top	Av.
Standard Lambs (32.1-39.0kg)		
Premier Quality	184.5	182.1
Home Trade	176.5	171.0
Overall	184.5	173.3
Medium Lambs (39.1-45.5kg)		
Premier Quality	192.0	183.0
Home Trade	179.5	174.8
Overall	192.0	181.9
Heavy Lambs (45.6-52kg)		
Premier Quality	192.0	182.4
Home Trade	178.5	176.9
Overall	192.0	181.7
Overweight lambs (over 52kg)		
Home Trade	184.5	182.3
Overall	184.5	182.3

Quality Price Reporting

	LAMBS Up to 30kg	LAMBS 30.5-36kg	LAMBS 36.5-43kg	LAMBS 43.5-48kg	LAMBS 48.5kg & over
PREMIUM	--	182.1	183.0	182.4	--
PRIME	--	171.0	174.8	176.9	182.3

FORTHCOMING SALES

WEDNESDAY 22nd AUGUST

'RED MARKET' 6 day rule DOES NOT apply.
Maximum Entries Needed In All Sections.

SATURDAY 25th AUGUST

300 Ryeland Sheep at Ludlow Market.

**MONDAY 27th AUGUST
/ TUESDAY 28th AUGUST**

500 Texel Sheep
National Show & Sale for British Texel Sheep Society.
Monday 27th August at 6.00pm – Females
Tuesday 28th August at 10.00am – Ram Lambs, 12noon – Shearling Rams

SATURDAY 1st SEPTEMBER

First sale in the month of Store Cattle / Sheep

FRIDAY 7th SEPTEMBER

154 Beltex Sheep - 98 Rams, 56 Females
256 Blue Texel Sheep - 138 Females, 118 Rams
Show & Sales for the respective Societies

THE THIRTIETH (PEARL) ANNUAL PRODUCTION SALE

Of 88 Pedigree & Purebred MV Accredited Texel Sheep

Upon instructions from Mrs IM Uffold & Sons

Viz: 27 Shearling Rams, 29 Ram Lambs, 15 Pedigree Shearling Ewes, 17 Birth Registered Ewe Lambs
(Vaccinated for Schmallenberg – nearly all Class 1, some Class 2 for Scrapie Resistance.

Bred for commercial performance as well as breed characteristics)

Sale sponsored by Agri-Lloyd for the 30th time

At THE FIRS, BRONCROFT, CRAVEN ARMS, SHROPSHIRE

On FRIDAY 7th SEPTEMBER at 8.00pm

Further details from Ludlow Market Tel: 01584 872251 Ref: JU

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