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WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET
CATTLE

99 Cattle included an average entry of 67 prime cattle with a stand on trade with a much wider range in quality forward. Several cattle could have done with more feeding. As always meat paying. Top per kg this week 239.5pkg for a very smart steer from G Hubert purchased by John Coleman, Boxted at £1,443.56. Gary's other steer to 229.5pkg. Excellent run of fed steers and heifers from J W Gray, keenly sought to 234.5pkg for heifers and 225.5pkg for steers with others to 224.5pkg (2), 223.5pkg (3) etc. R Partridge & Son steer to 223.5pkg and heifer to 230.5pkg with Tony Evans having the same price per kg for a smart heifer with another at 229.5pkg. Top price per head £1,863.75 from Chris Lock for a heavy steer, the same vendor having £1,444.55 for heifer. J W Gray £1,508.60 for a heavy steer, A C & B J Farley £1,471.67 for a heavy steer. As stated a few secondary sorts forward with the average including very lean heifers at 129.5pkg. The averages being some 14pkg above 12 months ago and not reflecting the reported fall in deadweight quotes.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
38 STEERS av 209.25 from 163.5pkg						
18 Light 370-550kg	224.5	211.72	J W Gray	C Humphreys & Sons	1,189.02	1,053.53
15 Medium 551-650kg	239.5	212.14	G C & J R Hubert	John Coleman	1,443.56	1,257.98
5 Heavy 651kg+	225.5	196.39	J W Gray	H G Blake	1,863.75	1,457.23
29 HEIFERS av 206.08 from 129.5pkg						
9 Light 330-500kg	234.5	201.05	J W Gray	G Debman	1,125.60	952.77
16 Medium 501-590kg	230.5	215.14	P A Evans	C J Byford & Son	1,295.05	1,150.75
4 Heavy 591kg+	216.5	183.91	W J Broom	H G Blake	1,444.55	1,163.71
21 AOTM A strong trade for all with 32-40 m/o steers and heifers excellent to 200.5pkg for heifers and steers to 196.5pkg and to £1,261.63 for heifers and steers to £1,268.57. Beef cows to £1,206.66 from E R Winter & Sons (More wanted please).						
1 Dairy Cow	117.5	117.50	F C Green & Son	R J Lennox	703.83	703.83
7 Beef Cows	141.5	131.71	Peppers Farm Partnership	R J Lennox	1,206.66	901.73
8 Heifers	200.5	176.75	A C & B J Farley	GPW	1,261.63	993.58
5 Steers	196.5	181.24	A C & B J Farley	GPW	1,268.52	1,184.40
11 STORES Desperately short, many more wanted. Shorthorn heifer (13 m/o) to £710. Limousin steer (6 m/o) to £735, (5 m/o) to £720. Limousin bulls (5 m/o) to £660, Limousin heifer (9 m/o) to £750, (6 m/o) to £620.						

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ENTRIES NOW INVITED

S H E E P

551 Sheep With finished sheep short in both New and Old Season sections and a good selling trade with prices some 80-90pkg above 12 months ago, reflecting the excellent demand for sheep meat at the moment. More could still be sold to advantage. In the New Season section top per head £154 from J Revett who had other pens to £151.50, £149 etc. Mark Cooper medium weight lambs to £147 with La Hogue Farm Foods to £145.50 at 40kg. Lighter lambs saw Mark Cooper to £131.50 at 38.5kg with many others at similar levels. Top prices per kg saw medium weight lambs from La Hogue to 364pkg, Mark Taylor to 355pkg and Joe Backhouse and Mark Cooper to 350pkg. Many more wanted. Old Season lambs, still wanted, saw a run of strong hogs from Jack Peacock to £155, £150 (6 pens) etc but top per kg from Mark & Jake Taylor to £159 a head. Top per kg to P D Eagle at 314pkg for smart medium weight hogs with plenty of others 300pkg and above from Jack Peacock. Quality hogs still wanted.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
140 OLD SEASON LAMBS SQQ 289.5pkg all in. 12 months ago 202.53pkg av per head £132.40.					
18 Standard 32.1-39kg	292	P D Eagle	284.38	114	109.72
51 Medium 39.1-45kg	314	P D Eagle	291.14	138	123.68
71 Heavy 45.6 kg+	300	J W Peacock	290.18	159	144.42
309 NEW SEASON LAMBS SQQ 329.8 all in 329.1pkg. 12 months ago 257.2pkg! Av per head £133.63.					
77 Standard 32.1-39kg	350	J L Backhouse	333.52	131.50	125.61
221 Medium 39.1-45kg	364	La Hogue Farm Foods	328.62	149	135.64
11 Heavy 45.6 kg+	329	John Revett	313.05	154	149.41
23 EWES Disappointing entry in number terms. More wanted please to av £94.30 with no strength. Mules to £122. Texel X to £118. Small traditional breeds to £36.					
2 RAMS to £85.					
73 STORE LAMBS All ewes and lambs and another good trade throughout for an entry of mainly full mouthed and broken mouth ewes and April born lambs to £84 a life to av £71.41 throughout. Cade lambs to £32 a head.					
4 MATURE SHEEP to £102 a head and 212pkg.					

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UNDER COVID REGULATIONS
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