

CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE

Wednesday – 25th October 2017

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 1415 Cattle consisting of 324 Prime Cattle and 1091 Store Cattle. The Prime Cattle consisted of 99 Bullocks, 17 Heifers, 152 Cows and 56 Bulls. Store Cattle consisted of 869 Steers, 222 Heifers and 1 Cow & Calf.

Cattle comprised of smaller lots of prime cattle made up of good Bullocks and Cows. The yarding was drawn from Mt Isa, Hughenden, Croydon, Georgetown and local and coastal areas. The market improved across all lines. Bullocks were quoted as 10-12¢ dearer, Heifers were 4¢ dearer and Cows were 20-23¢ dearer on last week's rates. Bulls were 10-12¢ cheaper.

Prime Quotes:

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440kg	19	170	223	260
	Heavy	Over 440kg	0	0	0	0
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	95	148	183	216
	Heavy	Over 400kg	55	192	203	224
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	79	212	253	281
	Heavy	Over 500kg	21	243	255	259
Bulls	Heavy	Over 450kg	33	120	236	270

- Bullocks sold for 258¢/kg for 11 Ox sold on a/c Matthews Cattle Pty Ltd that weighed 605kg to return \$1563 per head.
- A pen of Trade Heifers were presented on a/c B & C Hughes which made 260¢/kg to weigh 373kg and return \$971 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by B & C Hughes for 224¢/kg and weighed 510kg to return \$1143 per head.
- Bulls sold on a/c B & C Hughes topped at 270¢/kg and weighed 504kg to return \$1361 per head.

Store Quotes:

Store cattle were well presented with 869 Steers and 222 Heifers. The Steers made up of one large line from the northwest of Mt Isa weighing 290kg. A line of Heifers also came from northwest which were showing the effects of the dry weather. Steers and Heifers improved by up to 15-25¢.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	178	240	356	380
	200 – 320kg	126	240	315	354
	320 – 400kg	294	230	292	309
	Over 400kg	88	230	279	291
Heifers	Up to 200kg	144	150	274	292
	200 – 320kg	55	170	242	294
	320 – 370kg	8	278	278	278
	Over 370kg	0	0	0	0

- A line of 282 Steers a/c LHRPHC, "Lawn Hill", Mt Isa, averaged 292¢/kg and average weight 384kg and realised \$1121 per head.
- Young males suited to Live Export sold to 310¢/kg
- The best of the young Steers sold to 380¢/kg
- A good pen of 9 Heifers a/c E & C Ellems, Woodstock made 294¢/kg, weighed 258kg and returned a good average of \$761 per head.
- Cows & Calves insufficient to quote.

M.A.G.S DROUGHTMASTER SALE – 10th NOVEMBER 2017

NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS NOW BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 1st November 2017

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