

CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE **Wednesday – 31st May 2017**

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 2518 Cattle consisting of 1376 Prime Cattle and 1142 Store Cattle. The Prime Cattle consisted of 781 Bullocks, 50 Heifers, 690 Cows and 81 Bulls. Store Cattle yarded consisted of: 781 Steers, 341 Heifers and 20 Cows & Calves.

Cattle comprised of lines of Bullocks and Feeder Steers with Cows supplied being mixed quality and condition. Competition was again strong from Meatworks and Feedlotter. The yarding was drawn from Mt Isa, Torrens Creek, Normanton, Croyden, Forsyth, Georgetown, Clermont, local and coastal areas. Bullocks were quoted 3-5¢ dearer, Heifers were unchanged and Cows were 5-7¢ dearer on last week's rates.

Prime Quotes:

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440kg	58	209.2	248.1	262.2
	Heavy	Over 440kg	3	236.2	236.2	236.2
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	185	90.0	168.1	210.2
	Heavy	Over 400kg	452	178.2	218.1	242.2
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	469	193.2	270.9	293.2
	Heavy	Over 500kg	152	243.2	266.3	278.2
Bulls	Heavy	Over 450kg	63	229.2	266.8	285.2

- Bullocks topped at 278.2¢/kg sold on a/c SA Grazing that weighed 619kg to return \$1722 per head.
- A pen of Heavy Feeders topped at 288.2¢/kg, sold on a/c RE & E Matthews that weighed 433.6kg to return \$1249 per head.
- Best priced Trade Heifers were presented on a/c L & K Hodder which made 262.2¢/kg to weigh 360kg and return \$943 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by DB & SZ O'Neill, for 242.2¢/kg and weighed 468.6kg to return \$1134 per head.
- Bulls sold on a/c BG & TM Hughes, topped at 285.2¢/kg and weighed 500kg to return \$1426 per head.

Store Quotes:

Store cattle were presented in some good lines of Store Steers coming from the Gulf region and also in smaller quality lines of Steers and Heifers selling to reasonable competition.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	18	282.2	341.3	350.2
	200 – 320kg	493	160.2	317.1	358.2
	320 – 400kg	119	260.0	286.6	308.2
	Over 400kg	39	240.0	286.5	294.2
Heifers	Up to 200kg	110	160.0	258.5	290.2
	200 – 320kg	158	158.2	248.5	286.2
	320 – 370kg	28	220.0	255.0	264.2
	Over 370kg	0	0	0	0

- A line of 12 Steers a/c JB & HG Johnson, made 358.2¢/kg and weighed 233kg and realised \$835 per head.
- A quality line of 213 Brahman Steers sold on a/c Lawn Hill & Riversleigh Pastoral Holding Company, "Lawn Hill", Mt Isa, averaged 303¢/kg, weighed 327kg and returned \$996 per head.
- A good pen of 34 Heifers a/c BA & LE Corbett made 290.2¢/kg, weighed 157.1kg & returned a good average of \$455 per head.
- Cows & Calves sold on a/c Desley Williams returned \$875 per unit.

NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS NOW BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 7th JUNE 2017

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