

CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE **Wednesday – 21st March 2018**

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 1020hd.

Cattle consisting of 692 Prime Cattle and 328 Store Cattle.

The Prime Cattle consisted of 52 Bullocks, 91 Heifers, 507 Cows and 42 Bulls.

Store Cattle yarded: 152 Steers, 171 Heifers and 5 Cows & Calves.

Cattle comprised of very small lines of bullocks with a good line of fat cows and a few bulls. The yarding was drawn from Croydon, Hughenden, Giru, Coastal and Local areas.

Prime Quotes:

Bullocks were quoted 10¢ easier, Heifers were 4¢ dearer, Cows were 3¢ easier & Bulls were 20¢ dearer, on last week's rates. There were 4 Meatworks in attendance bidding on the fat cattle.

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	36	220.0	252.6	265.2
	Heavy	Over 500kg	16	230.2	254.1	266.2
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440kg	65	207.2	226.3	246.2
	Heavy	Over 440kg	27	213.2	237.6	250.2
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	66	83.2	166.2	189.2
	Heavy	Over 400kg	443	168.2	206.2	224.2
Bulls	Medium	Up to 450kg	9	100.0	227.3	280.0
	Heavy	Over 450kg	39	191.2	262.0	292.2

- A pen of Bullocks topped at 265.2¢/kg for 4 sold on a/c D & T Stephens, weighed 490kg to return \$1300 p/hd.
- A pen of trade Heifers were presented on a/c Burdekin Downs, made 248.2¢/kg to weigh 483kg and return \$1198 p/hd.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by Burdekin Downs for 223.2¢/kg and weighed 571kg to return \$1274 p/hd.
- Bulls sold on a/c MG & HJ Bredden topped at 269.2¢/kg and weighed 800kg to return \$2,153 p/hd.

Store Quotes:

Store Cattle were of limited supply with lack luster buyer support.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	29	200.0	305.9	318.2
	200 – 320kg	79	160.0	274.1	322.2
	320 – 400kg	9	240.0	245.7	278.2
	Over 400 kg	11	240.0	241.0	242.2
Heifers	Up to 200kg	35	196.2	224.7	234.2
	200 – 320kg	88	170.0	227.4	239.2
	320 – 370kg	23	218.2	219.4	230.0

- A pen of 14 Steers a/c S & H Ellems made 318.2¢/kg & weighed 154kg returning an average of \$490 p/hd.
- A good pen of 4 Heifers a/c Glenell Grazing made 239.2¢/kg, to weigh 240kg to return \$574 p/hd.
- 5 Cows & Calves sold on a/c of Double U Farms returned \$820 p/unit.

NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 28th March 2018

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