

<u>CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE</u> Wednesday – 9th May 2018

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 943 hd.
Cattle consisting of 552 Prime Cattle and 391 Store Cattle.
The Prime Cattle consisted of 98 Bullocks, 52 Heifers, 326 Cows and 76 Bulls.
Store Cattle consisted of 136 Steers, 194 Heifers and 61 Cows & Calves.

Cattle comprised of fewer lines of good Bullocks, a run of good heavy Cows with a few lesser Northern Cows. The yarding was drawn from Forsayth, Chillagoe, Mt Garnet, Bowen, local and coastal areas. Bullocks were quoted 5¢ easier, Heifers were 10¢ dearer, Cows were 10¢ dearer & Bulls were 5¢ easier, 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	36	156.2	197.1	217.2
	Heavy	Over 440kg	16	218.2	219.6	221.2
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	58	40.0	107.8	154.2
	Heavy	Over 400kg	268	74.2	180.1	191.2
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	95	130.2	199.0	239.2
	Heavy	Over 500kg	3	220.2	229.6	243.2
Bulls	Medium	Up to 450kg	44	98.2	198.5	269.2
	Heavy	Over 450kg	32	180.2	237.8	270.2

- Bullocks topped at 243¢/kg sold on a/c Est. of MJ McMahon weighing 600kg to return \$1459 per head.
- Top priced Trade Heifers were presented on a/c Mt McConnel Grazing making 221¢/kg to weigh 489kg and return \$1080 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by Helenslee Holdings for 191¢/kg and weighed 630kg to return \$1207 per head.
- Bulls sold on a/c RE & E Matthews topped at 267¢/kg and weighed 750kg to return \$2004 per head

Store Quotes:

Store Cattle consisted of a few smaller lines of good quality local Weaners and some mixed lines of Steers and Heifers, selling to a lesser competition.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg			
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Steers	Up to 200kg	33	196.2	239.2	260.0	
	200 – 320kg	70	106.2	234.4	252.2	
	320 – 400kg	24	205.0	240.6	248.2	
	Over 400kg	8	202.2	231.5	241.2	
Heifers	Up to 200kg	38	84.2	147.4	188.2	
	200 – 320kg	148	82.2	153.2	175.2	
	320 – 370kg	8	175.2	188.2	190.0	

- A pen of 12 Steers a/c PAW Bucknell, made 260¢/kg and weighed 200kg and realised \$520 per head.
- A good pen of 11 Heifers a/c D Alloway, Mt Garnet, made 188¢/kg, weighed 145kg & returned an average of \$272 per head.
- 57 Cows & Calves sold on a/c RJ Priestley, returned \$1090 per unit.

NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 16th MAY 2018

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