

CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE **Wednesday – 4th December 2019**

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 2351 cattle consisting of 858 Prime Cattle and 1493 Store Cattle. The Prime Cattle consisted of 145 Bullocks, 71 Heifers, 477 Cows and 165 Bulls. Store Cattle consisted of 704 Steers, 784 Heifers and 5 x 5 Cows & Calves.

Cattle comprised of mixed quality lines, with isolated well-conditioned pens, with the market coming back showing effects of the season and with the absence of one local meat processor.

The yarding was drawn from Hughenden, Mount Isa, Muttaborra, Einasleigh, Mt Garnet and local and coastal areas.

Prime Quotes:

Bullocks were quoted 70¢ easier, Heifers were 30¢ easier, Cows were 40¢ easier and Bulls were 40¢ easier on last week's rates.

Description	Category	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
				Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers & Bullocks	Medium	Up to 500kg	104	20	197	270
	Heavy	Over 500kg	63	98	236	262
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440kg	65	70	196	233
	Heavy	Over 440kg	7	186	221	229
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	231	40	121	180
	Heavy	Over 400kg	216	80	172	197
Bulls	Medium	Up to 450kg	87	54	191	269
	Heavy	Over 450kg	89	100	218	285

- Bullocks topped at 260¢ sold on A/c Glendurham Past Co, Ayr that weighed 677 kg to return \$1761 per head.
- Best priced Trade Heifers were presented on A/c Mt Douglas Past Co, "Mt Douglas", Clermont that sold for 229¢/kg and weighed 495kg to return \$1134 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by Devonport Cattle Co, Mount Louisa for 189¢/kg weighing 570 kg to return \$1078 per head.
- Bulls sold on A/c Olderfleet Cattle Co, Mt Coolon topped at 275¢/kg and weighed 735kg to return \$2021 per head.

Store Quotes:

Store cattle consisted of large runs of Northern quality cattle, with limited pens of good quality local cattle.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	119	40	223	316
	200 – 320kg	300	20	202	300
	320 – 400kg	131	70	223	258
	Over 400kg	11	200	251	256
Mickeys	Up to 400kg	-	-	-	-
Heifers	Up to 200kg	271	40	124	224
	200 – 320kg	494	40	170	264
	320 – 370kg	30	170	206	240

- A pen of 6 steers A/c M J Easton, Ravenswood made 316¢/kg and weighed 168kg, returning an average of \$530 per head.
- A good pen of 6 Heifers on A/c FW & RA Blacklock, "Balootha", Julia Creek made 264¢/kg, weighed 323kg returning \$854 per head.
- 2 x 2 Cows & calves sold on A/c of Peter R Parker, Tully returned \$880 per unit.

THE FINAL PRIME & STORE CATTLE SALE FOR THIS YEAR IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 11th DECEMBER 2019

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