

CHARTERS TOWERS COMBINED AGENTS PRIME AND STORE SALE **Wednesday – 25th March 2020**

Charters Towers Combined Agents yarded a total of 3175 cattle consisting of 1106 Prime Cattle and 2069 Store Cattle. The Prime Cattle consisted of 218 Bullocks, 203 Heifers, 548 Cows and 137 Bulls.

Store Cattle consisted of 947 Steers, 1068 Heifers and 54 Cows & Calves.

Prime Cattle comprised of both good lines of finished Steers and Bullocks along with increased numbers of Heifers yarded which sold to a sparsed gallery of buyers to cheaper rates. The yarding was drawn from Cloncurry, Julia Creek, Richmond, Hughenden, Mareeba, Murray Upper, Ingham, Georgetown, Forsayth, Einasleigh, Malanda, Mt Garnet, Pentland, Home Hill, Gumlu, Mitchilba, Utchee Creek as well as local and coastal areas.

Prime Quotes:

Bullocks were quoted 18-33¢ easier, Heifers were 19-30¢ easier, Cows were 10-15¢ easier and Bulls were 13-18¢ 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	180	147.2	257.6	298.2
	Heavy	Over 500kg	36	160.0	287.2	312.2
Heifers	Medium	Up to 440kg	190	160.0	238.5	285.0
	Heavy	Over 440kg	12	247.0	268.3	270.2
Cows	Medium	Up to 400kg	219	80.0	167.6	224.2
	Heavy	Over 400kg	332	140.0	216.7	282.2
Bulls	Medium	Up to 450kg	134	257.2	282.3	298.2
	Heavy	Over 450kg	60	202.2	289.6	311.2

- Bullocks topped at 312.2¢/kg sold on a/c Mickan Pastoral Co. "Torryburn", Richmond that weighed 580kg to return \$1810 per head.
- Best priced Trade Heifers were presented on a/c PL Corfield, Mena Creek that sold for 285¢/kg and weighed 406kg to return \$1155 per head.
- The top pen of Cows were sold by CC & T Archer, "Elston Hills", Charters Towers for 282.2¢/kg weighing 520kg to return \$1467 per head.
- Bulls sold on a/c Tim Pratt, Julia Creek topped at 308.2¢/kg and weighed 735kg to return \$2265 per head.

Store Quotes:

Store cattle were in plentiful supply and the overall quality was very good. The 947 Feeder Steers, 1068 Feeder Heifers and 54 Cows & Calves sold to an easier market.

Description	Wt. Range kg	Head	Price in cents/kg		
			Lowest	Average	Highest
Steers	Up to 200kg	72	70	298	348
	200 – 320kg	579	120	288	332
	320 – 400kg	256	182	305	340
	Over 400kg	10	270	270	270
Mickeys	Up to 450kg	143	230	280	298
Heifers	Up to 200kg	139	160	229	269
	200 – 320kg	847	120	222	268
	320 – 370kg	69	160	230	274

- A pen of Steers a/c M&N Jones, "Milestone", Charters Towers made 348.2¢/kg and weighed 195kg, returning \$679 per head.
- A good pen of Crossbred Heifers a/c St Claire Livestock, "Glenrowan", Hughenden made 274.2¢/kg, weighed 333kg returning \$912 per head.
- 3x3 Cows and Calves sold on a/c Groper Creek Enterprises, Groper Creek returned \$900 per unit.

NEXT PRIME & STORE SALE IS BOOKED FOR WEDNESDAY, 1st APRIL 2020

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