

MARKET REPORT

BAKEWELL MARKET

Monday 21st March 2022



Good numbers of stock forward with 833 Cattle and 1,498 Sheep on offer.

Trade solid in all departments, but much talk about increased costs and what the future might hold.

The Store & Breeding Cattle department was particularly busy with a total of 584 cattle on offer.

Plenty of buying power in operation and whilst purchasers were trying to spend less, demand was such that they did not succeed and prices were as good as ever.

Steers sold to £1,560, Heifers £1,480 and Feeding Bulls £1,300.

122 Finished Cattle with trade very strong. Top figures 310p/kg and £2,046 per head.

The 54 Heifers averaged 257.1p which demonstrates the level of prices.

101 OTM and Feeding Cows on offer, a few less than we have been having and perhaps an indication that supplies are short. Top figures 218p and £2,050 per head.

The average was a tremendous 163.9p.

Only 26 Calves with Bulls to £260 and Heifers £242.

In the Sheep section there were just 7 Spring Lambs selling to 348p/kg and £135.72 the average at 344.5p.

1071 Hoggs with supplies dwindling. Top figures 311p/kg and £141.40 per head.

The SQQ a shade easier at 263p which indicated the higher proportion of hill bred lambs.

Cull Sheep numbers keeping up with 416 on offer. Ewes sold to £218 to average a remarkable £122.68.

FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

Thursday 24th March: Regular Lunchtime Sheep Market

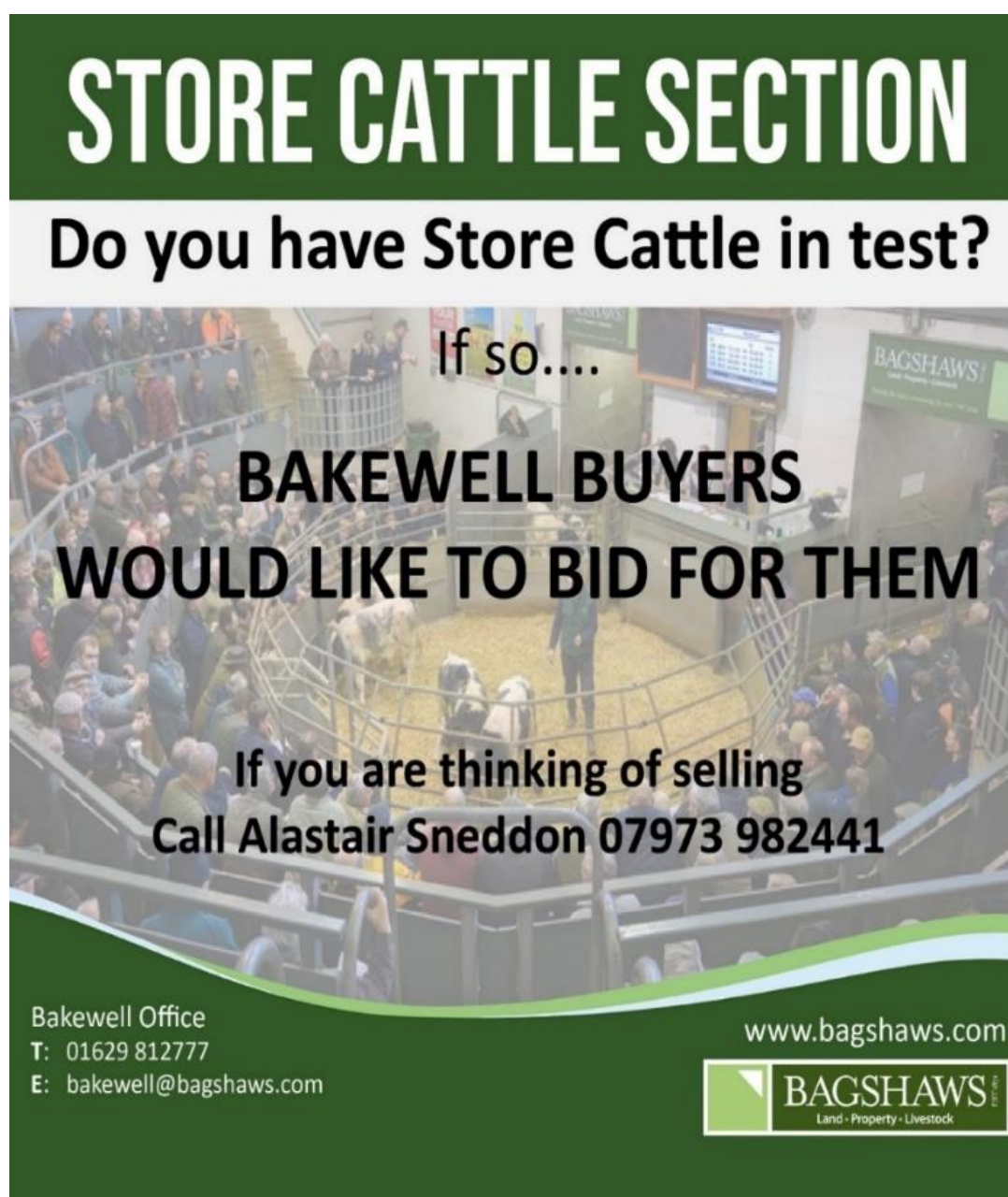
Friday 1st April: Bakewell Market Orange Sale for TB restricted cattle, contact Oliver Hiles on 07801 530899 for further details.

FARM SALES

Friday 25th March: Ingestre Manor, Stafford

Saturday 2nd April: Barms Farm, Buxton

A cap was left in the sale ring recently
If someone has lost it, please let us know.



STORE CATTLE SECTION

Do you have Store Cattle in test?

If so....

BAKEWELL BUYERS WOULD LIKE TO BID FOR THEM

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BAKEWELL MARKET UKRAINE APPEAL

We would like to thank all those of our customers who gave so generously last week making donations of stock to be sold and cash in the buckets amounting to £3,368.

Bagshaws Partners pledged to pay £1 per head for all stock sold at Bakewell last week which amounted to £3,445.

**This means that the total to be sent to the
DISASTERS EMERGENCY COMMITTEE UKRAINE APPEAL
is a grand total of £6,813**

**101 Barren, OTM and Feeding Cows Overall Average 163.94p or £1127.74
(Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)**

NEW LEVELS OF TRADE

I just can't believe that there are not 1000 cows in the market and not a hundred with this level of trade. Now is the time to assess your selling options to make sure you are making the most of marketing your old cows. 48 vendors today would go home astonished with the results. Best Continental cows easily over £2 with a pure Limousin from Messrs Boden & Davies at 218p or £1787. 7 Cows over £2 with plenty more 180p+.

Sample Results:

218p/kg	820kg	Lim, 10yrs	Boden & Davies Ltd, Mellor
214p/kg	636kg	Lim, 7yrs	Mason Bros Livestock, Southwell
210p/kg	744kg	Lim, 14yrs	GA Lomas & Sons, Peak Forest
204p/kg	760kg	Lim, 3 ½ yrs	Hazelwood Hall Farm, Hazelwood
204p/kg	786kg	Lim, 4yrs	Hazelwood Hall Farm, Hazelwood
201p/kg	700kg	Lim, 11yrs	MJ Burnett & Son, Rowsley
200p/kg	568kg	Sim, 3yrs	NA Birch, Monyash
197p/kg	822kg	Blonde x, 8yrs	BD & JH Ponsonby, Tideswell Moor
194p/kg	726kg	B Blue x, 8yrs	MJ Burnett & Son, Rowsley
194p/kg	812kg	Blonde x, 9yrs	BD & JH Ponsonby, Tideswell Moor
192p/kg	736kg	Lim, 9yrs	RM Hadfield Ltd, Castleton
190p/kg	698kg	Lim, 12yrs	MJ Burnett & Son, Rowsley
188p/kg	862kg	B Blue x, 7yrs	GA & SM Wainwright, Bamford
187p/kg	788kg	AA, 3yrs	N & D Woolley, Ilkeston

And Gross Prices:

£1787.60	820kg	Lim	Boden & Davies Ltd, Mellor
£1620.56	862kg	B Blue x	GA & SM Wainwright, Bamford
£1619.34	822kg	Blonde x	BD & JH Ponsonby, Tideswell Moor
£1603.44	786kg	Lim	Hazelwood Hall Farm, Hazelwood
£1575.28	812kg	Blonde x	BD & JH Ponsonby, Tideswell Moor
£1562.40	744kg	Lim	GA Lomas & Sons, Peak Forest
£1550.40	760kg	Lim	Hazelwood Hall Farm, Hazelwood
£1508.40	838kg	Fries	GS & CR & OG Kirkham, Hartington
£1488.48	886kg	Holst	GW & WL Neville, Tansley
£1473.56	788kg	AA	N & D Woolley, Ilkeston

57 Black & White and ex-dairy cows Ave 158.4p/kg or £1090.50

Dearer than ever

Fed Cows 170-184p

Big Framey Holsteins 160-170p

Plainer Smaller Parlour Cows 140-155p

Lean Holsteins under 130p.

The best Today

184p/kg	£1405	Fries, 10yrs	TW & JA Foster, Duffield
180p/kg	£1508	Fries, 7yrs	GS, CR & OG Kirkham, Hartington
178p/kg	£1374	Fries, 9yrs	GV Matkin, Kirk Ireton
177p/kg	£1203	Fries, 6yrs	Wager & Son, Hartington
176p/kg	£1295	Holst, 6yrs	R Bradbury & Sons, Middleton
175p/kg	£1326	Holst, 5yrs	TW & G Fountain, Marston Montgomery
174p/kg	£1235	Fries, 7yrs	TW & JA Foster, Duffield
173p/kg	£1342	Holst, 12yrs	GS, CR & OG Kirkham, Hartington
172p/kg	£1355	Holst, 6yrs	JW Walker & Sons, Tideswell
172p/kg	£1279	Holst, 4yrs	Easom & Sons, Oakerthorpe
172p/kg	£1458	Holst, 6yrs	Easom & Sons, Oakerthorpe
170p/kg	£1149	Fries, 8yrs	Wager & Son, Hartington

2 OTM Bulls

167p/kg	£1957	Blonde, 7yrs	SG Potter, Bonsall
153p/kg	£2050	Holst, 7 ½ yrs	MG Mosley & Son, Rivelin

2 OTM Steers

217p/kg	£1492	AA, 32mnths	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
162p/kg	£1804	Holst, 7 ½ yrs	RG Sisson, Dale Abbey

122 FINISHED CATTLE – overall average 242.2p

(Auctioneer Oliver Hiles)

39 Vendors selling to 21 accounts at ringside

A full line up of buyers and trade up on last weeks flyer. Cattle are certainly as dear as we have ever had them with returns at record levels.

25 Finished Bulls ave 212.5p

9 Continental, 1 Angus and 15 Black & White and an astonishing trade for all. Nigel Birch last in the ring but still have 270p for an all beef bred Simmental. 15 B/W ave 194.8p with Holstein to 208p, Friesian to 207p and a Swedish at 204p.

Sample Results:

270p/kg	556kg	Sim	NA Birch, Monyash
266p/kg	612kg	Lim	P Watson, Ashover
256p/kg	658kg	Blonde x	JT Ottewell, Calow
233p/kg	734kg	Lim	JT Ottewell, Calow
232p/kg	772kg	Lim	Willets and Sons, Ilkeston
232p/kg	778kg	Lim	Willets & Sons, Ilkeston
226p/kg	566kg	AA	J Watson, Ashover

And Gross Prices:

£1804.96	778kg	Lim	Willets & Sons, Ilkeston
£1791.04	772kg	Lim	Willets & Sons, Ilkeston
£1710.22	734kg	Lim	JT Ottewell, Calow
£1684.48	658kg	Blonde x	JT Ottewell, Calow
£1676.40	762kg	Lim	Willets & Sons, Ilkeston
£1627.92	612kg	Lim	P Watson, Ashover

£1598.70	730kg	Lim	AB Massie & Son, Ockbrook
£1550.40	760kg	Lim	KD Barlow & Sons, Hamstall Ridware
£1501.20	556kg	Sim	NA Birch, Monyash
£1485.12	728kg	Swed R/W	AB Massie & Son, Ockbrook

43 Steers – overall average 241.9p

Very strong money with some remarkable high prices for weighted cattle. Charlotte and David Hadfield led the way at 280p or £1825 for a pretty Simmy with Alan and David Shepherd at 275p. Big Boys sold up to £2046 for a strong 758kg Blue from Keith Harrop. Herefords to 218p, Angus to 236p, Lincolns to 231p with Fries to 212p.

Sample Results:

280p/kg	652kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
275p/kg	622kg	Lim	JA & D Shepherd, Hollow Meadows
273p/kg	614kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
273p/kg	692kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
270p/kg	690kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
270p/kg	758kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
266p/kg	610kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Watnall
265p/kg	638kg	Lim	JW Blackshaw, Bakewell
264p/kg	670kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
261p/kg	548kg	Lim	JW Blackshaw, Bakewell

And Gross Prices:

£2046.60	758kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£1935.00	750kg	Lim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
£1889.16	692kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£1863.00	690kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£1857.60	774kg	Saler	DS Gregory, Glossop
£1825.60	652kg	Sim	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
£1768.80	670kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£1765.76	712kg	B Blue x	D Hadfield & Daughter, Tideswell
£1710.50	622kg	Lim	JA & D Shepherd, Hollow Meadows
£1695.10	670kg	Lim	JA Mosley & Sons, Stannington

54 Heifers – overall average 257.16p/kg

The best average ever for a regular Monday with more competition at ringside and some sensational prices. Nigel Birch topped at 310p for a shapey handy weight Limousin with Jack Blackshaw also at 300p/kg to gross £1770 with big heifers from the same home at £1963, £1931 and £1863. 6 Hereford sold to 246p, 8 Angus to 259p and a Lincoln at 231p.

Sample Results:

310p/kg	526kg	Lim	NA Birch, Monyash
300p/kg	590kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
294p/kg	520kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
292p/kg	594kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport

284p/kg	656kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
282p/kg	654kg	Lim	JP Blackshaw, Pilsley
279p/kg	662kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
279p/kg	520kg	Lim	H Hodgkinson & Sons, Earl Sterndale
278p/kg	638kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
275p/kg	656kg	B Blue x	NA Birch, Monyash
274p/kg	512kg	Lim	NA Birch, Monyash
274p/kg	642kg	Lim	Hazledine Farms, Watnall
274p/kg	620kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
273p/kg	6284kg	B Blue x	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow

Gross Prices:

£1963.22	758kg	AA	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£1931.20	710kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£1867.32	684kg	B Blue x	Thorp Farms Ltd, Baslow
£1863.04	656kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£1846.98	662kg	Lim	K Harrop, Alport
£1844.28	654kg	Lim	JP Blackshaw, Pilsley
£1804.00	656kg	B Blue x	K Harrop, Alport
£1773.64	638kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley
£1771.20	656kg	Lim	H & G Hollinshead, Lichfield
£1770.00	590kg	Lim	PJ Blackshaw, Pilsley

STORE & BREEDING CATTLE - (Auctioneer Alastair Sneddon)

A bumper crop this week with a grand total of 584 head on offer.

Buyers out in force and trade good at all price levels.

Rather more young cattle in this week's sample, but with the smell of grass in their nostrils buyers dug deep to secure stock.

At the other end of the spectrum the short finish cattle remain very dear with plenty of competition despite the prospect of increased feed costs.

Only the one Cow & Calf, an Angus, 54 mnths with Hfr Calf from JL Foster of Selston which made £1,440.

We seem to be attracting a few grazing/feeding cows and there were 9 to choose from all selling well.

Sample Prices:

£1010	Lim x	42 mnths	FT Bagnall, Longnor
£990	Parth x	81 mnths	Mrs BA Williamson, Wheatcroft
£1080	B Blue x	46 mnths	T Brooks, Rolleston on Dove
£1020	Sim x	155 mnths	T Brooks, Rolleston on Dove

Feeding Bulls

Next came 50 Feeding Bulls which included:

£820	Angus x	9-10 mnths	H & SJ Hallam, New Mills
£940	Char x	10 mnths	C Bowers & Son, Bradley
£1080	Lim x	10 mnths	J & J Mellor, Kniveton

£1300	Lim x	20 mnths	FT Bagnall, Longnor
£930	Hfd x	15 mnths	H Fitzhugh, Heage
£670	Lim x	6 mnths	S Burford, Hayfield
£940	Lim	10 mnths	M Leason, Sudbury
£660	Holst	11-12 mnths	AC Lowe, Dronfield

318 Steers ave £934

A good selection and a decent average bearing in mind the increased number of young cattle in the entry.

Outliers commanding a considerate premium as buyers seek cattle for immediate turnout. Angus and Hereford remaining very popular and some big bunches of Black & Whites making tremendous prices.

Sample Results:

£760	B Blue x	9 mnths	H Dutton Ltd, Thurstaston
£860	Blonde x	11 mnths	TJ & SE Ibbotson, Hathersage
£900	Blonde x	9 mnths	CJ Stone, Fairfield
£710	Lim x	9-10 mnths	T & R Hibbert, Eyam
£1040	Lim x	9-11 mnths	FG & JR Critchlow, Sheen
£990	Lim x	10 mnths	LS Riley, Longnor
£650	Lim x	7 mnths	CG & OM Carthy, Barton
£890	Lim x	10-11 mnths	ED Ironmonger, Bonsall
£400	Fries	11-12 mnths	R Hughes, Locko
£1055	Char x	10 mnths	C Bowers & Son, Bradley
£700	Holst	14-17 mnths	RP Lawley, Draycott
£800	B Blue x	9-11 mnths	E Morley & Son, Kirk Langley
£940	Hfd x	9-13 mnths	E Morley & Son, Kirk Langley
£760	Angus x	10-14 mnths	E Morley & Son, Kirk Langley
£725	Holst	12-20 mnths	E Morley & Son, Kirk Langley
£430	Holst	7-8 mnths	E Morley & Son, Kirk Langley
£1090	Angus x	16 mnths	CV Whilock, Ipstones
£1100	Saler x (12)	12-13 mnths	HW Brown, Towcester
£1050	Saler x (9)	12-13 mnths	HW Brown, Towcester
£900	Saler x (11)	12-13 mnths	HW Brown, Towcester
£995	B Blue x (6)	13-18 mnths	R & J Hinds, Bradley
£1100	Lim x	11-14 mnths	AP Pugh, Pilsley
£930	Mont x	14-15 mnths	P Furness, Monyash
£1125	B Blue x	15-16 mnths	S Nicholls, Milwich
£1230	Char x	20 mnths	Chambers & Wilton, Flagg
£1050	Lim x	15-16 mnths	N & S Pearson, Peak Forest
£1280	Lim (6)	12-23 mnths	GA & CJ Mellor, Rugeley
£905	Lim (6)	9-18 mnths	GA & CJ Mellor, Rugeley
£900	Fries	20-21 mnths	MD Webster, Sturston
£1080	Fleck	18 mnths	DJ Webster, Worrall
£1480	Char x	20 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1430	Lim	17 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave

£1150	Lim x	19 mnths	H Young, Peak Forest
£1145	B Blue x	21 mnths	D & L Wain, Ilam
£1560	B Blue x	22 mnths	AG Tomkinson, Thorpe
£1205	B Blue x	22-23 mnths	MJ Burnett & Son, Rowsley
£1230	Lim x	19-20 mnths	B Woolley & Son, Monyash
£1345	Hfd x	23-27 mnths	G & R Gould, Elton
£1350	Sim x	22 mnths	P Gould, Ramsor
£1350	Hfd x	23-24 mnths	P Gould, Ramsor
£1360	B Blue x	22-23 mnths	P Gould, Ramsor
£1335	Angus x	23 mnths	C Barnes, Rowarth
£1280	S Horn x	23-24 mnths	R & J Hancock, Eyam
£1155	B Blue x	24 mnths	W & C & J Barratt, Combs
£1135	Holst (7)	22-29 mnths	Gosling Farming, Parwich
£1185	B Blue x	28 mnths	JT Flint, Ible

204 Heifers ave £798

Plenty to choose from with a strong trade regardless of age, size or breed.

Harder cattle attracting particular interest.

Sample prices as follows:

£355	Angus x	5 mnths	CG Massey & Son, Holmes Chapel
£780	Char x	7-9 mnths	M Heathcote, Heathcote
£820	Blonde x	7 mnths	TJ & SE Ibbotson, Hathersage
£690	Lim x	8-10 mnths	Roger Barlow, Leverton
£530	Angus	7-9 mnths	Nettleworth Farm, Mansfield
£570	Angus x	12-14 mnths	R Bradbury & Sons, Middleton
£705	Lim x	10-13 mnths	CG & OM Carthy, Barton
£830	Lim x	10-11 mnths	ED Ironmonger, Bonsall
£670	Angus x	10-11 mnths	HG & RJ Potter, Stannington
£675	Lim x	10 mnths	Lea Partners, Wortley
£590	Hfd x	11-13 mnths	E Morley & Son, Kirk Langley
£830	Angus	15-19 mnths	CV Whilock, Ipstones
£840	Hfd x	12-13 mnths	HW Brown, Towcester
£1040	B Blue x	14 mnths	R & J Hinds, Bradley
£1090	Hfd x	20 mnths	I & M & A Wilson, Tean
£1060	Lim x	17 mnths	N & S Pearson, Peak Forest
£1180	Lim x	21-22 mnths	GA & CJ Mellor, Adnaston
£890	Lim	9-14 mnths	GA & CJ Mellor, Adnaston
£1050	Lim x	18 mnths	D & A Dickinson, Bradbourne
£1380	Lim x	20 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1480	Lim x	22 mnths	JW & RG Ede, Youlgreave
£1215	Blonde x	21 mnths	FT Bagnall, Longnor
£1045	Angus x	19-22 mnths	D & L Wain, Ilam
£1150	B Blue x	22 mnths	MJ Burnett & Son, Rowsley
£1150	Lim x	24 mnths	R Bennett & Son, Bamford
£1165	Angus x	20 mnths	B Woolley & Son, Monyash

£1055	Hfd	20-23 mnths	R & GR Webster, Ashbourne
£1140	B Blue x	16-19 mnths	Green Dales, Alderwasley
£945	Sim x	23 mnths	CE & EN Latham, Sudbury
£1065	Sim x	20-24 mnths	W & C & J Barratt, Combs
£1180	B Blue x	24 mnths	J & D Skidmore, Chelmorton
£830	Hfd x	14 mnths	TG Adams, Calwich

CALVES (Auctioneer Ivor Lowe)

A few less about than last week with trade possibly a bit more selective, especially for the better-quality sorts.

Bulls lacked anything really fancy in the entry with B Blues to £260 and Angus to £240 with a nice B Blue Heifer at £242.

Not many Black & White about, but plenty of interest in those that were forward.

Bulls

B Blue	£260	Pidcock & Matkin, Teversal
B Blue	£240	Pidcock & Matkin, Teversal
B Blue	£230	Pidcock & Matkin, Teversal
Angus	£240	JF Hayes, Shottle
Angus	£220	RE Poyser & Son, Onecote

Heifers

B Blue	£242	JF Hayes, Shottle
Salers	£190	JF Hayes, Shottle

1078 Lambs, 416 Ewes & Rams & 4 Store Sheep (Auctioneers Peter Oven & Mark Elliott)

A very good entry of 1498 head of sheep included 7 new season lambs and 1071 old season lambs. The Spring lambs peaked at 348p/kg to average 344.56p/kg with top gross of £135.72.

In the old season lambs demand was very brisk throughout with best butchers lambs to 318p/kg, lighter weight lambs to 311p/kg, heavy butchers lambs to 290p/kg and overweight sorts to 256p/kg. Best lambs grossed £141.40/head and an overall market average of 263.47p/kg, this included several runs of horned Welsh and Mule lambs.

Leading Prices: -

31kg	294p/kg	E & J Beswick, Grindon
31.6kg	308p/kg	MJ Burnett & Son, Rowsley
35.1kg	292p/kg	DO & MR Hague, Sheffield
36kg	311p/kg	MJ Burnett & Son, Rowsley
37kg	300p/kg	JG Jackson, Wardlow
37.8kg	298p/kg	DE Hodgson, Wormhill
38.1kg	309p/kg	S Smith, Crich
38.5kg	301p/kg	DO & MR Hague, Sheffield
39.8kg	302p/kg	Mount Farming
40kg	299p/kg	J Bonsall, Atlow
41kg	318p/kg	Stoneyford Farming, Ripley
44.3kg	295p/kg	R Hodgson & Son, Kettleshulme
45.4kg	294p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
45.6kg	290p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
46.5kg	290p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn

47.8kg	284p/kg	R Hodgson & Son, Kettleshulme
50.5kg	280p/kg	AV Marsden, Great Hucklow
52.7kg	256p/kg	R Swift & Son, Little Onn
59.3kg	230p/kg	T Hall, Trusley

Averages:

Lights	To 308p/kg	Average 244.53p/kg
Standard	To 311p/kg	Average 258.07p/kg
Medium	To 318p/kg	Average 269.07p/kg
Heavy	To 290p/kg	Average 257.01p/kg
Overweight	To 256p/kg	Average 228.92p/kg

416 Cull Sheep

Trade good right through to the end!

All sectors a good trade but perhaps the plain, lean, old ewes look dearer than ever.

Top call £218 for superb Texels long and smart from the Taylor Family at Knutsford. Better sorts regularly over £170 and plenty of customers particularly for the best and worst. The top 9 pens averaged £181.44.

Mules good to sell with the best frames and no fat regularly over £120 to a top of £129. Better end horned types with good flesh over £81.

Generally, slaughter tups good to sell to a top of £176 and £184 for long good Texels with lunks to £120.

Ewes To: £218 Ave: £122.80
Rams To: £184 Ave: £120.33