Thursday 15th March 2018 - STORE CATTLE

Hope's Auction Co. Ltd., Wigton held their Fortnightly sale of Store Cattle with a catalogued entry of 325 Feeding Bulls and Store Cattle.

Store Cattle again a flying trade with all classes of cattle dearer on the week. Top price today was a Limousin Steer from JM & GJ Dockeray which sold for £1455. Heifers also in high demand, with a pen of Limousin heifers topping heifers at £1275 this time from GF & JW Dixon.

Three Quarters of the sale consisted of younger cattle that were between 10 and 14 months. The older cattle that were in met a tremendous trade, Malcom Dockeray of Kelsick House Farm had a run of 21 fantastic Blue and Limousin Steers and Heifers which averaged £1247.

Greystoke Castle Farm had a fantastic run of 107 Ten to Twelve Month old Charolais and Limousin Steers and Heifers selling to a ready contingent of local farmers and off buyers producing a strong average of £1004.

All Cattle met a strong trade and many more could have being sold to the vendors advantage.

Steer Average- £1072

Heifer Average-£976

Next store cattle sale is on Thursday 29th March please Contact our Auctioneers and field staff or office with entries.

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BULLOCKS

Limousin £1455 £1325 £1295 £1185 £1145 Kelsick House Farm £1445 £1345 Bankhead £1295 £1275 £1245 Wampool

Charolais £1185(3) £1175 £1165(3) £1155 £1095 Greystoke Castle Farm £1095 High Brackenthwaite

Simmental £1105 Parkgate Hall

British Blue £1425 £1355 Kelsick House Farm £1175 Midtown Farm £1125 Leesrigg Pasture

Angus £975 (2) Round Hill Farm Limited £895 £855 Beech Tree Farm **Holstein** £825 Round Hill Farm Limited

HEIFERS

Limousin £1275 £1245 31195 Bankhead £1235 Midtown Farm £1195 Kelsick House Farm £1175 Leesrigg Pasture

Angus £875 Birkmire Farm £825 Round Hill Farm Limited

Charolais £1135 (2) £1045 Greystoke Castle Farm £995 Greyrigg House

Blonde £1065 Calvo

British Blue £1215 Kelsick House Farm £965 Crummock Bank

BULLS

Limousin £1065 £995 Burblethwaite £1015 Greystoke Castle Farm **Charolais** £1095 £1065 £985 Greystoke Castle Farms