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THURSDAY 20th SEPTEMBER 2018

Calves and Stirks - 49

A larger show of calves and stirks and a good trade with new customers experiencing the Wigton effect.

Top today £520 for a late April born heifer from Messrs Nicholson, Aughtertree, Bulls to £455 for 4m Blues for Messrs Harrington, Flatt Bank.

A good show of fresh calves finding strong enquiry to £290 for month old Limousin bulls from Messrs Eilbeck, Plumbland Farm and heifers of the same age at £285 also from Messrs Eilbeck.

Limousin Heifer Stirk £300 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)

Limousin Bull Stirk £430 £425 £420 £405 £400 Balladoyle Farm (Whitfield)

British Blue Heifer Stirk £455 Crookdake House (Hetherington) £420 £410 Flatt Bank (Harrington) £405 Southerfield Hall (Briggs)

British Blue Steer Stirk £500 £460 Crookdake House (Hetherington)

British Blue Bull Stirk £455 £435 £425 Flatt Bank (Harrington) £400 £365 Moorhouse Farm (Watson)

Blonde Heifer Stirk £520 £460 Aughertree (Nicholson)

Aberdeen Angus Bull Stirk £385 £375 Moorhouse Farm (Watson)

Aberdeen Angus Heifer Stirk £405 Southerfield Hall (Briggs)

Limousin Heifer Calf £285 £265 £180 £170 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

Limousin Bull Calf £290 Plumbland Farm (Eilbeck)

British Blue Bull Calf £290 £285 £280 High Pow (Jefferson)

British Blue Heifer Calf £265 £245 High Pow (Jefferson)







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Dairy - 15

A good show of dairy and a useful trade given recent reports. Top today an outstanding fresh Montbeliarde cross to £1820 for Messrs Mounsey, Townend. Decent 2nd calvers to £1200 for Messrs Harrington, Flatt Bank. In calf heifers were well received to a top of £1100 for Messrs Brown, Seaville Cote.

Holstein Dairy Cow £1200 Flatt Bank (Harrington) £1100 Moorhouse Farm (Watson)

Holstein Incalf Heifer £1100 £1050 £1000 Seaville Cote (Brown)

Holstein Dairy Heifer £1400 £1380 Hazel Head

Friesian Dairy Heifer £1450 Nerewater Farm

Montbeliarde Dairy Heifer £1820 £1120 Townend (Mounsey)

Store Lambs - 1112

Sale of 1112 store lambs met a flying trade today. Smart lambs were once again an outstanding trade with Beltex lambs averaging £81 for 420 of them. Commercial lambs were also a nice trade with Texel out of Mule lambs selling nicely away from £65 to £72. Next Sale of sheep is to be held on Saturday 29th September, which will include 60 Tups, 100 Breeding Sheep and 4500 Gimmer Lambs and Store Lambs. Entries still being taken, please contact Jimmy on 07827966377.

Beltex £102.50 £97 Park House Farm (Brown) £102 £88 £83 Mid Farm (Bewley) £100 £87.50 Croft House (Watson) £94 Low Buildings Farm (Wetherall)

Texel £90 £88 New Grange Farm (Airey) £84 £75.50 Pewter Close (Little) £79.50 £75 Low Buildings Farm (Wetherall) £79 High Old Shield (Metcalfe) £77 Grapes Barn (Strong & Thornthwaite) £75 Norman Farm (Scott)



