



WALLETS MARTS CASTLE DOUGLAS LIMITED

OTM & STORE CATTLE MONDAY 12TH FEBRUARY 2018

Wallets Marts Castle Douglas Limited continued their fortnightly sales of Store and OTM cattle on Monday 12th February when they sold 223 cattle.

194 Store Cattle once again met a powerful demand for the time of year selling to 264.2p per kg for a pen of Limousin and Aberdeen Angus bullocks consigned by L Templeton, Ardachie, Kirkcowan. Top price per head was £1375 paid to K Robb, Trolane, Dalry for Limousins. Ardachie also topped the heifers at 253.6p for a pen of Limousins whilst top price per head was £1105 for British Blue crosses from K Robb, Trolane. Overall averages saw the bullocks level at 228.12p per kg and the heifers at 211.0p per kg.

A larger offering of OTM cattle were very easily sold with demand outstripping supply. In general cows were a better quality show than previous weeks which reflected in an overall sale average of 125.8p. Topping the sale at 175p (£1113) was a Hereford from S & L M Asbery, Hill of Balmaghie. Top price per head was £1123.22 or 142p per kg for a Simmental from Culnaightrie.

BULLOCKS

Limousin

£1375, £1200 Trolane; £1180 Flathill; £1150 (x2) Fagra

Simmental

£1170, £1140 Fagra; £1080 High Park

Saler

£1080 Fagra

Angus

£1140, £1130 Hill of Balmaghie

Charolais

£1085 High Park; £1050 Cotland

B/Blue

£1260 Trolane

HEIFERS

British Blue

£1105 Trolane

Limousin

£1025 Fagra

Simmental

£1065 Fagra; £960 High Park

Charolais

£1020 Hill of Balmaghie; £910 Cotland

Angus

£950 Hill of Balmaghie

OTM

£1123 Culnaightrie; £1113 Hill of Balmaghie; £1066 Kirkmabreck; £1026 Culnaightrie; £994 Kirkmabreck