

The Market Report

Thrapston Forthcoming Events

Wednesday 24th August
First Sale of Breeding Sheep & Rams

Thursday 25th August
Prime & Cull Sheep

Friday 26th August
Thrapston Collective Machinery & Equipment Sale

Saturday 27th August
Store & Breeding Cattle, Sheep & Pigs

Thursday 1st September
Prime & Cull Sheep

Saturday 3rd September
Store & Breeding Cattle, Sheep & Pigs
Fur, Produce & Sundries

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REPORT FOR THURSDAY 18TH AUGUST

620 Prime Lambs

Trade stands on for the week with a top end showing of lambs forward. Quality held the price against a national falling week. Lighter lambs continue to be hard sold with the commercials under 43kgs and smarter export style lambs struggled for premiums under 41.5kgs. SQQ 233.51p/kg. John Gowling & Sons saw the top of the pence per kg with Continental lambs at 46kgs selling to £129 or 280p/kg, with their further pens selling to £130 for 49kgs. J Woodbridge & M Wallis topped the day overall with thumping Texel lambs at 63kgs flying to £135.

Highlights - Giles Green saw their first draw of the year forward, with their best finished Texel and Charollais crosses selling themselves, topping at £117 for 42kgs, their heavier lambs continued a at premium, with 48.5kgs to £118 and 47.5kgs to £117; J Towers penned equal quality, their top end saw compact Charollais crosses at 49kgs sell to £117; DJ & AL Underwood started the day with best finished Texel crosses topping to £116 for 47.5kgs; SJ Hubbard continues to draw top end seeing their Texels sell to £115 for 45.5kgs; WH Tanner & Son penned big framed Scotch Half Bred lambs selling to £114.50 for 45.5kgs.

To		From		Average	
Standards (32.1-39kg)					
254p	£96.50	229p	£89.50	241.2p	£92.53
Mediums (39.1 - 45.5kg)					
279p	£117.00	210p	£85.00	232.6p	£99.66
Heavies (45.6 - 52kg)					
280p	£130.00	214p	£104.00	243.3p	£117.54
Over 52kg					
241p	£135.00	214p	£118.00	224.9p	£124.83

NOTICE

To ensure your entries are listed in the Saturday Store Sale Catalogue, please book in your stock by 4pm on Friday.

NOTICE

If you would like your stock to be included in the weekly report presale, please contact the office before 12 noon on Monday.

138 Cull Ewes & Rams

Culls continue to see a drop on the week with national numbers flooding the markets. Best end conformation are a stand on trade, with fat harder sold now more than ever. All in Average £75.41. John Gowling & Sons topped the day with Charollais ewes selling to £131; WF Knight & Son saw a similar trade with their big framed Texel cross ewes topping to £125; F & SM Stamper saw a big run of Texel and Beltex cross ewes forward topping to £120 for lean ewes with frame, followers saw £115, £114, £110 and £107; DJ & AL Underwood topped the Suffolks for the day flying to £118; SJ Hubbard topped their run of Texel crosses at £106. Mule ewes looked especially hard sold on the week with fat selling to £60 and smaller leaner types at the same price. Feeding ewes found a strong trade with a base for bright future potentials levelling at £55.

To	From	Average
£131.00	£30.00	£75.41

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 24th August

First Sale of Breeding Sheep & Rams

Lotted Catalogue Available Online

Wednesday 14th September

Second Sale of Breeding Sheep & Rams

*Please forward your entries by Monday 5th September
for cataloguing & advertising purposes*

Saturday 8th October

Third Sale of Breeding Sheep & Rams

THANK YOU

On Sunday 14th August a huge field fire broke out just 50 metres from our home, near Cransley. We want to say a big thank you to the farming community, who turned out from near and far to help fight the fire, all of whom were truly amazing and we are very thankful.

Frances Pope



<https://www.northantstelegraph.co.uk/news/people/farmers-and-firefighters-battled-flames-at-huge-field-fire-near-kettering-3805935>

SATURDAY 27TH AUGUST

BREEDING & STORE CATTLE

F H Pullin & Sons

3 Aberdeen Angus Heifers with Angus Calves at Foot 24-30 & 1-3 Months
25 Friesian Steers All 4-9 Months
5 Aberdeen Angus

C E Hancock & Son

27 Store Cattle 15-25 Months

S A C Holgate

35 Store Cattle 17-27 Months

CALVES

A G Burton – TB4

2 Aberdeen Angus x Bulls 5 Weeks - 3 Months
2 Aberdeen Angus x Heifers
5 Holstein Friesian Bulls

J E G James

3 British Blue Heifers All 4 Weeks
5 Aberdeen Angus Bulls & Heifers - *Named Sire*

F H Pullin & Sons

10 Friesian Bull Calves 4-6 Weeks

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REPORT FOR SATURDAY 20TH AUGUST

Store & Breeding Cattle

It was good to see more on offer in the pens this week and a decent trade for the types on offer. A Stabiliser cow with a 2 month Angus calf at foot sold to £1570. An entry of Holstein Friesian stirks entered from FH Pullin & Sons sold to £455 from £210 for their 7 month steers and their yearling Aberdeen Angus steers sold to £585, their similar heifers sold to £555; 8-9 month Continental steers sold to £820 from Yorkshire Ltd. One empty Dexter cow, 49 months sold to £190 for S Goodship

Prime Cattle

One forward this week which, with no pre-movement test and not being Farm Assured, did test the trade, but a Belted Galloway weighing 605kg sold to £1203.95 for J Egan.

Pigs

Two Gloucester Old Spot x weaned pigs forward sold to £35 from JG Croker and an entry of smaller weaned x pigs sold to £23 from £18; a pen of Saddleback pigs sold to £24.50 from A Mason.

Goats

Boer nanny kids sold to £58 and similar billies sold to £45 from Folly Meadow Goats; Alpine nannies sold to £52 and a similar billy sold to £50 from R Martin; other Dairy bred wethers from M Ikin sold to £40.

Calves

2-3 month weaned Holstein calves sold to £200 from £160 from FH Pullin & Sons.

555 Store & Breeding Sheep

Breeding Theaves - Pentelow Farms penned a run of North Country Mule theaves (ran dry) the whole run stood well with a top class entry, the best end sold to £174 with an average of £170.50 across the board.

Store Lambs - a strong showing of lambs forward this week and runs of genuine stores from hopper lambs to the very longest term lambs. All in average for the day saw £62.28. S Garley penned another top draw of Texel cross lambs, seeing their biggest frame ewe lambs sell to £120 with followers at £103, as the run went on, longer term equally smart lambs sold to £79.50, £79 and £76.50; J Breare & J Brooks saw their entry top with Beltex Texel lambs selling to £115; M Ikin saw the trade of the day with Kerry Hill ewe lambs topping to £101; F E Harris & Sons drew a smart run of short term Charollais lambs topping to £94.50, £90, £85.50.

S Gawthroup drew a smart run of Continentals, seeing the shortest term Charollais to £94.50; J Grace penned a bright run of Texel crosses selling to £70.50 and £68; Joseph Rochford Gardens Ltd drew a big run of Texel and Hampshire lambs with strong potential, seeing the biggest frame Texels to £69.50 and the Hampshires to £69, longer term lambs could be bought in the low to mid £50's.

Feeding Ewes - G Smith started the day with a showing of well fleshed Charollais ewes selling to £85; David Jerrams drew a run of proper feeding ewes seeing Continental crosses with frame top at £59, with further pens of slighter ewes selling in the mid £40's and £30's.

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COLLECTIVE MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT SALE

Haldens Parkway, Thrapston

Friday 26th August at 10.30am

For Entry Forms please visit our website
Or Contact the Main Office on 01832 732241

Important, entries must be returned by
Tuesday 16th August to be included in the catalogue

Auctioneer in Charge: Alastair Brown 07885 804450

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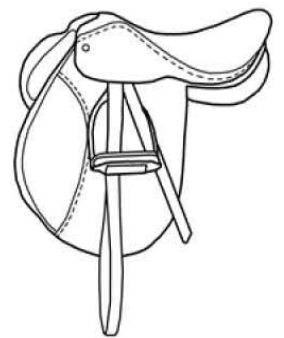
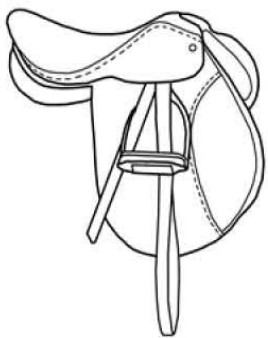
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on



Saturday 10th September at 1.00pm

At Thrapston Livestock Market

Entries by Monday 29th August
for cataloguing & advertising purposes

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