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## WEDNESDAY 3RD DECEMBER

### FINISHED LAMBS (9.30am)

*Auctioneer: Phil Jones*

1952 lambs forward with trade easing to level at 310p/kg. Lights and Standard weights still very pleasing, heavier weights slightly harder to place.

Lights to 340p/kg (£104.50-30.7kg) W Evans, Penygarn; 335p/kg (£104-31kg) HT Stephens, Penycaemawr; 331p/kg (£105.80-32kg) P Jones, Lydart. Plenty of 28-32kg lambs 320p/kg plus, just a few leaner or Hill bred 290-305p/kg.

Standards equally as good, 37kg to £126.20 (341p/kg) AJ Jenkins, Howick, and any amount 330-340p/kg, for those lowland bred 33-35kg types, which were highly sought after. 36-39kg generally 320-330p/kg.

The best Mediums to 322p/kg (£133.50-41.5kg) MD Hancock, Devauden. The best 40-45kg lambs generally 310-320p/kg, Hill bred 295-305p/kg.

A big entry of Heavies which would include a majority of Welsh tup lambs, which were mostly from 290-300p/kg. The best 51kg to £159 (312p/kg) from SE Gamble, Crick, with those best lowland bred types just top side of £3/kg for those 48-52kg lambs.

Super Heavies to £189.20 (63.2kg) P Meek, Newcastle; £177 (74kg) SE Gamble, Crick; £176 (60kg) J Francis, Mountain Ash; £174 (60kg) GW & FM Jones, Llanfabon.

FINISHED LAMBS	Number	Max p/kg	Average
17-25.4kg	46	357.00	295.09
25.5-32kg	238	340.00	305.17
32.1-39kg	681	341.00	317.31
39.1-45.5kg	565	322.00	302.98
45.6-52kg	323	312.00	295.29
52+kg	87	304.00	290.88
1940			SQQ 310.19p/kg

### CULL SHEEP

*Auctioneer: Phil Jones*

707 culls to another solid trade, ewes to average £121/head. Top selling at £220/head for a pair of Texel ewes from D Radnor, Llantilio Crossenny and £210 from JG Biggs, Penrhos. Suffolk X to £198 from LH Attewell, Undy and £192.50 again from D Radnor. Most stronger lowland ewes £170 plus, mediums £140-£160, smaller meated ewes £125-£140.

Hill bred to £164.50 for a NC Cheviot from D Parry, Llantilio Pertholey. The strongest Welsh/Cheviot types £120 plus, with plenty £105-£115. Medium Welsh £90-£105, with just a handful of very plain under £70.

Tups to £164 from C & G Morgan & Son, Blackmill, Welsh to £135 from MT Bevan & Sons, Glyneath.

CULL SHEEP	Number	Max	Average
CULL EWES	700	220.00	121.57
CULL RAM	12	164.00	116.38
WETHER	5	132.00	118.50
SHEEP	11	138.50	107.05

## STORE SHEEP

*Auctioneer: Phil Jones/Stephen Williams*

711 store lambs a very animated trade with a strong buyer contingent in attendance for all types. Lambs from £20-£129, and everything in between, but terrific competition throughout. A real shortage of strength in the entry, with top selling at £129 for a pen of Dutch Spotted tup lambs from JG Biggs & Son, Penrhos. A big bunch of medium keep Texel X lambs to £128.50 from R Carter, Upper Cwmbran, with a smart pen of Texel X from D & OA Prince, Llangwm to the same money.

NR & SH Wellington, Llanvair Green sold their smart medium keep lambs to £128. The best long term lambs well over £100 and many £105-£110. Smaller long term lambs with decent potential £90-£100. A big entry of very long term Welsh & Welsh X lambs sold from £65-£80 for the healthier bunches, with harder done types £45-£60. Overall average £94/head, more a reflection of the longer term types on offer rather than the trade.

## REARING CALVES (10am)

*Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper*

Another excellent entry of 45 calves to meet a very lively trade with buyers for many more!

### Top selling Bull Calves:

£820	-	LIM X	-	AR EDWARDS & SON
£800	-	BRBX	-	AR EDWARDS & SON
£780	-	BRBX	-	BE BAKER & SONS
£750	-	HFDX	-	AW & AL PHILLIPS
£740	-	BRBX	-	BE BAKER & SONS

### Top selling Heifer Calves:

£810	-	HFDX	-	AW & AL PHILLIPS
£760	-	AAX	-	AW & AL PHILLIPS
£740	-	BRBX	-	BE BAKER & SONS
£710	-	LIM X	-	AR EDWARDS & SON
£700	-	BRBX	-	BE BAKER & SONS

## IMPORTANT

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## BREEDING CATTLE

*Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper*

17 head forward with cows & calves to £2750 from CJ Alford, Pencelli, selling a Lim cow (75m) & her Charolais X heifer calf (6m). JR Silverthorne, Mamhilad sold a Blue cow (69m) & her Blonde X bull calf (29d) at £1850. Incalf cows to £1650 from GP & NC Thomas, Cowbridge, with a Gelbvieh X cow (66m), with another from AP Morgan, Trecastle at £1500 (LimX-43m).

## FEEDING/BREEDING BULLS

*Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper*

5 forward with top selling of £1700 for a 13 month British Blue from E Averill, Bryncethin, with another from the same home at £1200 (BRBX-9m).

## STIRKS/YOUNG STORES

*Auctioneer: Lyndon Trumper*

An entry of 107 young stores with a considerable improvement in quality today, and a serious 'step up' in trade.

Steers sold to £2080 & 544p/kg, to average £1525.32 & 425p/kg, with Heifers selling to £2030 & 632.4p/kg, to average £1295.65 & 389.55p/kg.

Top selling in both sections from TW & HK Roderick, Pontyclun, with Lim X Steers to £2080 (11m-485kg) & Lim X Heifers to £2030 (13m-480kg), other steers from the same home at £2010, £1960 & £1900.

WB & DE Powell, Builth Wells sold 11 month Charolais crosses to £2020 (440kg), with Lewis Partners, Ystradfellte selling 11 month Lim crosses to £1980 (422kg). A Layton, Vowchurch hit £1960 with an 8 month Lim cross steer (360kg-544p/kg), topping the per kilo section.

Best from RJ Price & Co, Mamhilad at £1920 for 10 month Charolais crosses (400kg), with Meredith Bros, Vaynor at £1900. All top 10 prices in excess of £1900, and also in excess of 459.5p/kg.

Messrs Roderick topping the Heifers at £2030 for 12-13 month Lim crosses (480kg), with Lewis Partners at £1870. RJ Price & Co sold 10 month Charolais crosses to £1760, with others at £1520. E Averill, Bryncethin sold 12-13 month British Blue crosses at £1630 (398kg).

A super run from WB & DE Powell sold to £1570 for 7 month Charolais crosses, with others at £1560 & £1530.

Top selling per kilo at 632 pence!, from M Lippiatt, New Tredegar selling 9 month Charolais crosses at £1170 (185kg).

All top 10 prices in excess of £1510 per head & 395p/kg!

#### Top Prices per Head (Steers)

	Age	Kg	£/Head	Vendor
<b>STEERS</b>	11m	485.0	2080	TW & HK RODERICK
	11m	440.0	2020	WB & DE POWELL LTD
	13m	485.0	2010	TW & HK RODERICK
	12m	458.8	2010	TW & HK RODERICK
	11m	422.5	1980	LEWIS PARTNERS
	9m	390.0	1960	TW & HK RODERICK
	8m	360.0	1960	A LAYTON
	10m	400.0	1920	RJ PRICE & CO
	9m	405.0	1900	TW & HK RODERICK
	10m	415.0	1900	MEREDITH BROS

#### Top Prices per Kilo (Steers)

	Age	Kg	p/kg	Vendor
<b>STEERS</b>	8m	360.0	544.0	A LAYTON
	9m	390.0	502.6	TW & HK RODERICK
	7m	370.0	489.2	A LAYTON
	6m	360.0	488.9	A LAYTON
	10m	400.0	480.0	RJ PRICE & CO
	9m	405.0	469.1	TW & HK RODERICK
	11m	422.5	468.6	LEWIS PARTNERS
	7m	330.0	466.7	A LAYTON
	10m	376.7	464.6	RJ PRICE & CO
	5m	370.0	459.5	RL & HL MORGAN

#### Top Prices per Head (Heifers)

	Age	Kg	£/Head	Vendor
<b>HEIFERS</b>	13m	480.0	2030	TW & HK RODERICK
	15m	460.0	1870	LEWIS PARTNERS
	10m	415.0	1760	RJ PRICE & CO
	13m	398.3	1630	E AVERILL
	7m	375.0	1570	WB & DE POWELL LTD
	11m	360.0	1560	WB & DE POWELL LTD
	11m	410.0	1530	WB & DE POWELL LTD
	11m	385.0	1520	RJ PRICE & CO
	11m	400.0	1520	RL & HL MORGAN
	12m	352.5	1510	LEWIS PARTNERS

**Top Prices per Kilo (Heifers)**

	Age	Kg	p/kg	Vendor
<b>HEIFERS</b>	9m	185.0	632.4	M LIPPIATT
	11m	360.0	433.3	WB & DE POWELL LTD
	12m	352.5	428.4	LEWIS PARTNERS
	10m	415.0	424.1	RJ PRICE & CO
	13m	480.0	422.9	TW & HK RODERICK
	7m	375.0	418.7	WB & DE POWELL LTD
	13m	322.5	409.3	JC WHISTANCE & SON
	13m	398.3	409.2	E AVERILL
	15m	460.0	406.5	LEWIS PARTNERS
	11m	385.0	394.8	RJ PRICE & CO

**STORE CATTLE**

*Auctioneer: Stephen Williams*

A good entry of 134 store cattle selling to a busy trade. Less short keep types amongst the entry and more wintering types forward. Heavy steers to £2450 (610kg) for Gelbvieh crosses from GP & NC Thomas, Cowbridge. Charolais crosses to £2360 (640kg) from I Matthews, Sigginstone. Lean Hereford crosses to £2160 (595kg) from BK & DE Williams, Raglan.

Wintering cattle were easily placed to a top of £2050 (470kg) for Parthenais crosses from RJ Lewis & Son, Lydart. A super run of Charolais crosses from ME, PL & SM Williams, Llansoy sold to £1980 (475kg), £1980 (510kg) & £1940 (488kg).

Top price per kilo of 440p/kg (£1980-450kg) for Parthenais crosses from RJ Lewis & Son. WB & DE Powell Ltd, Builth Wells sold to 439p/kg (£1890-430kg) for Limousin crosses. All the well bred sorts in excess of 415p/kg.

Feeding heifers sold to £2220 (550kg) for Limousin crosses from Gwyn Y Garth, Rudry. ME, PL & SM Williams sold Charolais crosses to £2170 (600kg). British Blue crosses to £2000 (600kg) for an OTM heifer from RJ Lewis & Son. Aberdeen Angus crosses to £1960 (670kg) from D Price, Llanmartin.

Wintering heifers sold to a top price of £2010 (475kg) for Limousin crosses from Gwyn Y Garth, Rudry. Top price per kilo of 444p/kg was achieved for Limousin crosses (£1820-410kg) from WB & DE Powell Ltd. ME, PL & SM Williams sold Charolais crosses to 404p/kg (£1900-470kg). All the well bred types in excess of 380p/kg.

**Overall Averages £'s Head**

66 steers – ave. £1666.67 or 381.75p/kg

68 heifers – ave. £1479.85 or 353.03p/kg

**STORE CATTLE TABLES (£/HEAD)**

Breed	Av	Min	Max	Wt	Vendor
<b>STEERS</b>					
GEX	2115	1780	2450	610.0	GP & NC THOMAS
MGX	1510	1510	1510	415.0	BW & MM THOMSON
WB	1480	1480	1480	475.0	BK & DE WILLIAMS
BRBX	1558	1060	1800	450.0	RG PARSONS
			1760	473.3	FORTEY BROS
			1760	455.0	GOFARM LTD
			1560	380.0	RG PARSONS
			1560	405.0	GOFARM LTD
			1550	410.0	COLDBROOK FARMING
			1540	365.0	E AVERILL
			1460	380.0	WB & DE POWELL
PA	1862	1620	2050	470.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
			1980	450.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
			1680	430.0	RJ LEWIS & SON

**STORE CATTLE TABLES (P/KG)**

Breed	Av	Min	Max	Wt	Vendor
<b>STEERS</b>					
GEX	346.7	291.8	401.6	610.0	GP & NC THOMAS
BRB	366.7	366.7	366.7	300.0	RG PARSONS
MG X	363.9	363.9	363.9	415.0	BW & MM THOMSON
BRBX	380.3	285.7	421.9	365.0	E AVERILL
			410.5	380.0	RG PARSONS
			400.0	450.0	RG PARSONS
			391.4	350.0	RG PARSONS
			386.8	455.0	GOFARM LTD
			385.2	405.0	GOFARM LTD
			384.2	380.0	WB & DE POWELL
			378.0	410.0	COLDBROOK FARMING
			371.9	473.3	FORTEY BROS

			1620	400.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
HEX	1370	440	2160	595.0	BK & DE WILLIAMS
			1780	490.0	BILLY BOBS FARMYARD
			1580	430.0	BILLY BOBS FARMYARD
CHX	1943	1790	2360	640.0	I MATTHEWS
			2050	515.0	ME,PL&SM WILLIAMS
			1980	510.0	ME,PL&SM WILLIAMS
			1980	475.0	ME,PL&SM WILLIAMS
			1940	487.5	ME,PL&SM WILLIAMS
			1940	450.0	GOFARM LTD
			1910	460.0	ME,PL&SM WILLIAMS
			1840	435.0	WB & DE POWELL
			1790	423.3	ME,PL&SM WILLIAMS
SMX	1590	1590	1590	403.3	BW & MM THOMSON
LIMX	1628	1380	1890	430.0	WB & DE POWELL
			1740	405.0	COLDBROOK FARMING
			1580	395.0	WB & DE POWELL
			1550	400.0	GOFARM LTD
HEIFERS					
AA	1530	1270	1960	670.0	D PRICE
			1620	545.0	D PRICE
BRBX	1463	580	2000	600.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
			1680	467.5	MA & JA GRIFFITHS
			1640	457.5	GOFARM LTD
			1560	393.3	RG PARSONS
			1430	410.0	RG PARSONS
			1420	392.5	GOFARM LTD
HEX	773	560	1080	375.0	EM FORD
DEVX	1293	1000	1440	407.5	AJ JONES & SON
CHX	1696	1360	2170	600.0	ME,PL&SM WILLIAMS
			1920	520.0	ME,PL&SM WILLIAMS
			1900	470.0	ME,PL&SM WILLIAMS
			1900	555.0	I MATTHEWS
			1840	500.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
			1780	475.0	WB & DE POWELL
			1640	440.0	I MATTHEWS
LIMX	1706	1300	2220	550.0	GWYN Y GARTH FARM
			2010	475.0	GWYN Y GARTH FARM
			1830	450.0	GWYN Y GARTH FARM
			1820	410.0	WB & DE POWELL
			1650	470.0	MA & JA GRIFFITHS

PA	423.2	390.7	440.0	450.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
			436.2	470.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
			405.0	400.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
			390.7	430.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
HEX	327.2	195.6	367.4	430.0	BILLY BOBS FARMYARD
			363.3	490.0	BILLY BOBS FARMYARD
			363.0	595.0	BK & DE WILLIAMS
			361.1	360.0	BILLY BOBS FARMYARD
			356.9	386.7	EM FORD
CHX	407.1	368.8	431.1	450.0	GOFARM LTD
			423.0	435.0	WB & DE POWELL
			422.9	423.3	ME, PL & SM WILLIAMS
			416.8	475.0	ME, PL & SM WILLIAMS
			415.2	460.0	ME, PL & SM WILLIAMS
			398.1	515.0	ME, PL & SM WILLIAMS
			397.9	487.5	ME, PL & SM WILLIAMS
			388.2	510.0	ME, PL & SM WILLIAMS
SMX	394.2	394.2	394.2	403.3	BW & MM THOMSON
LIMX	406.0	368.0	439.5	430.0	WB & DE POWELL
			429.6	405.0	COLDBROOK FARMING
			400.0	395.0	WB & DE POWELL
			387.5	400.0	GOFARM LTD
			368.0	375.0	RL & HL MORGAN
HEIFERS					
AA	309.1	292.5	332.0	382.5	EM FORD
BRBX	357.7	190.2	396.6	393.3	RG PARSONS
			381.0	367.5	RG PARSONS
			361.8	392.5	GOFARM LTD
			359.4	467.5	MA & JA GRIFFITHS
			358.5	457.5	GOFARM LTD
			357.1	350.0	RG PARSONS
			348.8	410.0	RG PARSONS
			333.3	600.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
HEX	236.1	180.6	288.0	375.0	EM FORD
			250.0	320.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
DEVX	330.2	277.8	353.4	407.5	AJ JONES & SON
CHX	373.3	342.3	404.3	470.0	ME, PL & SM WILLIAMS
			396.2	343.3	EM FORD
			379.7	395.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
			374.7	475.0	WB & DE POWELL
			372.7	440.0	I MATTHEWS
			370.7	410.0	WB & DE POWELL
			369.2	520.0	ME, PL & SM WILLIAMS
			368.0	500.0	RJ LEWIS & SON
			361.7	600.0	ME, PL & SM WILLIAMS

LIMX	397.7	351.1	443.9	410.0	WB & DE POWELL
			423.2	475.0	GWYN Y GARTH FARM
			406.7	450.0	GWYN Y GARTH FARM
			403.6	550.0	GWYN Y GARTH FARM
			384.2	380.0	RL & HL MORGAN
			376.8	345.0	RL & HL MORGAN
			354.8	420.0	WB & DE POWELL

## **CULL CATTLE**

*Auctioneer: Mike Davies*

26 culls to a continuing strong trade, although slightly easier than of late as reflected by the Beef trade. First quality meated cows 280-295p/kg, with a top of 295p/kg (£2190-740kg) for a Limousin from IJ Thomas & Partners, Llantwit Major. Top price per head at £2290, a Stabiliser (815kg-281p/kg) from DW Thomas & Sons, Llanmaes, also selling another at £2190 (800kg-274p/kg). Angus cows to £2060 from SC & PW Powell, Mynyddislwyn. Friesians to £1940 & £1840 from WLS Morgan & Son, Clytha. Charolais bulls to £1930 from I Matthews, Sigginstone.

		Number	Max	Average
Beef	Grade One	6	2290	2085
	Grade Two	9	1695	1554
	Grade Three	4	1085	962
Bulls		2	1930	1638
Dairy	Grade One	2	1940	1890
	Grade Two	1	1540	1540
	Grade Three	2	1150	1085

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