

ADDINGTON STOCK MARKET.

At Addington last Wednesday there were moderate entries of stock in almost all departments, and only a fair attendance. There was an improved demand for beef, and prices were firmer. Fat hoggets sold well, but the fat sheep sale was somewhat irregular, while prime sheep were very firm. The lines of store sheep offered met with a brisk sale. Fat pigs were dull of sale, but there was an improvement in stores. There was not much demand for store and dairy cattle.

Fat Sheep.—There was a moderate entry, made up principally of wethers, and included several lines of merinos. There were a few very prime lines of halfbred wethers, but other lines were light sheep, and prices consequently were comparatively low. Though the sale was somewhat irregular, prime quality was very firm at late rates. Little business was done by export-buyers. The few pens of ewes offered sold well. The range of prices was: Prime wethers, 24s to 27s 6d; medium, 20s to 23s; prime ewes, 21s to 23s 11d; medium, 18s to 20s; aged, 15s to 17s 6d; prime merino wethers, 18s to 21s 9d; others, 14s 6d to 17s 6d.

Fat Cattle.—The entry totalled 164, and the quality was chiefly good to prime. Included in the yarding was a line of polled Angus steers from Otago. There was an improvement both in bidding and prices as compared with late sales. For Mr. W. J. Stoddart (Ashburton) a first-prize steer and heifer sold at £14 17s 6d and £9 10s respectively, and for Mr. P. Iverach (Waiatu) 10 steers realised from £7 17s 6d to £10 12s 6d. Other steers brought from £7 15s to £10 2s 6d, heifers, £5 2s 6d to £8 10s; and cows, £6 2s 6d to £9—equal to from 22s to 24s for prime, 19s 6d to 21s for medium, and 18s to 19s for cow and inferior beef per 100lb. A fair yarding of veal calves sold at from 7s 6d to £2 17s 6d.

Pigs.—There was a fair entry, and fairs met with rather a dull sale at easier rates, while there was a very good demand for stores. Light baconers made from 35s to 40s; heavier, 41s to 45s; and extra, to 49s—equal to 3½d to 3¾d per lb; porkers, 25s to 35s—equal to 4d to 4½d per lb; medium to large stores, 15s to 24s; weaners, 6s to 10s.

Late Burnside Stock Report

Per favor Messrs. Donald Beu and Co.

Fat Cattle.—There was a yarding of 250, and of these about half were good prime quality, the balance being medium sorts. Prices, owing to the large yarding, were much easier. Best bullocks, £9 to £10 5s; ing, were much easier. Best bullocks, £9 to £10 5s, extra heavy, up to £10 15s; medium to good, £8 to £8 17s 6d; light, £6 15s to £7 15s; best cows and heifers, £7 to £8 (one extra heavy sold at £9); light, £5 5s to £6 10s.

Sheep.—There was a total yarding of 1712, and of these a few pens were prime and heavy butchers' lines, but the bigger proportion were light. For heavy sheep prices were about the same as those ruling last week, but for lighter sorts the rates were slightly easier. Best wethers, 26s 9d to 29s; medium to good, 23s to 25s; light, 19s to 22s; best ewes, 21s to 22s 6d; medium to good, 19s to 20s 6d; others, 17s to 18s 6d.

Pigs.—234 forward, the greater part of these being suckers and other small sorts, and as the market was glutted with these numbers were turned out unsold. Porkers were also easier, but baconers brought fully equal to late rates. Suckers, 6s to 9s; slips, 10s to 14s; stores, 15s to 20s; porkers, 23s to 32s; light baconers, 35s to 42s; heavy do, 47s to 52s; choppers, up to 60s.

Messrs. Louis Gille and Co., Melbourne and Sydney, notify our readers that they have just received copies of Father Sheehan's latest work, 'Glenanaar.'

The proprietors of Tiger Teas have decided to hold a Children's Christmas Competition. Particulars of the first contest will be advertised shortly, and the prizes will be awarded in time for Christmas. This should be of much interest to our young readers...

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