

Rongotea Store Sale Wednesday 14th July 2010

2-year steers started Wednesdays sale making \$752-\$1170 (\$1.75-\$1.87) with lighter sorts \$415-\$502 (\$1.72-\$1.88) with empty dairy heifers of the same age selling for \$345-\$450 (\$1.09-\$1.70). Yearling-15month heifers sold from \$420-\$525 (\$1.70-\$1.96) with bulls of the same age selling for \$495 (\$1.88). Beef cows with calves at foot \$590. Weaner heifers were making \$310-\$410 (\$1.97-\$3.64) with steers of the same age selling for \$430-\$450 (\$2.00-\$2.55). Weaner bulls sold from \$300-\$350 (\$1.89-\$2.27). The heavier lines of boner cows sold at \$580-\$650 with medium framed cows \$470-\$550 and lighter cows \$360-\$430. (\$.65-\$1.27) There were a handful of mixed aged dairies entered with Jersey cows selling from \$340-\$570 with springing Jersey heifers selling at \$520.

There were close to 50 feeder calves entered with Friesian bulls. Well marked and plenty of age selling for \$100-\$210 with lighter sorts \$50-\$90. Hereford x bulls with age sold from \$190-\$250. Charolai bulls sold for \$180 with Charolai heifers making \$180 also. Hereford x heifers were \$202 and Devon x heifers \$150. Un recorded Friesian heifers achieved \$52-\$85 with a top pen making \$200.

A small offering of sheep were entered made up entirely of lambs with the heavier lines selling for \$75-\$98. Smaller, lighter conditioned lambs were making \$30-\$54.50.

There were a few weaner pigs entered selling from \$66-\$88. Choppers were \$108.