McDougall & Sons Pty Ltd Sheep and Lamb Report 15/1/2020

Agents today yarded 2505 head to meet the market amid the thought and sprinkle of rain. The lambs today topped at \$210 to average \$133 a decrease of \$23, hoggets topped at \$154 to average \$63.79 a \$63 drop on last week, ewes topped at \$151 to average \$65.36 a \$29 drop on last week, wethers topped at \$150 to average \$137.50 a \$47 increase on last week, ram lambs topped at \$170 to average \$105.67 a \$4 decrease. With all the averages falling the market was back on last weeks sale. The main factors being a 3 week lay off with some buyers needing to rapidly top up supply trains and the quality of the yarding as a whole with far more butchers and export types available last week. The only highlight was for the light feed on section as these lambs are in a shorter supply therefore a slight premium in the market for the feed on fresh lambs. Mutton was back from a high with the exporters pulling in their horns except for the odd highly finished article.

Robyn Gimm & Eric Watts sold Dorset x suckers 46kg to Warwick Meats for \$174

Russell & Jacquie Hughes sold Suffolk lambs 54kg to Thomas Foods for \$191

Sunnymount Dorpers sold 55kg Dorper lambs to Eversons for \$187, 50kg to Eversons for \$186

Frost Family sold Dorper x lambs off feed 47.8kg to Eversons for \$185

Stuart & Prue Barkla sold 53kg Xbred lambs to Thomas Foods for \$190, shorn off feed 57.9kg to Thomas Foods for \$195, 44.5kg woolly xb lambs to Eversons for \$166, shorn Merino x off feed 44.5kg to Eversons for \$148

Doubleshaft Pty Ltd sold Aussie White lambs wether portion 38.7kg to GR Prime for \$126.50, 35kg to restockers for \$100, ewe portion 37.7kg to Carey Bros for \$120, 33.2kg to restockers for \$100

Chard & Stuart sold Dorper x lambs 42.5kg to Shellys for \$138, 32.5kg to GR Prime for \$99, ewes to Thomas Foods for \$130

John Larkin sold Dorper x lambs 44.7kg to Eversons for \$164, ewes to Thomas Foods for \$140

Terry Keogh sold Dorper x lambs 39.6kg and 21.4kg to restockers for \$96 and \$78, ewes to Eversons for \$68

Shane Oehlman sold Xbred wethers off feed and shears to Thomas Foods for \$150

Phillip Imhoff sold Dorper x lambs 32.3kg to restockers for \$102.50

Mick & Katrina Gibbs sold Dorper x ewes off feed to Thomas Foods for \$138

Brown Family sold Dorper x lambs 44.85kg to GR Prime for\$174.50

Angle C P/Ship sold store Dorset x lambs 28.9kg to restockers for \$80, Xbred ewes to restockers for \$69

Warren & Tracy Ohl sold Dorper x lambs 37.3kg to Shellys for \$114, 34.1kg to Carey Bros for \$91,hoggets 41kg to Eversons for \$67