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No Longer Tired

Andrew King is the third generation to farm at Ruffins Farm. Always working with livestock Andrew now rears 500 sheep with Poll Dorsets, Texels and North Country Mules, together with 400 acres of arable land.

With Andrew working on his own for the majority of the time he is specific about his investments on the farm, ensuring they offer great value for money, with time or cost saving opportunities and good after sales service.

Andrew spotted the Ritchie Combi Clamp at a show some months ago and contacted his local dealer who arranged an on-site demonstration. David Ritchie Implements Area Sales Manager, David Payne arrived on the farm with a Combi Clamp and ran through its benefits. "At first I was a little apprehensive, but was amazed at how my feet, hands and eyes all worked well together!" joked Andrew.

The Combi Clamp works by the operator simply stepping onto a pressure plate to hold the sheep firmly between two soft sided panels which can then be locked to enable the handler to work on the front and rear of the animal via the race access gate.

"It's a great tool to help the farmer which takes into account good husbandry methods," Andrew comments. "I have got some land away from our main farm and so I now take the Combi Clamp to it using the wheel attachment. The clipping, trimming and worming all take half the time with less stress to the sheep and myself. I'm no longer tired after a day's worming!"

"The sheep are calm, and being on my own, I sometimes need to nip off. They are happy to

stand in the Combi Clamp." Andrew continued, whilst demonstrating. The sheep were happy to walk straight into the Combi Clamp, there is no fear or need to push them in. You could say they were used to it but Andrew has not had the Combi Clamp that long, it looked so natural.

Andrew is pleased with his purchase. "To do this job properly you must love it... and work with products designed by people that also love it..." The days of not wanting to go worming are now over. The Combi Clamp has made it so much easier."

