

STORNOWAY, Dingwall & Highland Marts Ltd., (November, 18th) sold 4 prime cattle at its Christmas Show & Sale kindly sponsored by the Lewis and Harris Auction Mart and judged by C. MacIver, Easter Strath of Auchterflow, Killen.

Prize List

Bullocks –1st K. MacLennan, 1B Breascleate, Callanish, 2nd K. MacLennan, 1B Breascleate, 3rd A. Ferguson, 3 North Street, Sandwick.

Supreme Champion – K. MacLennan, 1B Breascleate.

Reserve Champion – K. MacLennan, 1B Breascleate.

Prime bullocks (4) sold to 400p per kg for a 560kg Limousin cross, from 1B Breascleate, and £2,240.00 gross for the same animal.

Leading prices per kg:

Bullocks: 1B Breascleate, (LimX), 350p; 3 North Street, (CharX), 220p.

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Bullocks: 1B Breascleate, (LimX), £1,837.50; 3 North Street, (CharX), £1,265.00.

STORNOWAY, Dingwall & Highland Marts Ltd., (November, 18th) sold 12 prime sheep at its Christmas Show & Sale sponsored by the Lewis and Harris Auction Mart and judged by J. M. Matheson, Gravir.

Champion pen of lambs – W. Murray, 45 Upper Bayble, for a pen of 44kg Cheviots realizing £70.

Reserve champion pen of lambs – S. Nicolson, Sheshadder, for a pen of 45kg Charollais crosses selling at £70 gross.

New season lambs (12) averaged 147.1p and sold to 172.2p per kg for a pair of 39.5kg Blackfaces from 7 Ivor Hill, Stornoway, and £70.00 gross for the champion pen of lambs from 45 Upper Bayble.

Leading prices per head and per kg:

New season lambs: BF – 7 Ivor Hill, £68; **Cheviot** - 5A Branahuie, £62, 45 Upper Bayble, 159.5p.

STORNOWAY, Dingwall and Highland Marts Ltd., (November, 18th) sold 21 store cattle, 7 breeding cattle and 8 OTM cattle.

Bullocks (12) sold to 196.7p per kg for a 305kg Aberdeen Angus cross from 21 Ballantrushal, and £910 gross for a 529kg Aberdeen Angus cross from 9 Brue, Barvas.

Heifers (9) sold to 230.8p per kg and £600 gross for a 260kg Simmental cross from 6 Garyvard, Lochs.

Breeding cattle (7) sold to £1080 gross for a Limousin cross in calf cow from 7 Ballantrushal.

OTM cows (8) sold to 103.9p per kg for a 490kg Limousin cross from Goathill Farm Dairy, and £685 gross for a 755kg Simmental cross from 7 Kershadder.

Other leading prices per head and per kg

Bullocks up to 300kg - 6 Garyvard, £500, 192.3p; **301-350kg** – 21 Ballantrushal, £600, 41 Swainbost, Ness, 186.5p; **401-450kg** - 9 Brue, Barvas, £720, 171.8p.

Heifers up to 250kg – 50 North Tolsta, £400, 186.1p; **251-300kg** – 21 Ballantrushal, £500, 188p.

Other leading prices per head

Cows with calf at foot - 14 Tong, Stornoway, £1,050.

STORNOWAY, Dingwall & Highland Marts Ltd., (November, 18th) sold 364 store sheep of all classes.

Lambs (91) sold to £42 per head for Blackfaces from 18 Knock, Carloway.

Ewes (225) sold to £60 per head for Blackfaces from 13 Crowlista, Uig.

Gimmers (16) sold to £55 per head for Crosses from Dell Farm, 5 Swainbost, Ness.

Feeding Sheep (32) sold to £45 per head for a Cheviot ram from 9 Back.

Leading prices per head

Store lambs: BF – 2 Eneclate, £40; **Chev** – Carloway House, Carloway & 45 Upper Bayble, Point, £38; **Cross** – Dell Farm, 5 Swainbost, £37.

Ewes: Chev – 32 Garrabost, Point, £58; **BF** – 2 Dalbeg, £48; **Cross** - 46 Lower Barvas, £30.

Gimmers: BF - 3 Upper Carloway, £50.

Feeding Sheep: Chev Ram – 24 Laxay, £40; **BF Wdr** – 2 Aird, Uig, £38.