

**DINGWALL, Dingwall & Highland Marts Ltd., (March, 30<sup>th</sup>) sold 1,006 store cattle.**

**Bullocks (641)** averaged 220.7p and sold to 280.5p per kg for a pen of 246kg Charolais crosses from Greenvale, Dunnet, and £1,310 gross for the overall champion, a 585kg Charolais cross from The Cloy, Fortrose.

**Heifers (363)** averaged 215.4p and sold to 385.5p per kg and £1,600 gross for a 415kg Shorthorn cross from 37 Bernisdale.

**Young bulls (2)** sold to 193.2p per kg and £705 gross for a 365kg Limousin cross from Market Stance, Fort Augustus.

The Robertson's of Tain & Harbro sponsored show and sale of store cattle judged by C MacIver, Easter Strath of Auchterflow, Killen, awarded his overall champion to a 585kg Charolais cross bullock from Messrs J H & S M Anderson, The Cloy, Fortrose, realising £1,310 gross to the judge. Reserve champion was a 460kg British Blue cross heifer from Messrs J. M. Fraser & Son, Easter Clune, Lethen, realising £1,100 gross to Backmuir Livestock Ltd, Keith.

Prize list

**Single bullock:**

1<sup>st</sup> Messrs J H & S M Anderson, The Cloy, (CharX) 585kg, £1,310.

2<sup>nd</sup> Messrs, J & J Henderson, Udale, Poyntzfield, (LimX) 570kg, £1,180.

**Single heifer:**

1<sup>st</sup> Messrs J. M. Fraser & Son, Easter Clune, Lethen (BRBX) 460kg, £1,100;

2<sup>nd</sup> Messrs, J & J Henderson, Udale, Poyntzfield (BRBX) 410kg, £1,010.

**Best pair of bullocks or heifers:**

1<sup>st</sup> Messrs J. M. Fraser & Son, Easter Clune, Lethen, (LimX), 465kg, £1,070.

2<sup>nd</sup> John P Clark Ltd, Kinnahaird Farm, Contin, (BRBX), 470kg, £1,060.

**Best pen of four (bullocks or heifers):**

1<sup>st</sup> A B Davidson, Kinraig Farm, Invergordon, (CharX) 496kg, £1,110.

2<sup>nd</sup> Messrs Conon Brae Farms, Torgorm, Conon Bridge, (CharX) 494kg, £1,140.

“An excellent show for quality, met a firm demand ahead of expectations.”

Other leading prices per head and per kg:

**Bullocks 201-250kg** – Greenvale, £690; **251-300kg** – Greenvale & 30 Big Sand, Gairloch, £760, Greenvale, 271p;

**301-350kg** – Erchite, Dores, £870, Westburn, Thurso, 260.3p; **351-400kg** – Redfield, £1,060p ; **401-450kg** –

Torgorm, Conon Bridge, £1,040, 243.9p; **451-500kg** – Torgorm, £1,140, Kinnahaird Farm, Contin, 239.4p; **501-550kg** –

Torgorm, £1,170, 233.5p; **551-600kg** – The Cloy, 223.9.

**Heifers 201-250kg** – 30 Big Sand, £560, 248.9p; **251-300kg** – Greenvale, £740, 271.3p; **301-350kg** – Braepark,

Duncanston, £790, Clury Farm, Dulnain Bridge, 240.3p; **351-400kg** – 30 Bernisdale, £1,500, 375p; **401-450kg** – 30

Bernisdale, £1,420, 342.2p; **451-500kg** – Easter Clune, Lethen, £1,100, 239.1p; **501-550kg** – Little Croy Farm, Croy,

£1,180, 233.7p; **551-600kg** – The Cloy, £1,115, 193.9p;

**Over 601kg** – Alterwall, Lyth, £1,160.

**DINGWALL, Dingwall & Highland Marts Ltd., (March, 30<sup>th</sup>) sold 52 OTM cattle**

**OTM cows (51)** averaged 130.1p per kg and sold to 151.7p per kg for a 745kg Limousin cross from Udale, Poyntzfield and £1,270 gross for an 885kg South Devon cross from Drummond Farm, Evanton.

**OTM bulls (1)** sold to £1,010 gross for a 1,290kg Aberdeen Angus from Redhill, Allanfearn.

Other leading prices per head:

**OTM cows:** Drummond Farm, (LimX), £1,250; Drummond Farm, (SDX), £1,210; Kinnahaird Farm, (SimX), £1,190;

Drummond Farm, (Sim), twice, £1,170.

Other leading prices per kg

**OTM cows:** Milldam, Meikle Ussie, (Sim), 149.7p; Drummond Farm, (SimX), 144p; Easter Urray, Muir of Ord,

(SimX), 143.6p; Drummond Farm, (SDX), 143.5p.