

PORTREE, Dingwall & Highland Marts Ltd., (October, 2nd) sold 3,224 store sheep of all classes.

Lambs (1,737) averaged £26.89 and sold to £65 gross for Blackfaces from 15 Glenconon, Uig.

Ewes (1,322) averaged £25.46 and sold to £86 gross for a Texel cross from 44 Borneskitaig, Kilmuir.

Feeding sheep (165) sold to £90 for a Cheviot ram from 18 Fiscovaig, Carbost.

“Under the circumstances, in most cases a satisfactory trade prevailed.”

Leading prices per head

Store lambs: **BF** – 1 Feorlig, Dunvegan, £60; **Chev** – 3 Glengrasco, Portree, £56; **CharX** – 8 Kilvaxter, Kilmuir, £51.50; **SuffX** – 1 Glen Bernisdale, Skeabost, £48; **Cross** – Farm Managers House, Skeabost, £44.

Ewes: **TexX** – 44 Borneskitaig, £83; **Chev** – 20 Borneskitaig, £76; **SuffX** – Kerrol Farm, Edinbane, £71; **Chev** – 20 Borneskitaig, £62; **BF** – 1 Herbusta, Kilmuir, £57.

Feeding sheep: **SuffX wdr** – 7/8 South Duntulm, Portree, £76; **SuffX ram** – 2 Herbusta, Kilmuir, £66; **BF wdr** – 1 Borrodale, Glendale, £43; **TexX wdr** – 4 parks, Dunvegan, £40; **Chev wdr** – 4 parks, £40.