

DINGWALL, Dingwall & Highland Marts, (January, 16th) sold 3,199 sheep of all classes. Lambs (1,988) averaged £57.86 and sold to £80 twice for Cheviots from Shieldaig, Strathcarron and Texel crosses from Bogburn, Dingwall. Ewes (678) averaged £46.46 and sold to £93 for Suffolks from Raffin, Tore. Rams (478) averaged £45.61 and sold to £110 for a Cheviot from Achentoul Farms, Kinbrace. Feeding sheep (55) sold to £46 for Cheviot ewes from Redpoint Farm, Gairloch.

“Store lambs met a fast selling trade, while ewes and rams sold at satisfactory rates”

Other leading prices per head:

Lambs: BeltX – Bardnaheigh, Harpsdale, £79; **SuffX** – Silverwells, Edderton, £77; **Chev** – Achosnich, Dornoch, £77; **Mule** – Glentruim Farms, Newtonmore, £77, Borlum Farm, Fort Augustus, £77; **TexX** – Lochquoy Farm, Castletown, £75; **CharX** – Teanluick Croft, Teandalloch, £73; **X** – Abersky, Torness, £73; **BF** – Glentruim Farms, Newtonmore, £70.
Ewes: Suff – Raffin, £90; **TexX** – Clune Farm, Aldourie, £86; **BFL** – Whitebog, Rosemarkie, £80; **SuffX** – Inshes Farm, Inverness, £79; **BeltX** – Upperton, Balnain, £78; **Chev** – South Balkeith, Tain, £68.50; **CharX** – Lairgandour, Daviot, £60; **Mule** – Mulchaich, £57; **X** – Invercharron, Ardgay, £54.
Rams: Chev – Fleucharry, Dornoch, £92; **BeltX** – Mid Gruinards, Ardgay, £90; **Suff** – 27 Newmore, Muir of Ord, £88; **Tex** – 27 Newmore, £85.
Feeding Sheep: Chev wdr – East Croft Roy, Newtonmore, £52.50; **BF wdr** – Croft of Clune, Newtonmore, £50.