

DINGWALL, Dingwall & Highland Marts Ltd., (September, 25th) sold 4,542 breeding and store sheep.

Breeding ewes (3,030) sold to £55 gross for Cheviots from No. 28 Big Sand, Gairloch.

Feeding ewes (811) averaged £24.32 and sold to £44 twice for Cheviots from The Grove, West Helmsdale, and No. 220 Birichen, Dornoch.

Gimmers (431) sold to £79 for Cheviots from Greenacres, Delny.

Lambs (160) sold to £41.50 for Texel crosses from Burnside, Delny.

Widders (52) sold to £43 twice for Cheviots from No. 287 Morness, Rogart, and East Clyne, Brora.

Top lots of gimmers and breeding and prime ewes met a keen enquiry, others met a more hesitant demand.+

Leading prices per head and per district

Easter Ross: Chev gmr – Boganbuie, Delny, £72; **TexX gmr** – Greenacres, £74; **Chev lambs** – No. 3 Hill Terrace, Evanton, £40; **SuffX lambs** – Dalreoch Farm, Strathrousdale, £41. **Black Isle & Mid Ross: Chev gmr** – Upper Badrain, Culbokie, £53. **Caithness: Chev ewe** – Hillside, Killimster, £52; **Chev BM** . Pynag, Dunbeath, Buldoo, Dunbeath, £27.50; **Chev feeder** – Mayfield, Thurso, £29; **TexX feeder** – Hillside, £35. **Mid Sutherland: Chev ewe** – Ardachu, Rogart, £45.50; **Chev gmr** . Davoch, Rogart, £72; **Chev BM** – Acheillach, Rogart, £38.50; **Chev feeder** – Acheillach, £43; **Chev lambs** – No. 287 Morness, Rogart, £31. **East Sutherland: Chev ewe** – No. 242 The Doll, Brora, £51; **Chev BM** – No. 233 Lingmore, Brora, £39; **Chev gmr** – Navidale Farm, Helmsdale, £65; **Chev lambs** – No. 81 East Brora, Brora, £30.50. **North West Sutherland: Chev ewe** – Golval, Forsinard, £52; **Chev feeder** – No. 7 Achrimsdale, Brora, £42.50; **Chev gmr** – No. 68 Foindle, Lairg, £69. **Inverness & South: Chev ewe** – Castle Grant Home Farm, Grantown on Spey, £43; **Chev BM** – Castle Grant Home Farm, £39; **Chev feeder** – Castle Grant Home Farm, £39; **SuffX ewe** – Castle Grant Home Farm, £39.