THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Tuesday 10th November) Sold 2546 Store and Breeding Sheep including Island Consignments.

Breeding Sheep (94) averaged £151.73 and sold to £168 for Dorset Ewes from Milestone House, Roseharty.

Breeding Rams (29) averaged £414.82 and sold to £700, twice for a Texel Shearling and 2 Shear Texel from Newton of Greeness, Turriff and also for a Texel Shearling from Nistaben, Harray.

Store Lambs (1567) averaged £117.10 and sold to £140 for Beltexs from Home Farm, Straloch and Continentals from Evergreen, Kininmonth.

Island Consigned Store Lambs (856) averaged £128.48 and sold to £134 for a Pen of Sixteen Texels from Veltigar, Tankerness, a Pen of Thirty-Eight Suffolks and Twenty Cheviots from Binscarth Fram, Finstown, also for Texels from Halley Farm, Deerness.

"All classes of store lambs increased in value once again, more numbers required weekly to satisfy keen demand."

Leading Prices per Head
Breeding Sheep: Reg Age Dor – Milestone House £162; **WM Rom –** Gillahill, Kingswells £160.

Breeding Rams: Tex Shearling – Newton of Greeness £650, £600, £580; **Tex 3 Shear –** Newton of Greeness £500; **BFL 2 Shear –** Newton of Hassiewells, Rothienorman £480; **BluTex Shearling –** 1 Stewart Drive, Alford £450; **Tex –** Nistaben £450; **Tex Shearling –** Mains of Orchardstown, Udny, Newton of Greeness £420; **BlueTex Shearling –** 1 Stewart Drive £420; **BFL Shearling –** Nether Aucharnie, Forgue £400; **Suf Ram Lamb –** Gillahill £400.

Store Lambs: Cross – 8 South Road, Rhynie, Pollowick Farm, Cromdale £139; **Suf –** Midtown of Buchromb, Dufftown £138; **Cha –** 8 South Road £137; **Tex –** Ratch-Hill, Kintore £136; **TexX –** Wester Wyndings, Stonehaven, Mormond Prop, New Pitsilgo £134; **BelX –** 8 South Road, Tullochallum, Dufftown, Longriggs, Benholm, Piperwell, Craigievar £134; **Suf –** Stemster, Wick, Ardlewie, Cabrach £133; **SufX –** Grandvue, Heughhead, Pollowick Farm £132; **Cont –** Tullochallum, Fordmouth, Tomintoul, Piperwell £131; **ContX –** Evergreen £130; **Black –** Nether Kirkton, Barthol Chapel £129; **ChvX –** Blackriggs, Strichen £125; **Chv –** Nether Kirkton £123; **DutSptd –** Bridgeton, Muir of Fowlis £120; **Mule –** Alvie, Kincraig £115; **ChvMul –** Wester Wyndings £118; **BF –** Ballogie, Aboyne £114.

Island Consigned Store Lambs: Suf – Binscarth Farm £133; **Cont –** New Moan, Harray £132; **TexX –** Veltigar £131, 130; **Tex –** New Moan £130; **Black –** Halley Farm £130; **Chv –** Binscarth £129; **DutSptd –** Halley Farm £125.