## **CAST COWS AND BULLS**

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> of September) Sold 173 Cows and Bulls to average £1569.97, 218p per kg.

**Beef Finished Cows (104)** averaged £1702.16 and sold to £2450 for an 808kg British Blue from Clury Farm, Dulnain Bridge.

**Beef Feeding Cows (47)** averaged £1203.90 and sold to £1635 for a 656kg Beef Shorthorn from Westfield, Ardoyne.

**Boning Cows (5)** averaged £877.50 and sold to £975 for a 570kg Limousin Cross.

Dairy Cows (1) Sold to £850 for a 544kg Jersey from South Road, Insch.

**Bulls (16)** averaged £1986.25 and sold to £2700 for a 1125kg Limousin from Hillocks, Whiterashes.

"With a number of consignors making the most of the good harvest weather we still managed an increased show of 157 cast cows averaging 218p or £1524.27 per head. Topping the sale of £2450 was a British Blue from Messrs Cruickshank, Clury Farm, Dulnain Bridge which scaled 808kg. Cast bull trade could only be described as phenomenal with 16 bulls forward averaging £1986.25 or 202p per kg. Anyone with cows or bulls to sell are strongly urged to get them to the ring here at Thainsone any Thursday."

## Leading Prices per Head

**Beef Finished Cows:** South Mains of Tillymorgan, Culsalmond (Cha) £2280; Chapelford, Buckie (AAX) £2270; South Road (Cha) £2170; Clury Farm (Lim) £2145; Midtown (LimX) £2140; Findowrie, Brechin (AAX) £2050; Chapelford (SimX) £2030.

**Beef Feeding Cows:** Kastal, Langskail (ChaX) £1510; Killimster Mains (AAX) £1490; Dunlichity Farm, Farr (HeX) £1470; Killimster (LuX) £1425.

Dairy Cows: South Road (JE) £850

Bulls: Parkfield, Oldmeldrum (BSH), Bankhead, New Aberdour (BSH) £2390;

Lhaid Croft, Occumster (Lim), Little Tulloch, Durris (Cha) £2190.