THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Tuesday 10th of September) Sold 5016 Store and Breeding Sheep including Island Consignments.

Store Lambs (2045) averaged £85.87 and sold to £128 for Texels from Evergreen, Kininmonth.

Island Consigned Store Lambs (2909) averaged £86.59 and sold to £121 for Texels from Balfour Castle, Balfour.

Breeding Sheep (62) averaged £86.67 and sold to £150 for Lleyns from Valdon, Victoria Road, Maud.

"A mixed entry of store lambs would sell at lesser rates than the recent extreme trade. Good well-bred sorts still in keen demand"

Leading Prices per Head

Store Lambs: TexX – Mellanbrae, Inverurie £128; Cont – Pittenkerrie, Glassel £126; CharX – Balnault Farm, Crathie £120; ContX – Quithel, Old Deer £118; SufX – Glencuie, Glenkindie £116; Char – Redhouse, Brucklay £115; Suf – Glencuie £112; SufX – Prony Farm, Ballater £111; Llyn – Valdon, Victoria Road £110; Cross – Prony Farm £110; Down – Mid Muirton, Forgue £109; Black – Balnault Farm £107; Bel – 91 Main Street, Newmill £104

Island Consigned Store Lambs: Suf – 2 Veensgarth, Gott £120; Tex – West Houlland, Bridge of Walls £115; TexX – 2 Old Schoolhouse, Boddam £114; Suf – Seabreeze, Scalloway £112; Cont – West Ireland, Bigton £112; SufX – Exnaboe, Virkie £110; DownX – Scholland Farm, Virkie £108; ContX – Balfour Castle, Balfour £106; Down – South Lea, Vidlin £106.