SALE REPORT

Solid trade at Society sale.

On Saturday the 22nd October the Luing Cattle Society held their 43rd Autumn sale at U.A. Stirling. Judging was carried out by Alexander Marshall, North Baldutho Farm, Pittenweem, Fife.

As 2016 is the 50th Anniversary of the Luing Cattle Society. A new cup – 'Golden Jubilee Cup' was presented to the overall best pair of heifers.

The results were;

Luing In-calf Heifers

1st C G Craig (Farm) Ltd, Pitlochie

Sim-Luing In-calf Heifers

1st Robert McNee Ltd, Benhar 2nd Colin Little, East Bracklinn

Luing Bulling Heifers

1st T Renwick & Sons, Blackhouse 2nd Messrs W Graham & Son, Craigdarroch

Sim-Luing Bulling Heifers

1st M.G. Halligan & A.C. Burke, Stewarton 2nd John Lawrie (Tillyrie) Ltd, Tillyrie

Golden Jubilee Cup – Best overall pair of heifers

M.G. Halligan & A.C. Burke, Stewarton

With a packed ring and buyers at the ready, the 43rd sale got underway with Luing cattle coming forward first with trade up on last year.

Luing in-calf heifers started the sale with an average of £1,880 to top 1,950gns from C G Craig (Farm) Ltd (c/o Pat Lambert), Pitlochie going to Mr. & Mrs. W. Landers, Balgaly Farm, Newton Stewart.

Luing bulling heifers averaged £1,276 for 71 and peaked at 1,800gns for two groups from W Graham & Son, Craigdarroch. Craigdarroch went on to average £1,806 for 15 sold. T Renwick, Blackhouse reached a top of 1,450gns with 16 sold averaging £1,461, Robert McNee Ltd, Benhar sold 4 to average £1,444, Chris Young, Balintore sold 8 to average £1,326 and Glen Lyon Estates (c/o Alick Slater) sold 15 to average £1,302.

Luing cows sold well with 9 sold to average £1,773 with a top price of 2,150gns for a pair sold to Mr. M. Blackadder, Ettrickshaw, Selkirk.

25 Sim-Luing in calf heifers followed averaging £2,161 topping at 2,500gns for a pair from Robert McNee Ltd, Benhar going to M Linkleter, West Farm, Kirkheaton.

Sim-Luing bulling heifers averaged £1,276 for 52 sold .Top price of 2,000gns came from John Lawrie (Tillyrie) Ltd who sold 6 heifers averaging £1462. R &

H McNee topped at 1,750gn and averaged £1,796 for 5, M.G. Halligan & A.C. Burke, Stewarton sold to 1,950gns to giving an average of £1,595 for 8.

Ends

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