HARRISON & HETHERINGTON LIMITED, CARLISLE

FRIDAY 9th DECEMBER 2016

PEDIGREE SALES - SOLWAY & TYNE TEXEL CLUB IN LAMB SALE

The Solway and Tyne Texel Breeder Club's in-lamb female sale at Carlisle on Friday saw a top call of 6,800gns for the pre-sale show Champion, a Knap Vicious Sid daughter from Messrs Boden and Davies' Sportsmans flock.

Sale leader was BGS1501715, a gimmer out of a dam by the 42,000gns Tullylagan Tonka and going back to Craighead Hercules. She sold to Vaughan Farms, Kingsland, Leominster.

Then making 2,000gns was another similarly bred gimmer by Vicious Sid and out of a Tonka dam. She sold with an index of 275 and was the pick of Kay Castle, Washingley, Peterborough.

Selling at 1,500gns was a ewe from Richard Wilson's Eden Valley flock. This was the first prize ewe and Reserve Overall Champion, WEV1400263. She's a Sportsmans Tremendous daughter out of a dam by Deveronvale Perfection and sold carrying to Hexel Wildcard. Buying her were HC & LA MacGillivary, Oban, Argyll.

Following that came a 1,100gns call for a ewe lamb from Hamish Currie's Burnholm consignment, CKB1600138. Sired by Mossvale Winston she is out of a dam by the homebred Burnholm Troy and was bought by JJ Horn, Richmond.

At 1,000gns was another of Richard Wilson's ewes, WEV1400326, a Stainton Usain Bolt daughter out of a daughter of Sportsmans Pele. She sold in-lamb to Anglezarke Uno and was knocked down to Messrs MacGillivary.

Averages; eight ewes £714, 35 gimmers £699, seven ewe lambs £376.50