

**BRITISH ICELANDIC
SHEEP BREEDERS
GROUP**

**FLOCK BOOK
Volume VII
1994**



OFFICERS

PRESIDENT	[REDACTED]	Flock 1
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COMMITTEE MEMBERS	[REDACTED]	Flock 17, [REDACTED] Flock 13

REPORT - Secretary

The first General Meeting took place in August 1994 at [REDACTED] where the Group was founded in 1988. This event was a success, not so much because of the number of members taking part, but because of the serious discussion of the problems facing the breed. As is the case with any breed society our main objective is to protect the purity of the breed and secondly to promote it. It is hoped that the decisions that were arrived at will enable us to do this more effectively. We have taken as our model common practice among other breed societies.

1. All members are to be issued with pedigree forms and will be asked to complete these and give them to any person buying registered stock. If the new owner wishes to breed pedigree stock he will have to join the Group and return the pedigree to the Secretary for the change of ownership to be recorded.
2. At present only animals which are at least 50% Icelandic are entered in the Flock Book. From 1996 only animals at least 75% Icelandic will be registered. Our aim will be to include only pure or up-graded stock in the Flock Book in about seven years time. In 1988 there were only three Icelandic blood lines in the country, and as a result cross bred stock were common. Now that we have more than 55 blood lines it was agreed that cross breeding is no longer necessary.
3. The membership subscription is to continue at £5 per annum, however there is to be a charge of £1 for each animal registered for the first 20 animals, over that number registration will be free. Members wishing to sell wethers for wool production will be included on the 'for sale' lists, but only breeding stock will be included in the Flock Book. The extra income generated will cover those secretarial and other expenses which in the past have come out of the pockets of officers and committee members, and we hope will enable us to hold more frequent meetings. As far as we are aware these charges are somewhat lower than any other breed society.
4. Combining a 'for sale' list with the flock book has proved unsatisfactory. Most members seem unwilling to complete flock returns until the late summer when they are more certain of what they wish to do with their animals, many delay until late autumn, this is far too late for the flock book to be of any use to buyers who wish to acquire stock in time for them to settle in before the tupping season. All prospective buyers are sent an address list of breeders, but this does not give any indication of the range of stock available. [REDACTED] flock 17, has offered to compile a detailed list and keep it up to date, so write to her if you have stock to be included.
5. It was agreed that the Group should continue to be represented at a small number of 'smallholder' shows, and that members should be helped with publicity material and the loan of the stand when they wish to attend their local shows. The possibility of organising a stock sale or a wool sale was discussed. Members should be encouraged to publicise the breed, the meat and the wool in their own areas.

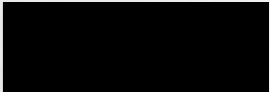
In the past year the Group was represented at the small farming shows at Shepton Mallet and Harrogate. There was also a display and animals were on show at Murton Rare Breeds Farm, York, for the week of the 4th World Congress on Coloured Sheep held at York University. Japanese and American delegates were especially interested, the Americans are importing Icelandic sheep for the first time this year, - they are to come from Canada.

The flock return for 1995 will be included in the Spring letter which will give details of shows and events in the coming year.

[REDACTED] Secretary, January 1995.

REPORT - Treasurer

Balance as at 15 February 1995	£ 200 - 00
Outstanding for:	
Flock Book 1994 - printing, paper, folders and postage	£ 38 - 00
Balance remaining	£ 162 - 00

 February 1995

ABBREVIATIONS

P = pure, 100%

UP = upgraded, 95% and over

All animals are single unless otherwise indicated

It is up to flock owners to describe their animals as they think fit, but it is not necessary to go into detail.

INSERTS

Pedigree form. Please photocopy this form.

The pedigree should be completed and given to any person to whom you sell or give stock, even if you are told that the intention is not to breed from the animal. Purchasers may alter their minds about breeding or sell the animal to a third party who is disappointed if they do not possess the necessary documentation to register their lambs.

Volume VII should be inserted at the back of your flock book folder.

Name

Flock

Address

[REDACTED]

1

[REDACTED]

No/Name

D.O.B.

Females sold - all to flock 13 [REDACTED]

Yellow 62 1989

Blue 64 1990

Red 14 1991

Red 18 "

Red 24 "

[REDACTED] has retained her flock but has ceased breeding sheep. She still has some stock for sale.

Name

Flock

Address

[REDACTED]

5 Shelan

[REDACTED]

No/Name

D.O.B.

Description

Sire

Dam

Males

-

Females

1 Gullfoss

25.3.94

P, golden brown/apricot, triplet, polled
sold to flock 60

Thunder

Cinnamon

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	6 Springfield	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name.</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
23RN Gunnar	8.4.94	P, moorit, twin, horned	196 Grimur	02RN Bruni
24RN Grani	8.4.94	P, white/moorit Jacob pattern, twin, horned	"	"
<u>Females</u>				
20RN Griselda	.9.4.94	P, black/grey, twin, polled	"	03RN Apricot
21RN Gerda	11.4.94	P, moorit, triplet, polled	"	01RN Thora
22RN Gisla	11.4.94	P, black/grey, triplet, polled	"	01RN Thora

All 1994 lambs are for sale.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	7	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
<u>Females</u>				
101 blue Hope	13.4.94	P, brown, white markings, twin, polled	gold 3	50white
102 blue Charity	"	P, brown and white, twin, polled	Agamemnon	Jutta
103 blue Bubble	17.4.94	P, moorit and white, horned	flock 17	"
329/90		P, import, grey, from flock 18	258 Thor	28 white
138/90		P, import, brown, from flock 18	flock 18	Squeak

NameFlockAddress

9 Jemecs

No/NameD.O.B.DescriptionSireDamMalesred OF 231 010
Alexander

4.94

P, black

Augustus
fl. 17

Flora

Femalesred tags

OF 231 003

4.94

P,

Augustus
fl. 17

OF 231 8

OF 231 004

4.94

P, black

"

green
OF 231 056
gold

OF 231

4.94

P, black, twin

"

"

OF 231 006

4.94

P, white,

"

OF 231 008
green

OF 231 007

4.94

P,

"

1 red

OF 231 008

4.94

P,

"

Fiona
54 gold

OF 231 009

4.94

P,

"

51 gold
Helga

Sold - to [redacted] flock 17

Fiona, 1988, 4 JMS 2, retag OF231 001 red,
 Fancy, 1989, tagged recently OF231 026 blue,
 Freda, " " " OF 231 027 blue
 Fay, " " " OF 231 028 blue

- to [redacted] flock 70

ram - 66, 1990 import, Hagar
ewes

279, 1990 import, Helgar, retag OF 231 051 gold

7, 1992, Fanny, retag OF 231 053 gold

9, 1992, Freckles, retag OF 231 054 gold

10, 1992, Frolic, retag OF 231 056 gold

11, 1992, Fenella, retag OF 231 055 gold

OF231 6, 1993, retag OF231 081 green

OF231 7, 1993, retag OF231 080 green

OF231 8, 1993, retag OF231 078 green

OF231 1, 1993, retag OF231 079 green

OF231 4, 1993, retag OF231 076 green

ewe lambs

003 red, 1994

007 red, 1994

to [redacted] ewe, 6 1992, Hattie, retag OF231 053 gold

to [redacted], ewe OF231 2, 1993, retag OF 231 077 green

Dec'd. - 8, 1992, Fern, OF231 3, 1993, OF 231 5, 1993, Flora, ex fl., 1 1983

This flock is being dispersed, only a few animals are still for sale.

Name

Flock

Address

13 Cae'rddraig

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
TY022 C.Jestator	26.3.94	P, black twin, horned	Iceland's Tjornes	red 16 Joly Kesku
TY033 C. Janu ap Bjorn	15.4.94	P, pale grey, twin, black face & legs, horned	Joly Bjorn	red21 J. Heskkii
<u>Females</u>				
TY031 C. Jooles	26.3.94	P, steel grey, twin, polled	I. Tjornes	red16 Joly Kesku
TY029 C.J'aime Danielle	12.4.94	93.75 %, Shetland x, moorit/grey, twin, polled	C. Heskthor Danii	TY016 C.Eliza Jane
TY030 C. Jade ap Danii	12.4.94	93.75 %, Shetland x, black/grey, twin, polled	"	"
TY036 C.Jenna	10.4.94	87.5 %, BMW x, moorit, triplet, polled	J. Bjorn	C. Ffion
TY032 C. Josii	13.4.94	96.87 %, Dorset Horn x, red moorit, single, polled	"	C. Eventide
TY023 C. Jyntii	14.4.94	87.5 %, Shetland x, Moorit, twin, polled	"	J. Kate
TY028 C. Jessica	12.3.94	93.75 %, BWM x, Pale grey, single, polled	I. Tjornes	C. Gwennan
TY037 C. Jennii	29.5.94	50 %, Foula Shetland x, black/grey, twin, polled	C.H.Danii	C.Gwenda
TY038 C. Jo-lii	5.6.94	50 %, Foula Shetland x, grey/cream, moorit ears, twin, polled	"	C.Hollianna

Bought from flock 1, yellow 62 1989 (Jofrid), blue 64 1990 (Jaffa), red 14 1991 (Skutorg), red 18 1991 (Skolfina), red 24 1991 (Skuvaz).
Dec'd - C. Heskthor Danii, C. Isla, Joly Kesku

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<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
1-PI blue Endymion	14.4.94	P, white and apricot, triplet, horned	Piper flock 7	Odian
13-GRI gold Ettiienne	15.4.94	P, white, twin, horned sold to flock 62	Grinn	Cecily
9PI blue Edward	18.4.94	P, black, grey face, twin, horned	Piper flock 7	Cordelia
8-CHA purple Ezra	4.5.94	P, black and white, twin, polled	Charlemagne	Dahlia
15-PI blue Ebernezer	4.4.94	UP, black, twin, horned	Piper flock 7	Cleopatra
16-PI blue Ezekial	4.4.94	UP, black, white markings, twin, horned	"	"
11-PI blue Enrico	7.4.94	UP, pale apricot, twin, horned	"	Bedelia
<u>Females</u>				
14-HA Esme	8.4.94	P, white, tan markings. triplet, polled	Hagar flock 9	Amaryllis
3-HA blue Elvira	8.4.94	P, white, triplet, polled	"	"
9-HA blue Euphorbia	11.4.94	P, white, twin, polled	"	Bianca
10-HA blue Evadne	11.4.94	P, white, tan markings, twin, polled	"	"
3-PI blue Eurydice	14.4.94	P, apricot and white, triplet, polled	Piper flock 7	Odiann
12-GRI gold Epiphania	15.4.94	P, white, tan markings, twin, polled	Grinn	Cecily
2HA blue Emily	15.4.94	P, white, some tan, twin polled	Hagar flock 9	Nene
8-PI blue Eloise	17.4.94	P, grey, twin, polled	Piper flock 7	Cordelia
4-PI blue Ellora	18.4.94	P. black and dark brown markings, twin, horned	"	Ceanothus
5-PI blue Ermintrude	18.4.94	P, grey, twin, polled	"	"
6-PI blue Etta	19.4.94	P, apricot/white, twin, horned	"	Columbine
7-PI blue Erica	19.4.94	P, white, twin, horned	"	"
7 CHA purple Eider	4.5.94	P, black and white, twin, polled	Charlemagne	Dahlia
12-HA blue Edelweiss	4.4.94	UP, Dorset x, white, twin, polled	Hagar flock 9	Bathsheba
13-HA blue Edwige	4.4.94	UP, Dorset x, white, twin, polled	"	"
10-PI blue Ebony	7.4.94	UP, Dorset x, black, twin, horned	Piper flock 7	Bedelia

Flock 17, [redacted] continued

11-HA blue	7.4.94	UP, Dorset x, white, twin, polled	Hagar flock 9	Christiane
Echo			Charlemagne	Chantal
9-CHA purple	12.4.94	UP, Dorset x, white, twin, polled		
Eve			Hagar flock 9	Babushka
7-HA blue	12.4.94	UP, Dorset x, white, twin, polled	"	"
Ekaterina				
8-HA blue	12.4.94	UP, Dorset x, white, some tan, twin, polled		
Edana			Charlemagne	Coreopsis
10-CHA purple	13.4.94	UP, Dorset x, white, dark brown eye patches, brown & black spots on body, twin polled	"	"
Ephrosina				
11-CHA purple	13.4.94	UP, Dorset x, markings as twin above, but more spots on body		
Esmeralda			Piper flock 7	Celandine
18-PI blue	20.4.94	UP, Dorset x, black, twin, polled	"	Blanche
Ember				
12-PI purple	1.4.94	93.75%, Dorset x, white, twin, polled	"	"
Esther				
13-PI purple	8.4.94	" " " " " "	"	"
Erin				
6-HA blue	9.4.94	93.75%, BWM, Dorset, white, twin, polled	Hagar flock 9	Coppelia
Emma			Piper flock 7	Butterscotch
14-PI blue	16.4.94	75%, Manx x, white, twin, polled	"	Bettina
Ellarie				
19-PI blue	19.4.94	75%, Hebridean x, apricot, twin, polled		
Evangeline			Charlemagne	Baccardi
12-CHA purple	1.4.94	93.75%, Dorset x, black, twin, polled	"	"
Eartha				
13-CHA purple	1.4.94	" , Dorset x, black, white cap, twin, polled	"	"
Epsilon				

Dec'd - Dianthus, Dalrymple, Cecily, Caractacus, Caesar

Sold - to [redacted]

Ewes red 5 Blanche, re-tagged red 7 GRI, with 1994 lambs 12-PI purple and 13-PI purple gold 9 BER Columbine, with 1994 lamb 7-PI blue silver 6 Butterscotch, with 1994 lamb 14-PI blue blue 3 Christiane, with 1994 lamb 11-HA blue purple 4 SAM Dorcas

- to [redacted] flock 65
gold-17-BER Demelza
blue 7-BER Dinah
blue 6-PI Etta

- to [redacted]

Ram lamb Edward blue PI-9
Ewes Babushka purple 1-BER
Dorothea purple 5-CHA
Edana blue HA-8, ewe lamb

- to [redacted]

Ewe lambs Edwige blue 13-HA
Evangeline blue 19-PI
Epsilon purple 13-CHA

Flock 17 [redacted] continued

- to [redacted] flock 66
Ram Augustus 2-gold

- to [redacted] flock 68
Ewes Dozmary gold 22-GRI, from flock 42, tag no. 8
Dulcie purple 2-CHA
Eloise 8-PI
Ermintrude 5-PI

- to [redacted] flock 62
Ram Etienne 13 GRI gold

Bought from flock 42
Ewes Gretel 1989
Hekla 1991
Heimay 1991

Bought from flock 9
Ewes Fiona, 1988, 4 JMS 2, retag OF 231 001 red
Fancy, 1989, tagged recently OF 231 026 blue
Freda, 1989, tagged recently, OF 231 027 blue
Fay, 1989, tagged recently, OF 231 028 blue

Name Flock Address

[redacted] 18 Horton [redacted]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
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<u>Females</u>				
G52 H. Spangle	21.3.94	87.5%, gold/white leopard spot, twin. polled	Thor	H.Flicker
G65H. Ermine	5.4.94	87.5%, white, black markings on head & neck, twin, polled	Daedalus	H.Ermine
G71 Daffodil	7.4.94	93.75%, gold, white markings, single (from ewe lamb), polled	"	H.Dandelion
G72 H. Sequin	7.4.94	93.75%, white, gold markings, leopard spot, single from ewe lamb, homed	"	H.Sparkle
G73 H.Sheen	8.4.94	93.75%, white, big gold patches, polled	"	H.Starlight
G75 H.Bubbles	11.4.94	93.75%, white, black spots, polled	"	H.Acacia
G79H.Aconite	11.4.94	P, black, white markings on face and legs, homed	"	H.Acacia
G81H.Toffee	15.4.94	87.75%, black, white markings on face and legs, polled	"	H.Caramel

All animals crossed were crossed with Shetlands.

Due to complete re-organisation at [redacted] this flock has been disbanded. Details will be given in the spring letter. 329/90 and 138/90 sold to flock 7.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	19 Monks Hall	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>DO.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
<u>Females</u>				
G5	16.494	P, cream, twin, horned	Harald	Etta
G7	17.4.94	87.5%, Shetland x, fawn/pale grey, twin, polled	"	Gail
G9	18.4.94	50%, Shetland x, cream, twin, polled	"	Emily
G4	16.4.94	UP, Cotswold x, black/grey twin, horned	"	Honey 3
G6	16.4.94	87.5%, Wensleydale x, black, twin, polled	"	Hazel G46
G1	10.4.94	P, cream/grey, twin, horned	"	Magnetta
G2	10.4.94	P, black, horned, twin	"	"

Sold - to [REDACTED] flock 53
 Fanny R11, 50%, Shetland x.
 Flotta R12, 50%, Shetland x.
 Ella R5, 93.75%, Shetland x

For sale or exchange
 Harald, 15Z6 00161, import 1990, P, blue/grey, horned, ex flock 44, would swop for polled ram.

For sale G5 and G2, see above, also 3 ewe tegs, 2 black, one fawn, two of which are 75% and one 87.5% Icelandic.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	24 Breachacha77	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
<u>Females</u>				
N5 Petrel	4/5 1993	P, black, twin, horned	00410/10Z6	LH305
N1 Raven	4/5 1994	75%, black twin, ?polled	"	1991/24
N2 Robin	4/5 1994	75%, moorit, twin, ?polled	"	1990/20

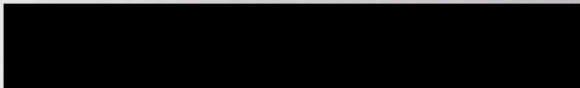
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Flock

Address



27 Wrekin



No/Name

D.O.B

Description

Sire

Dam

Males

Females

E.I.H. 31

15.5.94

P, white, horned

143

EIH 29
was EIH 7
EIH 24

P 1 Daisymay

11.5.94

P, black, sold to flock 57
registered under no. & name given by fl. 57

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EIH 23 now EIH 30

Sold to

E.I.H. 1, E.I.H. 2, E.I.H.6,E.I.H.30

Dec'd. L.H. 532, G.B. 106

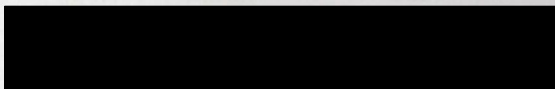
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35 Delphouse



No/Name

D.O.B.

Description

Sire

Dam

Males

Females

28

94

50%, Shetland x, white horned

Wrekin
Magnus

Shetland

22

94

50%, Shetland x, white, polled

"

"

30

94

50%, Shetland x, white

"

"

11

94

50%, Shetland x, white

"

"

All the above are for sale.

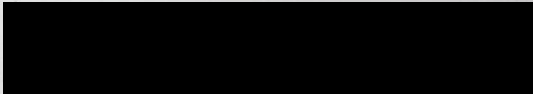
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Flock

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This flock has been disbanded. The stock has gone to Flock 17

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	44	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	44	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>DOB</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				

Females

This flock has been disbanded. The only remaining animal is with flock 65

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	45 Birch Tree	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>DOB</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
151	12.4.94	P, brown/black, twin, horned, sold to fl. 69	RM 190	326 137
152	12.4.94	P, brown/black, twin, horned, sold to fl. 69	"	"
171	1.8.94	P, white, male, horned, sold to Paradise Community, Painswick, Glos.	130	142
<u>Females</u>				
153	10.4.94	P, brown, horned, sold to fl. 69	144	LH 83
154	17.4.94	P, grey, horned,	RM 190	3Z6 404
155	19.4.94	P, mouflon, twin, horned	"	RM126
157	22.4.94	P, badger face, horned,	130	139
158	22.4.94	P, badger face, triplet, horned, sold to fl. 69	RM 190	1626 497
159	22.4.94	P, badger face type markings on body, triplet, horned, sold to fl. 69	"	"
160	25.4.94	P, white, triplet, horned, sold to fl. 69	10Z6 1273	
161	25.4.94	P, white, triplet, horned, sold to fl. 69	"	

<u>Name/Flock</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	50	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>DOB</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
-				
<u>Females</u>				
M1/94	4.94	81%, Welsh Mountain x, white, twin, polled	Barney	Marney
M2/94	4.94	81%, " " " white, twin, polled	"	"
B1/94	4.94	81%, Shetland/W. M. x, white, twin, polled	"	Bambi
B2/94	4.94	81%, " " " , white, twin, horned	"	"
BB1/94	5.94	81%, " " " , black, twin, horned	"	Bambow

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	51 Westbrook	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>DOB</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
-				
<u>Females</u>				
Poppy	4.4.'94	50%, Hebridean x, black with brown tinge, twin, polled	Hebridean	GRO-0024-87
Zoe	8.5.94	50%, black, polled	"	Saskia

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	52	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>DOB</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
-				
<u>Females</u>				
-				

Only wethers this year.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	53 Foxhill	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
-				
<u>Females</u>				
F. Jill	29.4.94	UP. Shetland x, black, twin, polled, given to [REDACTED]	15Z6 00161 Harald	R 17 Gemma

Bought from [REDACTED] flock 19
 R5 Ella, 1.4.89, 93.75%, R12 Flotta, 16.3.90, 50% and R11 Fanny 50%, - all Shetland crosses.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	54 Norill	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
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<u>Females</u>				
Bess	22.3.94	75%, Shetland x, grey/black, twin, polled	17RN Bragi	Kerry
Betty	22.3.94	75%, Shetland x, brown, twin, polled	"	"
Bridie	7.4.94	87.5%, Shetland x, brown, polled	"	Aggie

Name Flock Address

55 Honorwood

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
0007 H. Arthur	4.4.94	P, black, brown & grey, twin, horned	5 GRI Balthazar ex fl. 17	8RN ex fl. 6
0012 H. Andrew	7.4.94	P, white, twin, polled	"	14 RN ex fl. 6
<u>Females</u>				
0008 H. Angelica	4.4.94	P, black with brown streaks, twin, polled	"	8RN ex fl. 6
0009 H. Anemone	9.4.94	P, brown, twin, polled	"	13 RN ex fl. 6
0010 H. Aster	9.4.94	P, brown, twin, polled	"	"
0011 H. Alyssum	7.4.94	P, black, twin, polled	"	14 RN ex fl. 6

Name Flock Address

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No/Name D.O.B. Description Sire Dam

Males

Females

This flock is to be disbanded. The animals are to go to

Name Flock Address

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No/Name D.O.B. Description Sire Dam

Males

Females

P 1 Daisymay 11.5.94 P, black, horned 143 EIH 24
Willow

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	58	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males - Bought from</u> [REDACTED] flock 63				
[REDACTED]		P, moorit, twin, horned	Harald flock 7	10Z6.384 flock 21
<u>Females - bought from</u> [REDACTED] flock 24. All are Shetland crosses.				
N1 Lapwing	1993	75%, moorit, small, twin, horned	00410 10Z6	1990/20
N3 Buzzard	"	" moorit, white belly, twin, polled	"	1990/24
N4 Pipit	"	" moorit, white belly, twin, polled	"	"
N6 Wagtail	"	" moorit, twin, scurs	"	black ewe
N7 Kittiwake	"	" moorit, small horns	"	with white top knot
N9 Guillemot	"	" black, twin, polled	"	1990 21
N10 Wheatear	"	" moorit, twin, polled	"	1990/21
N11 Shearwater	"	" black, white belly, twin, polled	"	1991/25
N13 Curlew	"	" moorit, twin, scurs	"	1986/304

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	59	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
<u>Females</u> from flock 3				
Strawberry	23.4.91	86%, BWM & Shetland x, black, scurs	Basil flock 3	Mulberry flock 3
Mulberry	13.4.90	72%, BWM & Shetland x, black, polled	Ragnor	Kirsty
<u>Wether lambs kept for wool</u>				
Raspberry	6.5.94	93%, fawn, twin, horned	Duncan flock 15	Strawberry
Blackberry	6.4.94	93%, black, twin, horned	1990 import	"
Bilberry	5.4.94	86%, black, twin, horned	Duncan	Mulberry
Blueberry	5.4.94	86%, black, twin, horned	"	"

Name Flock Address

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No/Name D.O.B. Description Sire Dam

Males

Females - from [redacted] flock 5

1 Gullfoss 25.3.94 P., golden brown/apricot, triplet, polled Thunder Cinnamon

Name Flock Address

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No/Name D.O.B. Description Sire Dam

Males - from [redacted] flock 3

Allsorts 31.3.94 P., moorit, twin, horned Duncan Liquorice
flock 5, 1990 import

Females - from [redacted], flock 3

Hazel 5.4.90 84.4%, BWM & Shetland x, moorit, twin, polled Ragnor '89 fl. 15 Freya

Willow 13.4.90 72%, BWM & Shetland x, moorit, twin, polled " Kirsty

Liquorice 19.4.92 P., black/brown, polled Heliot flock 15 Icicle

Toffee 31.3.94 P., moorit, twin, horned Duncan Liquorice
Cherry 3.94 86%, BWM & Shetland x, moorit, twin, horned " Willow

Name Flock Address

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No/Name D.O.B. Description Sire Dam

Males

13-GRI gold 15.4.94 P, white, twin, horned, ex flock 17 Grinn Cecily

Ettienne

Females - from [redacted] flock 5

1 Ginny 11.3.93 P., white, twin, polled Thunder Cinnamon

2 Rummy 11.3.93 P., black, twin, polled " "

3 Sherry 8.3.93 87.5%, Jacob/Suffolk x, gold/brown, triplet, horned " 28

Cinnamon appears as Honey in last year's return for flock 5, an was originally registered as such. No. 28, 13.4.91, named Greyface, was registered as 50% but was in fact 75% Icelandic.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	63 Kinabalu	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
Johann Haraldsson	31.3.94	P., brown, twin, horned, sold to [REDACTED], flock 58.	Harald ex flock 7	10Z6 384 flock 21
258 Thor	1990	P., import, brown and white, horned, from flock 18		
<u>Females</u>				
10Z6384 Ilse	14.5.90	P., import, grey/brown, horned, ex flock 21		
Grizelda	4.93	U.P., grey, black extremities, polled from [REDACTED] flock 24		
The following three ewes were acquired from [REDACTED] Those with the pre-fix E.I.H. were bred by [REDACTED], flock 27.				
E.I.H.8 Isobella	9.4.92	P., brown, horned	3Z6 353	10Z6 348
E.I.H.21 Nicki	1993	P., white, horned	E.I.H.14	E.I.H.11
Ingrid	15.5.94	P., brown, horned, single This animal has been dehorned	Johann Haraldsson	E.I.H.8 Isobella

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	64 Whinfield	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
<u>Females</u>				
304 1989	1989	P, brown, polled, ex flock 24		
Mrs Brown				
302 1989	1989	P, black, polled, ex flock 24		
Mrs Black				
Sepia	1994	P, brown, twin, polled	00410/10Z6 flock 24	304.1989
Brown Sugar	1994	P, brown, twin, polled,	"	"
Cherry Blossom	1994	P, black, twin, polled	"	302.1989
Ebony	1994	P, black, twin, polled	"	"

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	65	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
- <u>Females</u> - bought from [REDACTED] flock 17				
6-PI blue Etta	19.4.94	P., apricot, twin, horned	Piper flock 7	Columbine
17-BER gold Demelza	28.3.93	UP, black, triplet, polled	Bertie	Araminta
7-BER Dinah	1993	93.75%, white, twin, polled	"	Baccardi
bought from [REDACTED] flock 44				
4/93 retag 65/1	26.4.93	P, apricot, twin, horned	00039-2Z6	LH 271

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	66 Fraig	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
2 gold Augustus	1.5.90	P, black, twin, polled, ex flock 17	799/354	799/335
Zeus	4.5.92	P, black, twin, horned, ex flock 24	Imp. 418	Imp. 305
Fr. 611/93	14.4.93	75%, brown, twin, horned	Zeus	356
Selskay				fl. 24
<u>Females</u>				
354/86	1986	50%, apricot, polled, ex flock 24		
355/87	1987	50%, brown, polled, ex flock 24		
356/86	1986	50%, brown, polled, ex flock 24		
DHW		50%, black, polled, ex flock 24		
		50%, black, polled, ex flock 24		
		50%, black, polled, ex flock 24		
301/86	1986	30%, black, black/ grey manepolled, ex flock 24		
Fr. 601/93	4.93	75%, black, grey, white belly, twin, polled	Zeus	356/86
Fr. 602/93	4.93	75%, apricot, twin, scurs	"	white mane ex fl. 24
Fr. 603/93	4.93	75%, apricot, twin, small, horns	"	355/87
Fr. 604/93	4.93	75%, grey/black, twin, polled	"	"
Fr. 605/93	4.93	75%, black/grey, twin, horned	"	356/86
Fr. 606/93	4.93	62.5%, grey/black, twin, horned	"	301/86
Fr. 607/93	4.93	75%, black, twin, polled	"	black/white ex fl. 24
Fr. 608/93	4.93	75%, apricot, twin, polled, sold as above	"	black/brown ex fl. 24
Fr. 758/94	8.4.94	75%, beige, twin, polled	Zeus	355/87
Fr. 759/94	8.4.94	75%, black, twin, polled	"	black, fl. 24
Fr. 760/94	1.4.94	62.5%, apricot, twin, polled	"	301/86

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	67	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
E5266/129 Basil	1992	P, white, badger face, twin, horned ex flock 45	RM 190	16Z6 497
<u>Females</u>				
EIH 10 Hey	1991	P, white, horned ex flock 27	RM 123 (now EIH 14)	G.B. 106
EIH 16 Lorraine	4.93	P, white, horned ex flock 27	R.M. 123	EIH 10
W-F 1 Black Bess	4.94	P, black, horned	E5266/129	EIH 10

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
[REDACTED]	68	[REDACTED]

<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
<u>Males</u>				
23 RN Springfield Gunnar	8.4.94	P, moorit, twin, horned ex flock 6	196 Grimur	02RN Bruni
<u>Females</u>				
8 Dozernary retag 22GRI	6.4.93	P, white, twin, polled bred flock 42, ex flock 17	799 88 354 Grinn	Heimay
purple 2 CHA Dulcie	25.3.93	UP, black, triplet, polled, ex flock 17	A.99 Charlemagne	1 BER Bathsheba
8PI blue Eloise	17.4.94	P, grey, twin, polled, ex flock 17	Piper fl. 7	Cordelia
5 PI blue Ermintrude	18.4.94	P, grey, twin, polled, ex flock 17	"	Ceanothus

<u>Name</u>	<u>Flock</u>	<u>Address</u>
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<u>No/Name</u>	<u>D.O.B.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>
152	12. 4.94	P, brown, twin, horned, ex flock 45	RM 190	326 137

Females

153	10.4.94	P, brown, horned, ex flock 45	144	LH83
158	22.4.94	P, badger face, triplet, horned, ex flock 45	RM190	1626 497

Dec'd The following animals bought from flock 45 and died later as the result of a veterinary overdose,

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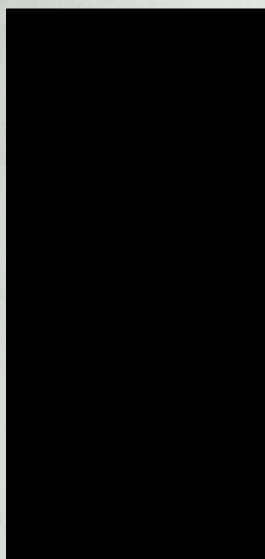
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<u>Males</u>				
66 Hagar	1990	P, white, horned, 1990 import, from flock 9		
<u>Females</u>				
OF 231 051 gold, Helgar	1990	P, white, horned, 1990 import, from flock 9		
OF 231 053 gold, Fanny	1992	P, white, twin, polled, ex flock 9	Hagar	Fiona 1988 1 red
OF 231 054 gold, Freckles	1992	P, white, triplet, polled, ex flock 9	"	Flora 1983 ex fl. 1
OF 231 056 gold, Frolic	1992	P, white, triplet, polled, ex flock 9	"	"
OF 231 055 gold, Fenella	1992	P, white, triplet, polled, ex flock 9	"	"
OF231 6, retag	1993	P, white, triplet, polled, ex flock 9	"	Freda
OF231 081 green				
OF231 7, retag	1993	P, white, triplet, polled, ex flock 9	"	"
OF231 080 green				
OF231 8, retag	1993	P, white, triplet, polled, ex flock 9	"	"
OF231 078 green				
OF231 1, retag	1993	P, white, twin, horned, ex flock 9	"	Helga
OF231 079 green				
OF231 4, retag	1993	P, white, twin, polled, ex flock 9	"	Flora
OF231 076 green				
003 red	1994	P, ex flock 9	Augustus fl. 17	OF 231 8 1993
007 red	1994	P, ex flock 9	"	Fiona 1988 1 red

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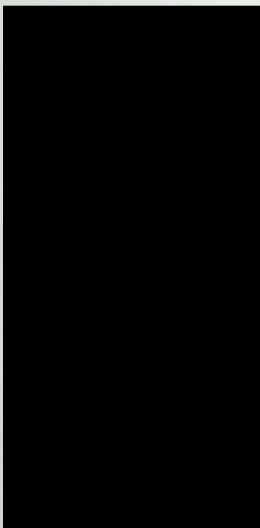
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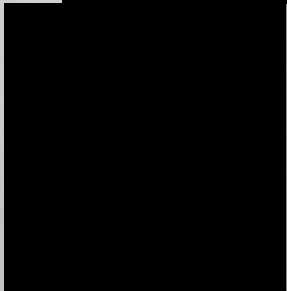
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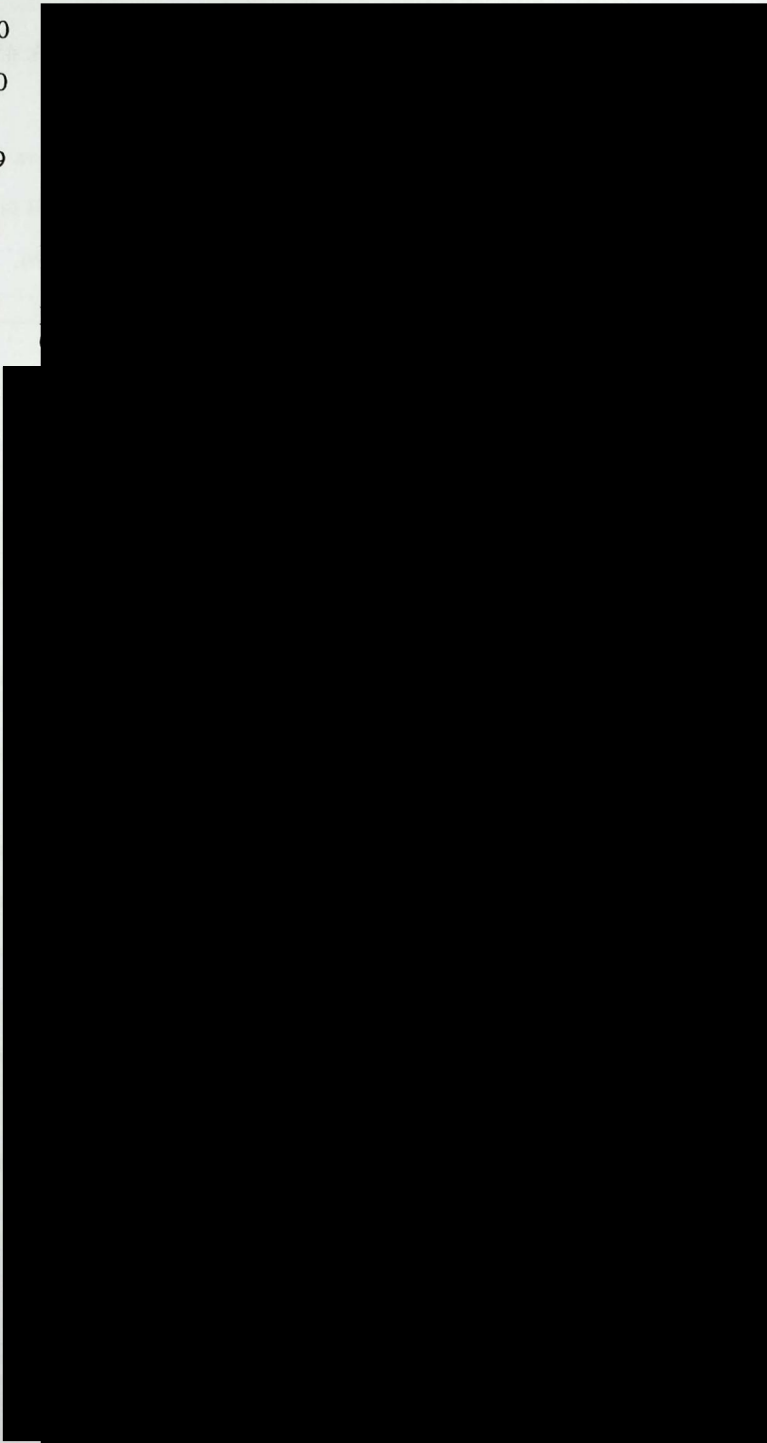


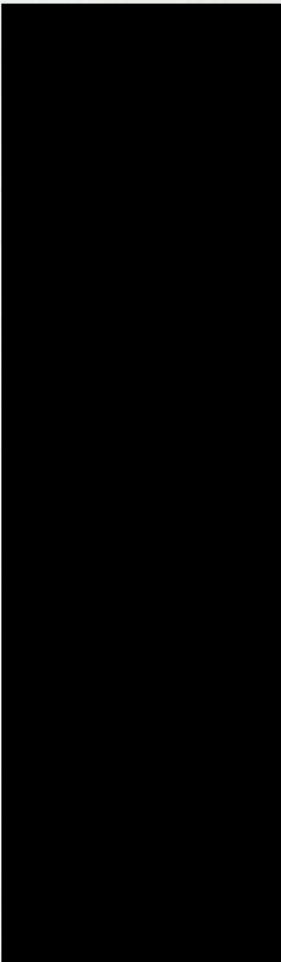
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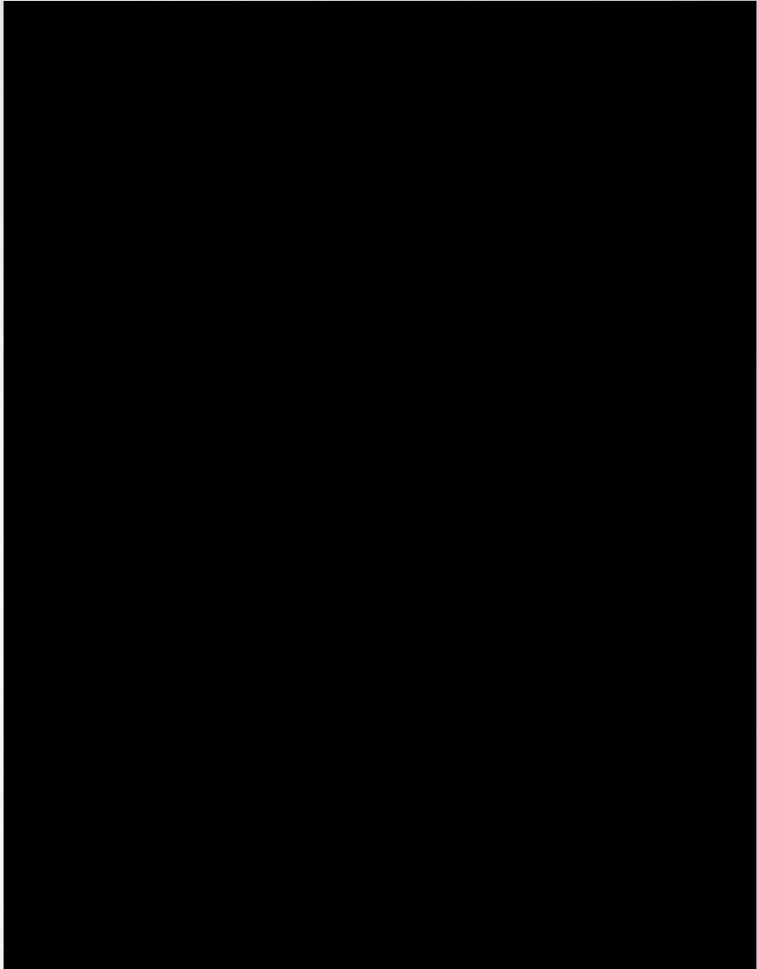
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A Note on Genetics

Genes can be thought of as switches which control the production of the chemicals necessary for development. As breeders of Icelandic sheep our main interest will be in the genes which control the growth of horns and the production of colour and patterns.

Genes come in pairs because one gene is inherited from each parent. Each parent also has the genes in pairs and it is pure chance which of the pair passes to the offspring. Hence a ram which has inherited the gene for white coat colour from its father and the gene for black from its mother will pass one of these two genes to any lamb it may sire, but which of these two genes for colour will be a matter of chance. It is clear that the ram which has inherited one gene for black and one gene for white cannot be both at the same time (grey is carried by another gene), the gene which will show is called the dominant gene, the colour gene which is carried but does not show in the coat is called the recessive gene. In the case of our ram we can be certain that he will be white since white coat colour is dominant to black. However we cannot know which of his two genes he will pass on to his son. If the lamb inherits the white gene from his father and another white gene from his mother he will be white, if he inherits the black gene from his father and a black gene from his mother he will be black, but if he inherits his father's black gene and a white gene from his mother he will look white but will still be carrying a black gene. This explains why the occasional black lamb can turn up in a flock of white animals, because if two white animals, each carrying a gene for black, mated, they could produce either a white lamb which inherited the white gene from both sides, or a white lamb which carried the black gene from one parent, or a black lamb which had inherited the black gene from both parents. If the pair produced twins or triplets they might have white lambs, black lambs or a mixture of white and black lambs. What will not happen is a lamb which is both black and white because there is yet another gene which controls broken colour.

The colours which we find in sheep are white, grey, black and brown. White is in a group of genes called the A series. It is dominant to all colours with one exception. Another colour found in this series is the reddish colour found, for instance, in marmalade cats, in sheep this may be shown in the tan coloured legs and faces sometimes found on white Icelandic sheep; this colour usually fades during the first year. The white Portland sheep has foxy coloured lambs - this is also due to the effect of this gene. Grey colouring is also controlled by a gene in this series. The B series controls the production of the chemicals which form pigment. The less dominant colours, black and brown, are both in the B series, black is written as 'B' because it is dominant to brown, which is written as 'b'. When a black animal is crossed with a brown one, the offspring will be black, but perhaps a less intense black than the animal carrying a black gene from both parents. The exception to this list of colours and their dominance is a rare colour known as 'dominant black' which is found in the E series and also when the A series and S series are working together. This black is dominant to all other colours. It is carried by the Jacob and the Black Welsh Mountain. Jacobs when crossed with most other breeds will produce a black lamb, this is due to the action of these genes. Neither of these breeds should be used for crossing with an Icelandic. In the past Jacobs have been crossed with the black Hebridean, and, as a result, complicated breeding programmes have had to be undertaken to decide which gene the animals are carrying. The Shetland is closely related to the Icelandic and if breeding pure is not possible the Shetland is the best cross available. In order to be certain of breeding the desired colours it is necessary to be aware of the pedigree of one's animals, or, alternatively, to limit oneself to brown, which, being recessive to all other colours, can have no hidden colour genes.

In the case of horned and polled animals the gene for polled is dominant to horned but the effect of crossing may produce smaller horns in the male and no horns, or exceedingly small ones, in the female. Scurs (almost flat, bony lumps) are common in polled sheep.

The gene for self-colour is in the S series. It is dominant to the gene for broken colour. A sheep carrying the gene for broken colour may not show this, but it can be shown by restricted white markings on the head or legs. Some of the patterns found in the Icelandic are controlled by the A series. These include the badger-face and mouflon markings.

THE bleating of two dozen Icelandic sheep is sheer music to the ears of bassoonist,

for her unusual flock yields fleeces of great value to those involved in the textile industry.

Wool from the sheep is likely to be much sought after by discerning spinners because while the under-fleece is so fine that it can be used for fleecy underblankets or the softest of baby clothes, the coarser top layer is suitable for all kinds of outer garments.

is a musician by profession, but early every morning, before setting off on her travels, she has her flock of 24 to feed.

"I was very lucky indeed to get permission to import them to England," she said, referring to her original trip to Iceland in 1990 to stay with a friend.

VERY HAPPY

"The Icelanders are very happy to export the wool but not the actual animals because they are trying to re-stock the country's ovine population with scrapie-free recorded animals."

had first seen the attractively coloured sheep when visiting a musician friend in Iceland four years ago. While there she made enquiries about bringing some back to the UK.

"I actually looked up the Minister of Agriculture in the phone book and made an appointment to see him in Reykjavik. He very kindly advised me which were the scrapie-free flocks and I spoke to six different farmers who agreed to supply me," she said.

The farmers with whom she eventually arranged deals also set up breeding programmes to get back to coloured sheep — white, grey, brown and black plus permutations of these colours. Over the years, they have purposely bred white which is the dominant colour.

"There are Badger Faced, Mouflon and Spotted sheep, all recognised by the Flock Book and the farmers kindly agreed to breed colour back into their flocks to that we would have good examples to bring into the UK," she said.

The importation in 1991 was the first since 1979 when just three Icelandic sheep were allowed into the British Isles, and considerably larger, totalling 33.



If you want advice, go to the top! Minister of Agriculture before buying and importing Icelandic sheep.

"The point is that the Icelanders are trying to restock their own country with sheep which have a clean bill of health and they are unwilling to allow any more to go for export.

"I returned to Iceland and visited all six farms, looking at about 200 lambs in each place. In the end, I chose 33 of them which I bought and arranged to import.

"They eventually arrived on our farm and several lots were, in turn, purchased from me and small flocks established from my importation," said whose parents,

are both veterinary surgeons who have practised in the area for more than 40 years.

No special feeding is necessary and her sheep

are pampered compared with their home-based counterparts and from October through to lambing and turnout time in May, are housed in tall, narrow wooden buildings with slatted floors.

ungstock for sale and is willing to help and advise anyone interested in establishing a flock of Icelandic sheep in the region.

Bleating is music to ears

Farmers Guardian 22.4.1994

Your Letters



Winter shearing

Due to predicted adverse weather conditions, ie, cold and wet, and the fact that previously our fleeces tend to lift and deteriorate from March onwards, we decided to winter shear our flock of Icelandic sheep for the first time in ten years. Icelandic sheep have a long fine coat reaching the ground, which sheds naturally in the spring. It can get quite soiled, cotted and full of hay seed; in other words, not perfect. As we sell to hand spinners, we wanted to produce the perfect fleece. Winter shearing could be the answer.

The ewes were at grass, water *ad lib* plus a *Rumavite* food block (1 block to 12 ewes), four weeks prior to tupping on November 1st. Lambing was therefore expected from the end of March.

We are able to shear our own sheep, so booking a shearer or picking a fine day was not a problem. On the 10th February, approximately 3½ months into gestation, the ewes were shorn and housed. Hay was now fed *ad lib*, together with a food block and water. We prefer the food block to concentrates, as it prevents the mad rush to feed and ewes can feed when they wish.

This was the easiest and best shearing we have ever done. The ewes sat quietly, without being agitated about where their lambs were. They were nicely rounded with neat, visible udders and were in very good condition. The machine, glided

along with no sticking problems, a real pleasure to do. The fleeces were excellent and the hand spinners we supply were delighted. Icelandic fleeces grow quickly, so we will shear again in August and expect a staple length of 4-5 inches.

All the ewes lambed within two weeks. The usual visible signs of lambing were observed and the ewes individually penned. All the lambs were strong, up on their feet and looking within minutes, with no losses at all. Lambing percentage was 162%. We kept ewe and lambs penned for 48 hours to establish the bond, then they were turned out to fresh clean grass, when weather permitted.

Winter shearing may not be possible for large flocks, but for smaller ones, it is something we can thoroughly recommend. It was a pleasure to be able to observe, day and night, the dry, contented ewes under cover and hear the wind and rain lashing down outside. Apart from having to clean out the barn in the spring we cannot think of anything against the procedure and it will be a continuous winter regime for us.

This letter from [redacted] flock 19, appeared in the 'Country Garden' magazine in August 1994. [redacted] would like to add to this. She says that following the winter shearing the sheep had to be shorn again in the spring because of the effect of the spring moult upon the fleece. The wool of the ewes which had lambed had suffered from their condition and did not prove satisfactory but the other animals produced a second fleece of good quality. The [redacted] intend to continue with winter shearing because it avoids the contamination of the fleece during housing and the fleece from the ewe is not affected by lambing. In Iceland the sheep have to be housed in the winter because of the climate, and it is usual for the animals to be shorn when they are brought inside.

