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January 19th, 1938.

Mr. W. G. Cochran, Statistical Department, Rothamsted Experimental Station, Harpenden, Herts,

Dear Mr. Cochran, -

I have your letter of January 5th, with reference to the data used for my paper on, - "Replication in Relation to Accuracy in Comparative Crop Tests", appearing in the Journal of the American Society of Agronomy, Vol. 15, No.5, May, 1923.

I am sending you a copy of the yields which we used in connection with this paper.

With regard to your postscript, enquiring as to the size of plot, a part of the wheat range was harvested as single row plots, and the remaining part was harvested in plots 5 x 32 links. In oats the smallest size of plot was 5 x 32 links, although the whole range was not harvested in this manner.

The method of harvesting may be explained as follows, - The usual practice of laying out plots at the time that this experiment was carried on was to mark off the land into 1/40 acre plots 25 x 100 links and to leave an alleyway of 5 links between these. Such plots were sometimes sub-divided in the middle by another alley of 5 links, making 1/100 acre plots 10 x 100 links. In making my study in this experiment these 1/40 acre and 1/100 acre plots were again sub-divided by taking out a little strip running across the plots lengthwise of the ranges. The plots 5 x 32 links really represented what would have been alleyways in a regular experiment. I thought it advisable to get rid of the border effect which would have occurred and I used the material grown thereon just to study this particular size of plot. I think this is fairly well illustrated in the diagram appearing on page 193 of the paper.

I trust that this gives you the information which

you desire.

Yours very truly,

R. Summerby, Professor of Agronomy.

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ALASKA OATS - RANGE VIII, NORTH WEST FIELD, 1921

Data used for Paper on Replication in Relation to Accuracy in Comparative Crop Tests

Yields in Grams per plot

	Series	1		Series 2			Series 3	
5 x 32	2 10 x 32	25 x 32	5 x 32	10 x 32	25 x 32	5 x 32	10 x 32	25 x 32
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995 866	1757 1456	4079	1024 870	1778 1846	4407 4494	787 811	1498 1390 1611	4170
710	1375 1722	3806	890 873	1745 1759	4377	833 792	1270 1521	3583

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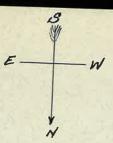
HURON WHEAT - RANGE 4, NORTH WEST FIELD, 1921.

Data used for Paper on Replication in Relation to Accuracy in Comparative Crop Tests.

Yield in Grams: Size of plots - 1 x 32 links

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Yield of Huron Wheat Plots

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Range IV N.W.F.

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1771	1567	1438	4996
1821	1728	1552	4776
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1837	1589	1457	4883
1427	1861	1590	4878
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1746	1451	1557	4512
1615	1527	1573	4846
1637	1480	1598	4693
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1682	1813	2095	5141
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