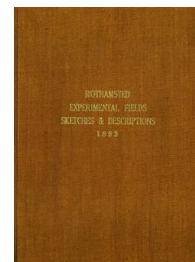


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Sketch of Hoosfield. Potatoe Experiments and alternate wheat and Fallow.



Hoosfield Sketch of Potatoes & Alternate Wheat & Fallow Land

Plan first adopted for the Crops of 1893.

Each plot of Potatoes is $525 \times 31\frac{3}{4}$ lks = $\frac{1}{6}$ acre.

Each plot of Wheat or Fallow is 1050×47.62 lks = $\frac{1}{2}$ acre.

The pathways coloured Green are 4 ft. 2 ins. wide.*

The pathways coloured Yellow are 3 feet wide. These are ploughed up each year. No manure is applied to them, although the seed is sown through. The plants are afterwards taken out.

The rows of Potatoes are 25 ins apart.

* Except that between "Wheat & Fallow" and potato plots which is 3 ft.