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BARLEY

- Effects of green manures, N and straw Stackyard 1962, the 3rd year.
- Design: 2 replicates of a 3 x 3 x 3 in 6 randomised blocks of 9 plots each, certain high order interactions being confounded with block differences.
- Area of each plot: 0.0212 acres. Area harvested: 0.0140 acres.
- Treatments. All combinations of:Nitrogen to barley 1962: None; 0.3; 0.6 cwt N per acre applied as
 'Nitro-Chalk'.
 - Nitrogen to barley 1960 and 1961: None; 0.3; 0.6 cwt N per acre applied as 'Nitro-Chalk'.
 - Green manures and straw: None; ryegrass undersown 1960 and 1961; ryegrass undersown 1960 and 1961 plus straw left on the plot after harvest 1960 and 1961. (0; R; RS)
- Basal dressing: 2 cwt compound fertiliser (20% P205, 20% K20) per acre combine drilled.
- Cultivations, etc.: Straw spread on "S" plots: 21 Aug, 1961. All plots ploughed: 14 Dec. 'Nitro-Chalk' applied: 21 Feb, 1962. Seed combine drilled at 2½ bushels per acre with basal fertiliser: 22 Feb. Sprayed with 2,4-DP/MCPA at 8 pints in 40 gallons per acre: 24 May. Combine harvested: 27 Aug. Variety: Proctor.
- Note: (1) For the previous years' results see "Results of the Field Experiments" 60/Cb/2 and 61/C/4.
 - (2) Samples were taken for the estimation of the incidence of Take-all (Ophiobolus graminus)
- Standard error per plot.
 Grain (at 85% dry matter): 1.40 cwt per acre or 4.5% (22 d.f.)
- Erratum to "Numerical Results of Field Experiments" 1961 page 61/C/4.1. The area of each plot should be 0.0212 acres and not 0.0114 as given.

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Summary of Results

Grain (at 85% dry matter): cwt per acre

| Green manure and | N: cwt per acre 1962 | | | Green manure and straw 1960 & 1961 | | | |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|---------|------|---------------------------------------|------|------|---------|
| straw 1960 & 1961 | None | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0 | R | RS | Mean |
| | | (±0.57) | | | | | |
| 0 | 21.9 | 32.4 | 38.0 | | | | |
| R | 22.5 | 32.7 | 37.9 | | | | |
| RS | 22.3 | 31.9 | 38.4 | | | | |
| N: cwt per acre 1960 & 1961 | | | | | | | |
| | (±0.57) | | | (±0.57) | | | (±0.33) |
| None | 21.8 | 31.7 | 37.8 | 30.0 | 31.5 | 29.7 | 30.4 |
| 0.3 | 21.8 | 32.3 | 37.8 | 30.4 | 30.5 | 31.0 | 30.6 |
| 0.6 | 23.2 | 33.0 | 38.7 | 31.9 | 31.1 | 31.8 | 31.6 |
| Mean (±0.33) | 22.2 | 32.3 | 38.1 | 30.8 | 31.0 | 30.8 | 30.9 |

Mean dry matter % as harvested: 81.2

Green manure and straw

0 = None

R = Ryegrass

RS = Ryegrass and straw