

up, then cultivated 15 times, following which I sowed (on or about July 21st) an additional 100 pounds of commercial fertilizer (2-12-2), following which I cultivated once more. The corn was cut and shocked September 18th to 20th."

Jippa has put his heart and soul into corn improvement, and he is at his best when telling how he raises and puts up his show samples and seed corn.

AVVERAGE YIELDS PER ACRE OF THE PURE BRED AND PEDIGREED GRAINS

Variety	Average Yield
Pedigree Barley.....	48.3
Oats—Pedigree 1.....	48.0
Pedigree 5.....	30.5
Pedigree 7.....	37.1
Pedigree Rye.....	27.1
Marquis Spring Wheat.....	12.6
No. 7 Corn (Silver King).....	66.7
No. 12 Corn (Golden Glow).....	63.5

OUR FOREIGN CONQUESTS

While there is yet a considerable portion of the territory within our own state where miscellaneous and scrub grains persist, and this territory should be the battle ground of our increasing efforts to drive out the scrub population with the pure-bred varieties, at the same time we have been pioneering in foreign fields, and our conquests have been remarkably successful. In several European and Asiatic countries, as well as in Australia and South Africa, several of the Wisconsin grains have long since won their right to permanent citizenship, and in the Valley of the Nile, one of the most ancient seats of civilized agriculture, the Wisconsin Silver King corn is now taking its place beside the date palm and the fig tree. The accompanying cut showing letter and check from Egypt for a second order of Silver King corn will be of interest to all who have placed their faith in the pure-bred grains and who are proud to see their reputation spread and their territory widened.