bred grains from him either through purchase or exchange. In this way, the pure bred field crops have been widely disseminated in a short period of time.

Breeding Plots at the Experiment Station

**Yield Reports**

All members who receive pedigree grains are required to send a report of the yield in comparison with other varieties. Even after the common variety is discarded, this report is sent so that an average yield for all pedigree grains may be found which will be compared with the general average yield of the particular crop throughout the state. The differences in yield are tabulated in the annual report of the secretary.

**Annual Grain Show**

Every year a grain and field crop exhibition is held in connection with the annual meeting. About $500 are offered in cash premiums in addition to those offered by manufacturing companies. Silver cups are offered for winning exhibits by a number of the grain dealers, newspapers, etc., throughout the state. Several millers in the state offer a special