

Certified Seed

B A R L E Y — Continued

Name of Grower	Post Office	Genera- tion	Acre- age
TRAILL —Six-rowed, rough-awned, white aleurone variety. Short rachilla hairs. Has good standing ability and high yield. Tends to produce low percentage of plump kernels. A malting variety. Developed at North State University from a cross of Kindred x Titan.			
Grant County			
Ogg, Paul E.	Norcross	1	25
Waseca County			
Byron, Walter	R. 1, Waseca	1	9

Trail is a mid-west 6-row malting barley that has performed very satisfactorily in the higher rainfall areas in eastern Washington. Tests have shown that Trail has a limited area of adaptation in eastern Washington. In the drier areas, shattering becomes a serious problem and yields are reduced. It does not shatter as badly as most of the mid-west varieties. But there is great loss if it is not harvested as soon as it is ready. Head snapping can also be a problem with Trail. Yields of a ton to a ton and a half have been reported when Trail is managed properly. Trail usually brings a premium as a malting variety.

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