Hardigan alfalfa, a winterhardy variety, developed by F. A. Spragg and introduced in 1920 by the Farm Crops Section of the Michigan Experiment Station, is demonstrating that, among the alfalfas, it is one of the best hay producers for Michigan. Hardigan has also yielded well in tests in New Jersey, Ohio, Illinois, Iowa, and other states. Comparative field trials in Michigan and elsewhere also are proving that Hardigan is an excellent seed producer. In two years of seed production trials carried on at Aberdeen, Idaho, on the edge of a Grimm stronghold, Hardigan produced an average yield of 422 pounds of seed per acre, while the Grimm seed yield was 159 pounds.  

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