

NOVA SCOTIA APPLES AT THE GREAT NATIONAL APPLE CONGRESS.

The following extracts are from London papers :

NOVA SCOTIA APPLES.—An interesting contribution has been added during the past week to the great Apple exhibition at Chiswick. It consists of a grand collection of Apples, numbering some fifty sorts, from Nova Scotia. Every fruit shown is a first-rate example of its sort, and some are exceptionally fine as regards size and colour. The collection consists mainly of sorts well known in English gardens, but there are a great many American kinds, some of which are extremely handsome, whatever their edible qualities may be. The collection is well and legibly named, and an asterisk affixed to the name, indicates that the sort is grown for exportation to the English market. Among these are the Ribston Pippin, King of the Pippins, Old Golden Pippin, Mammoth Pippin, Sweet Russet, Baldwin, Rhode Island Greening or Green Newtown Pippin, Cooper's Russet, Hubbardston's Nonsuch, Talman Sweet, Flushing Spitzenberg, Willoughby, King of Tomkin's County, Pomme Grise, and Blue Pearmain. It will be seen from this list what a small percentage there is of sorts cultivated in English gardens. Among the sorts not marked by an asterisk are Gravenstein, Golden Ball, Fall Harvey, Ben Davis, Drap d'Or, Old Nonpareil, Cox's Orange Pippin, Holly, Gloria Mundi, Yellow Belle Fleur, De Rocas, Emperor Alexander, Dutch Codlin, Cat's-head, Concord, Pearmain, Blenheim Orange, Lyscom, Rambo, and Chebucto Beauty. The last named sort is the finest in the whole collection, the fruits being of extraordinary size, highly coloured, and distinct from any other. The collection is in excellent condition, and excites general admiration.—“*The Garden.*”

“*The Gardeners Magazine*,” Oct. 20th, 1883, says :

Since the opening of this exhibition great changes have been made in the arrangements, and the sum total has considerably increased. Collections have come in from Dalkeith and other places in the north that were wanting in the first instance, and to these have been added collections from Sweden and other parts of Scandinavia, and from Nova Scotia, Canada. The American apples are conspicuous for size, evenness of growth, and brilliant colour.

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