

COLCHESTER.—Has been considerable; quite a stir about apples growing lately. From nursery of R. W. Starr, Kings. In the vicinity of Truro, from Ontario.

CUMBERLAND.—Fully twenty per cent. From Kings, Hants, N.S., Woodstock and Albert Co., N.B.; some young orchards are giving good satisfaction.

DIGBY.—About one-eighth. From United States, Ontario, Annapolis and Yarmouth; a few grown here.

KINGS.—Cornwallis, thirty to thirty-five per cent.; a large number grown here, but majority from United States. In Horton orchards are very much on the increase; a large number of trees from United States yearly.

LUNENBURG.—A considerable increase in orchards of good choice varieties—most from Provincial nurseries.

QUEENS.—About twenty-five per cent. From this locality, Kings, and State of Maine, U.S.

SHELburne.—Has been small; disappointment in imported trees from United States the cause. Trees from Annapolis and Yarmouth do well in our soil.

YARMOUTH.—Doubled or trebled; chiefly from local nurseries; stocked with root-grafts procured from F. R. Phoenix, Illinois, U. S., which succeed remarkably well. *Keswick Codlin* fruited in three years, from setting as a root graft.

*Question 3rd—The kinds mostly grown, and those that have proved best and most profitable?*

ANNAPOLIS.—*Mostly grown*—Nonpareil, Yellow Bellefleur, Baldwin, Rhode Island Greening, Flushing, Spitzenburgh, Exopus-Spitzenburgh, Gravensteins. *Most profitable*—Nonpareil, Bellefleur, Gravenstein.

COLCHESTER.—*Mostly grown*—Ribston Pippin, Irish Codlin, Keswick Codlin, English Nonsuch, American Nonsuch, Early Sulian, Hawthornden, Winter Kerpenden, Summer Strawberry, Red Calville, White Moss, Sops of Wine, Emperor Alexander, William's Pippin, Rose of Cassia. *Most profitable*—Irish Codlin, Winter Kerpenden.