

*Pennock, 302.*—Tree a strong, large, vigorous grower, and very productive. Large, even sized, handsome fruit. Not a first-class table apple, but a good cooking variety requiring but little sugar. Keeps and carries well.

*Pomme Grise, 308.*—One of the best dessert apples of its season, and if well cultivated on good soil is an abundant bearer. The demand for this apple is increasing faster than the supply, and unless the fashion changes to some other variety it will soon be at a premium.

*Pomme Grise d'Or, or Swazie Pomme Grise, (27 Appendix.)*—We have fruited this little apple for two years. It is certainly very nice, but we have not yet decided that it is in every or any respect superior to the old one.

*Pumpkin Russet, 317.*—Very large, strong grower. Regular bearer. Good keeper. Good to bake. Very sweet, but sweet apples do not seem to be wanted in our markets of late years.

*Rambo, 319.*—This famous apple from the Delaware has been well tried for several years in the neighborhood, but it does not suit our climate and should be discarded at once.

*Red Autumn Calville, 224.*—An old French variety. Good for dessert. Handsome, sprightly aromatic flavor, with perfume of violets. Poor bearer. Unprofitable.

*Rhode Island Greening, 332.*—This old apple has always been considered one of our standard market sorts, and will be found in all our older orchards. Although not one of our best it has so many good qualities and is so well known in the markets, that it will require an apple possessing very superior qualifications to crowd it out, if it is well grown. It is not now much planted, other sorts being considered more profitable.

*Ribston, 333.*—Introduced by the Hon. C. R. Prescott from England, about 1815, and is considered one of the best paying sorts for deep, rich soils that do not suffer from drouth. The London market seems to absorb all of this variety that we can send, at big prices, and is always asking for more. As we can grow them in the greatest perfection we need not envy the orchardists on the Hudson the possession of the Newtown Pippin, with three barrels of waste for every one fit for market, though they do get a few shillings more for the one.