



PEWAUKEE APPLE.



HIS apple seems to possess some very desirable qualities, as a winter export variety. It is large, of good color and of excellent quality for cooking, while the tree itself is hardy and productive. The apple originated at Pewaukee, Mich., and is a seedling of the Duchess of Oldenburg, which circumstance alone would lead us to expect to find it possessed of considerable merit. It appears to be of sufficient hardiness for most parts of Ontario and Quebec, where apples are raised to any extent; and some growers who have it in their orchards have spoken very highly of it at meetings of our Association.

Thus Mr. P. C. Dempsey, of Trenton, Ont., says of it in our report for 1889, page 9: "The Pewaukee is as pretty as the King with us. It will produce two barrels to one of the King and fetch just as much. I do not think I could recommend any other apple more highly than the Pewaukee."

An Ohio fruit grower writes in the *Prairie Farmer* in the following terms concerning it: "This valuable variety has not received the attention it really deserves. The Pewaukee apple trees in my orchard were one year old from graft, when planted in 1878, and at no time have they shown any signs of injury from the winters, while such varieties as Northern Spy, Maiden's Blush, Rambo, Early Harvest, Buckingham and Rawle's Janet were entirely killed. No tree in the orchard compares with it for beauty of form and productiveness. From the