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**The British Apple Market**  
 The first important consignment of United States apples was sold in Liverpool on September 6th, consisting of 1,070 barrels and 200 boxes of United States and 350 barrels of Virginian apples.  
 The condition on arrival, of the bulk of this parcel, left much to be desired even for early apples. That portion of the shipment which had been stored in the refrigerator landed in much better condition than the portion placed in the ordinary stowage, and consequently realized much better prices, the difference amounting to five shillings and seven shillings per barrel.  
 The demand was fair for anything in good condition. The prices obtained were as follows:

1,070 barrels United States apples: Gravensteins, 8s 3d to 17s 6d per barrel, Blush Pippins, 11s per barrel; Ramshorn, 12s to 12s 3d per barrel; Wealthy, 10s 3d per barrel; Rivers, 9s per barrel; Red Pippins, 9s 9d per barrel.

200 Boxes United States apples: Wealthy, 6s 9d per box; Gravensteins, 6s 9d per box.

350 barrels Virginian apples: Yerk Imperials, 15s per barrel; Yorks, 12s 9d per barrel; Ben Davis, 12s per barrel; Rebels, 13s 3d per barrel, Red Streak, 10s per barrel.

**CANADIAN APPLES**  
 The first arrival of Canadian apples were sold in Liverpool on the eleventh September, and consisted of some 230 barrels, chiefly of the Duchess variety.

The fruit landed in excellent condition, and was of good quality. The color of the No. 1's was good, the No. 2's lacking color. They met with a very fair reception. The following prices were obtained: 230 barrels Canadian apples: Duchess, No. 1, 21s 6d per barrel, bulk 21s 6d; de., No. 2, 13s 9d to 14s 3d, bulk 14s 3d.

**A National Dish for Canada**  
 C. D. Peart, Nelson, Ont.  
 The question was asked by a Spanish gentleman, what is the national dish of Canada? And the lady addressed had to answer, I do not know, really I never thought of one.

England has "roast beef," Scotland "oat-meal," Ireland "potatoes"; they also have "The Rose," "The Thistle," and "The Shamrock" as national emblems. We have our emblem "The Maple Leaf." Why should we not have a national dish also?

In thinking the subject over, my idea is that "The Apple" is one of the most staple and enjoyable of all our products, as it can be used in some form at every meal, and between meals as well. The matter was referred to at a meeting of the Burlington Women's Institute some time ago, but nothing was done in the matter. Might it not be interesting to have a discussion through the columns of the The Horticulturist, and have the opinions and suggestions of others?

**Nelson, B. C.**  
 Next year the Nelson, B.C., Improvement Association will again distribute rose bushes at cost price to residents of Nelson and district. R. Jarvis, the president of the association, reports that the distribution of these bushes, inaugurated this year, proved so successful in aiding in beautifying the city it has been decided to follow the same course next year.

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