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Golden Russet, American,—Fruit medium size, roundish, and nicely shaped. Skin orange yellow, covered with rough, flaky russet, flushed with orange red next the sun. Eye closed, set in a shallow irregular basin. Stalk short, inserted in a round shallow cavity. Flesh yellow, firm, juicy and melting, with a rich aromatic flavour.

A fine late dessert Apple.

Golden Russet, English.—Fruit medium sized, and handsomely pearmain shaped. Skin yellow, covered with dark, scaly russet, numerously sprinkled with yellow dots. Eye closed, set in a small irregular shaped basin. Stalk an inch long, slender, curved, and deeply inserted in a funnel shaped cavity. Flesh yellowish white, crisp, juicy, sugary, with a refreshing aromatic flavour.

A first-rate dessert Apple, more juicy and melting than the British grown fruit of this variety.

Gravenstein.—Fruit large, oblong, slightly ribbed, and very hand-somely shaped. Skin pale yellow, with beautiful, rose colored cheek next the sun, striped and spotted all over with rosy red. Eye closed, set in a deep rugged basin. Stalk an inch long, inserted in a deep, narrow cavity. Flesh yellowish white, crisp, very juicy, with a rich aromatic flavour.

A very fine sample of this well-known and useful autumn Apple, larger than is usually grown in Britain, and fully equal in quality.

Harvey, (Fall.)—Fruit medium sized, smooth and regular shaped. Skin a beautiful bright golden yellow, with paler yellow dots. Eye small, closed, set in shallow plaited basin. Stalk three-quarters of an inch long, slender, inserted in a deep, narrow, round cavity. Flesh pale yellow, crisp, tender, and juicy.

A beautiful yellow dessert Apple, of excellent flavor, in use in December. Not the Harvey Apple, or Dr. Harvey of Britain.

Hawthornden.—Fruit below medium size, clear, round, and flattened. Skin yellow, flushed with red next the sun. Eye closed, set in a shallow plaited basin. Stalk short, stout, inserted in a smooth, round, rather deep cavity. Flesh white, crisp, juicy, and sugary, with a pleasant sub-acid flavour.

Rather a poor sample of this favorite Scottish apple, deficient on both size and quality to fair samples grown in Britain.