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COXE
—
A VIEW OF THE
CULTIVATION
OF
FRUIT TREES
—
ATLAS

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Atlas

Taken apart. Leaves cleaned.
Back round paper desiccated
with magnesium methoxide in
methanol. Leaves inserted in
Mardlo envelopes. Post bound
in 1/2 Russel's oasis Morocco.
Banscroft linen sides.

Carolyn Horton & Associates
490 West 22 Street
New York, N.Y.
April 1974.

These reproductions were
Painted by Mrs Elizabeth Cox
McMurtree — (daughter of
William Cox Esq — + sister of
Richard S. Cox Esq —) and her
sisters —

Richard S. Loxe

Exact representations of several
of the varieties of fruit produced
on the farm of William Loxe Esq
near Burlington New Jersey -

October 16, 1915.

Miss Ella McMurtrie,
Norwood Avenue, Chestnut Hill,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

The donation to this Department by the grandchildren of Mrs. Elizabeth (Coxe) McMurtrie of a volume of unpublished colored plates painted by her and of a volume of manuscript upon which was based "A View of the Cultivation of Fruit Trees," published in 1817 by their great-grandfather, William Coxe, is hereby gratefully acknowledged.

As American pomological literature practically dates from the issue of Coxe's volume, the placing of these plates and the manuscript which accompanies them, upon which the published work was evidently based, with the Department where they can be carefully guarded against loss or destruction and at the same time be available to pomological investigators, constitutes an important service to American pomology. I am sure that this generosity on your part will be gratifying to all workers in that field, both in this Department and throughout the country.

Very truly yours,

(SIGNED) D. F. HOUSTON,

Secretary.

COPY

1104 Spruce Street,
Philadelphia.

To D. F. Houston, Esq.

Dear Sir:

Thank you for your kind note of appreciation of the books which it has given us--the descendents of Wm. Coxe--very great pleasure to send to a place where they may be of the use he hoped for a century ago.

I shall hope some day to see the Department of Agriculture if my good fortune leads me to Washington.

Very sincerely yours,
(Signed) ELLA McMURTRIE.

21st of October, 1915.

COPY

October 25, 1915.

Miss Ella M. McMurtrie,
1104 Spruce street,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

Through your note of the 21st instant we learn of the possibility that you may find opportunity to visit this Department at some time when in Washington. I trust that you may be able to do this, as I am sure you will find many matters of interest here, both with reference to fruit culture and other phases of agriculture. If you should find it convenient to advise me either by letter or telephone of the time of your prospective visit we shall be very glad to arrange to have someone show you such features of the work of the Bureau of Plant Industry as may be of interest to you. Should it not be convenient to advise us in advance, we shall in that case do our best to afford opportunity to inspect the work.

In this connection I am enclosing herewith a copy of an article from The Country Gentleman of April 2, 1857, which gave us our first clew regarding the existence of the colored plates which you have so kindly placed with the Department. I take it that the initials of the writer, "E. L. R., Baltimore, Md.," indicate that its author was the late Edmond Law Rogers of that city, who was a life member of the American Pomological Society, evidently much interested in the work of your great-grandfather, William Coxe, which is one of the leading classics of American pomology.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) Wm. A. Taylor,

Chief of Bureau.

Enclosure.

Yellow Junating

On pails - p. 100-



Margaret, or Red Junating

Red, or Prince's Junating



USDA
LIB

Woolman's Harvest



Bough



101-

Summer Rose

103



Summer Queen

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Hagloe Crab



107-

Rambour d'Été, or Summer Rambour



104-

Sugar-Boyslain

or White's Pearmain

104



Early Reinette or Yellow Harvest



Maiden's Blush



106

Paradise Apple



103-

Colling



105-

Roseau d'Automne



Corlies' Sweet

110



Monmouth Redstreak

25

American Nonpareil



109

Catline



114-

Holland or Fall Pippin



109-

Siberian Crab



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Poveshon



110

Fama Gusta



112

Rambo



116

Drap d'or

113



Spice

114



Loan's English Pearmain



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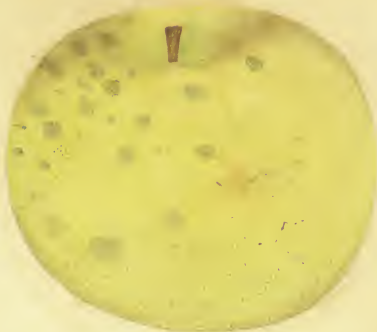
Styre



111

Gloucester White

114



Fearn's Pippin

160



Wine Apple



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Royal Pearmain



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Red Doctor or Dewit

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White Doctor



Morgan

124



English Redstreak

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Winter Pearmain

129 -



SheepNose or Bullock's Pippin

125 -



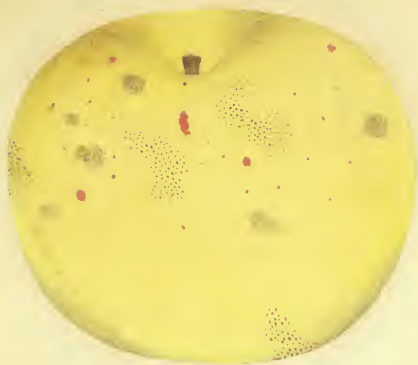
Rhode Island Greening



English Nonestuch



Wetherill's White Sweeting



Domine



Newark King



121.

Newark Pippin



Ribstone Pippin



Golden Reinette



There may be some mistake about this
should be about 3/4 of the way down
the road about 1/2 mile from the
the corner of Burlington and Perry Street
The house is a very nice one

J. L. G.

1/2

Bellflower.



Jersey Greening.



Cider Apple



Black Apple



Dumpling



White Cabille

Pound



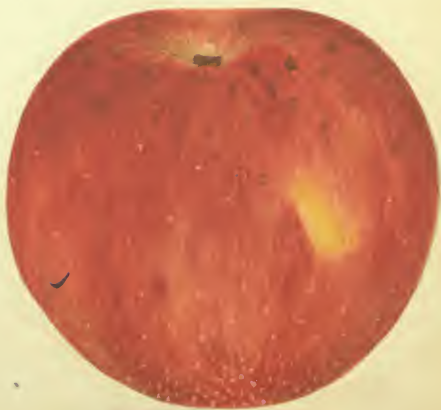
Seek no further



Kaughn's Spitzenberg



Newtown Spitzenberg



Esopus Spitzenberg



Vandervere



Violet



Pennock



Fenouillet Jaune



Canfield



Gloria Mundi or Monstrous Pippin



Michael Henry Pippin



Aunt Apple



Shippen's Russeting



Royal Russet



Ruckman's or Golden Pearmain



Orange Apple



Hewes' Crab



Roanes' White Crab



Pomme d'Apis or
Lady Apple

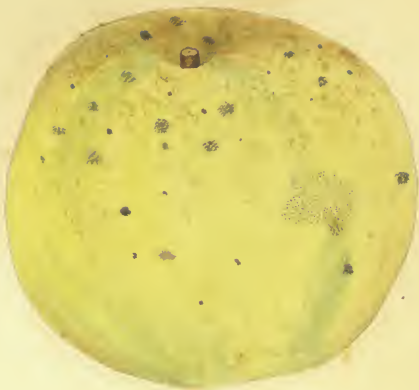


Harrison

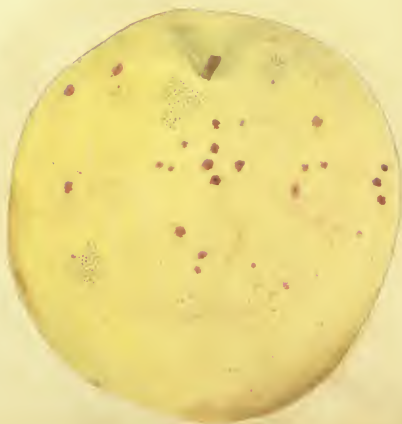




Swaar



Warren Apple



Sweet Pippin



Irish Apple



Courfendu.



Red Calville



Cathcart

NO

Brownish



Catsbury



Wood's Greening

No.

English Nonpareil



American Pippin



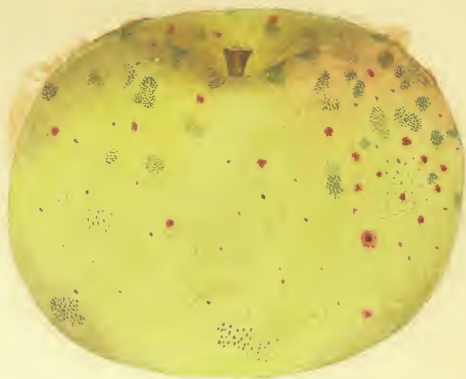
Olive Apple



Green Newtown Pippin



• Newtown Pippin



Priestly



Quince Apple



Redding



Cooper's Russeting



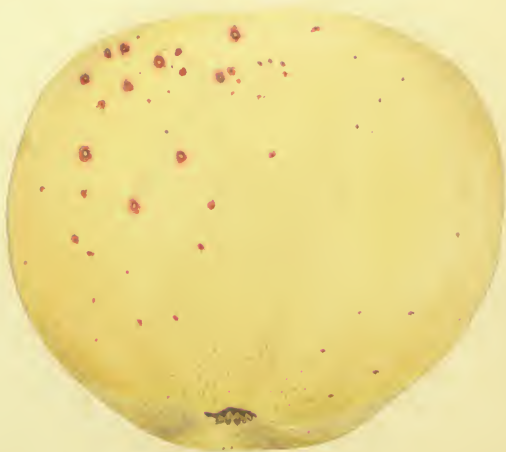
Winter Queen



Redstreak of East Jersey



Haute Bonte'



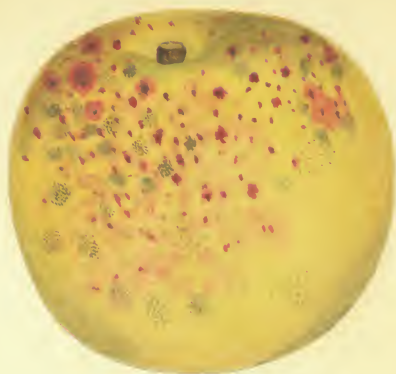
Reinette Grise



Lady Finger



Everlasting Hanger



Carthouze



Woodcock



Roman Stem



Lobb



Cam



Tewksbury Blush



Melrose or French Crab







Natural Drap d'Or.



Yellow Gage.
or
Drap d'Or



Cherry Plum.
or
Mirabalan



Guahli Plum.



Cooper's Plum.



Heisler Plum



Elfrey's Plum



Purple Magnum Bonum



Washington or Bolmer



White Magnum Bonum



Washington or Bolmer

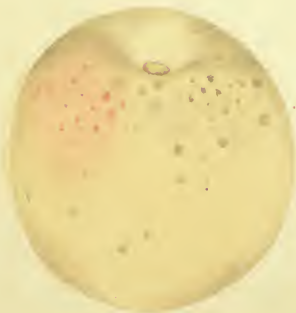




Morris' Red Rasteripe

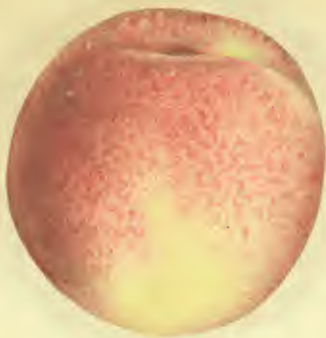


White Rasteripe or Morris' White





Oldmixon's Clearstone



The Same



Red Cheek Malacota



Oldmixon's Clingstone



Early Catherine.



Skinless.



Petit Muscat.



Julienne.



Early Summer Bergamot.



Red-Check Malacotan



Early Anne



Monstrous Pavie



Large Yellow Pine Apple.



Heath



Washington Heath



Hativeau



Red Bergamot



Fine Gold of Summer.



Musk or Spice Pear.



Musk Summer Bon Chretien or Large Sugar Pear.



Seckel Pear.



Washington Pear.



Crasanne



Holland



Virgotleube



Muscad

Allemand



Poire d'Auch



Winter Bergamot or Cape May Winter

Ambrette



St. Germaine



Brown Beurree.



L'Orange D'Hyver.



Beurree Doree,

or Yellow Butter Pear.





Orange Bergamot



Pound Pear

