

apple is required. The two trees at the Arlington Farm are moderate growers and so far have been light croppers. The habit of growth is upright, more like that of a pear than an apple. Following is a description of the fruit:

Sabla sinap. No. 10345. Nikita, Crimea. Introduced in January, 1904.

Fruit medium size, nearly barrel shaped, and inclined to be oblate; stem short, thin; cavity shallow, acute; calyx medium size, closed; basin abrupt, moderately deep, wrinkled and ribbed; skin tough, thickish, glossy, pale yellow with beautiful deep red blush covering more than half the surface; core large; seeds medium size, wedge shaped; flesh rather coarse, yellowish white, somewhat tough, lacking in flavor, and of fair quality.

A very striking and beautiful apple on account of its shape and color, but of indifferent quality. Season October.

MALUS SYLVESTRIS (Malaceae), 6734 and 6738. **Apples.** Something over twenty years ago a collection of apples was received by the Office of Foreign Seed and Plant Introduction from C. A. Nobelius, of Emerald, Victoria. There were twenty-three varieties in this collection, and it is with two of these that this note is concerned. Scions of both the above numbers were quite widely distributed in June, 1901, but no records came to hand as to the results of the introduction until this year (1922). Both apples fruited at the Arlington Farm and, inasmuch as no descriptions of them are available, having been introduced merely under numbers and names, the following is set down as a matter of record:

Kooroochiang. No. 6734. Emerald, Victoria. Introduced in June, 1901.

Fruits large to very large, uniform in shape; form roundish, slightly oblate, occasionally slightly ribbed; stem short, rather slender; cavity acute, deep and narrow; russet streaked; calyx small; basin shallow, rather narrow, furrowed and wrinkled; skin tough, pale yellow with pale carmine blush on one side; core small; seeds few, large; flesh white, firm, rather coarse grained, crisp and juicy, with a decidedly acid