Norson

Lineage: **Haralson** x **Rescue**
Introduced by: Agriculture Canada Research Station, Beaverlodge AB.
*Date*: 1975

*Notes:*
Fruit over 5cm, green-yellow with attractive dark-red overlay. Uniform size. Good
Manchester notes: "similar in many respects to **Kerr**, but much hardier" Subject to
sunscald. H1.

*Edible Apples in Prairie Canada*

Originated at the Morden Research Station, Agriculture Canada, by Dr. C. R. Ure, for
the Prairie Fruit Breeding Cooperative, selected at the University of Alberta and
Beaverlodge Research Station, Alberta in 1958 and introduced in 1976. The tree is
moderately vigorous, upright spreading, precocious, annually productive and hardy to
zone 2. The fruit is small, 5 cm (2") in diameter, barrel shaped to round conic, and
matures in late August to early September. The skin is greenish-yellow base, and
almost completely washed with dark red. The flesh is cream-coloured, crisp and juicy
with a pleasant flavour. It is very good for fresh eating, good for cooking, and stores well
for at least 18 weeks. *Note: It has been susceptible to fire blight in Saskatchewan.*

*Prairie Apple Cultivars, Peters*