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The Small Fruits.
Thsre siboth peasure and profit in rowing fruit. The farmer of course or profit. Tet, in additition to this profit it furnishes his family with the most do lioious luxuries the earth can yield The well kept. garden is the houe of beauty To the sight, the smell, and the taste the garden affords the highest gratifica
tion.-Those who reside in vill in the suburbs of cities, cultivate frut for the pleasure it alfords. -There is :en joyment in planting, in priuning, in cu joyment in planting, in pruning, in cul
tivating, in watching the buds and thi blossoms, and the full ripened fruit - T all, butimore particularty thè latter elass We must reconimend the cultivation o
the swaller fruits, as affording the great the smaller fruits, as affording the great
est amount of pleasure for the lenst weani and space.
Stiawbermess, we place tho frist, be canse the earliest fruit to delight our ap
petites: ' The strawberry recuires or tecp soil'; that is; a soil plowed or dug
ighteen-inches deep, and enriched with well rotted manures. The phiants should
when and be set about a foot apart each way, ter the bed has been planted about ycars, start anothor;, and by the tinie
this begins to boar well, the uld one will be pretty much worn out. Those who plant for the market "would do. well to plant in rows about two feet spart, and one foot in the rows. Chis, allows of the ries may be planted dutint aty of the spring months, and from the middle o done late in the spring or during the warm weather of रuriust, a showery day hould be selecta.
-Raspiberries:-This delicious fruit receives little of the attention its merits
deserve. It succeeds the strawberry in ripcniug, and will well ropay the bost of care. A cool, moist location on the best; and the soil should be ree $h$ and deep. The plants'should be setout early in the spring, and be kept clean and well
cultivated during the season. plant should have a stalie three or four it can be loosely tied. Every spring ex amine the plants and cut out the old cines that bore the previous year, and trim out the young suckers so as to loave only six or eight eanes in each stock the shoots that are allowed to remaiii, and tie them up nieatly to the stakes. In September it is well to pinch off the ends
of each shoot. This will check the growth and thelp toreripen the canes. As the finer varicties of the raspberries are somewhat to protect thear in winter, and percanes in the fall; and cover them lichtly with soil.-If a little earth is placed neair the roots on the side where they are to
be bent down, there will be no danger of their breaking.
The Blackberry--Considerable offort has been made of late, to improve the blaokberry, The High. Bush and some notice, but the only one that seems worthy of cultivation is the "She Ro-
chelle or Lawuton Blacklerrij." It was discovered in the fields at New Rochelle, on the Huidson river, and brought into cultire. It was afterwards "disseminatod by Mr. Latwon. It is perfectly shoots, many of them over an inch in dianoeter, with. lateral branches, all of which are covered 'with fine berries, a portion of them ripening daily, in moist
seasons, for sis weeks.' They have beén season, for siz weeks. They have been
found so large that 72 filled a quart. The Currant--This is perhaps the most valuable of all our small fruits. It can be used in so many ways, ripe or luxariantly under good care, and bears illasage with such good grace, that we consider it indigpensable in every garden, eifherin the form of a bush or cultivated tre and a a mall
 movid. Thorough manuring with prop. er pruning, will produce you an abua a-nce of fine currants. When the plaits are six or seven years old they should bo replaced by young ones.-Geneseè Far replace
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