

also a productive variety ; a fine tree, thirty years planted, gave us one hundred and eighty quarts, not quite so many as the others but so enormous in size, and so rich in flavor, that they brought the highest price in the markets.

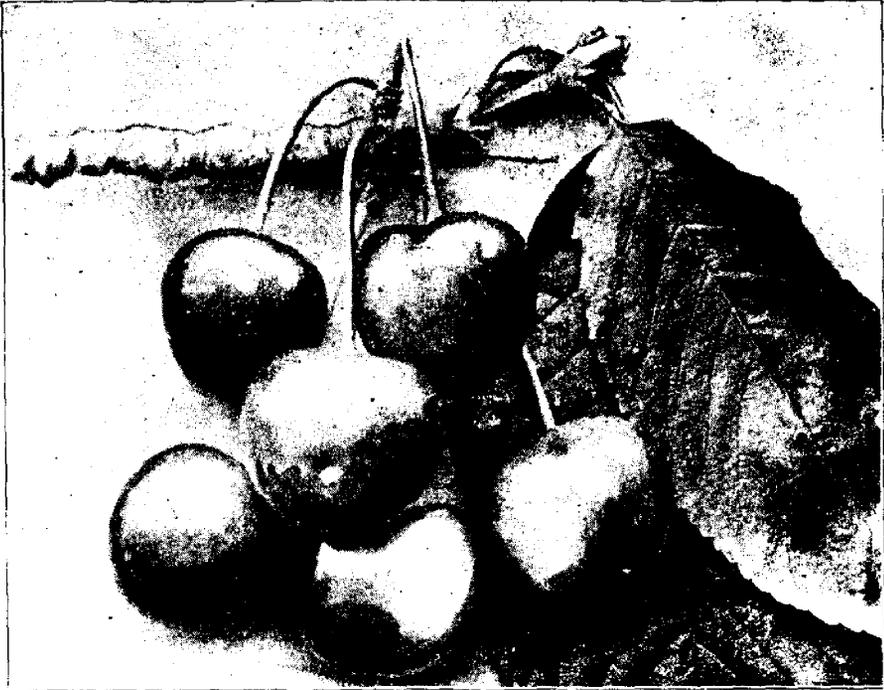


FIG. 975.—YELLOW SPANISH.

All three cherries above mentioned are of the Bigarreau, or firm fleshed class of *Prunus avium*. The Yellow Spanish (Fig. 975) is a type of the Bigarreau division, and, while firm it is juicy and possesses an excellent flavor. This cherry was introduced into America in the year 1800, and is a most valuable variety, fully maturing with us about the first of July or later, according to the season.