



The Nature and Properties of the Sugar Cane; With Practical Directions for the Improvement of Its Cultures, and the Manufacture of Its Products (Paperback)

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Excerpt: .in proportion as the latter has a greater portion of uncrystallizable matter compared to its essential salt, more fuel will, of course, be expended, as there will be a greater quantity to be reheated. It can, therefore, only be found and ascertained by experiment whether this be a fatal objection to a process, which appears to have, otherwise, so many great advantages to recommend its adoption. Major Moody, who had the charge of the crown plantations in Gaudaloupe, informs us that this increased expenditure of fuel was one principal objection to the adoption of Dutrone s system in that Island, where the expressed cane is chiefly Used in boiling the juice. CHAPTER XII. ANALYSIS AND PROPERTIES. OF SUGAR. According to Theophrastus, the ancients considered sugar to be a sort of honey. It has, however, as we have already shown, been long known under the form...



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