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GARDEN TIME

BY ROBERT SCHMIDT

Are you getting tired of running the cultivator and wielding the hoe in your garden in a losing battle with weeds and grass? Why not use a mulch?

It is surprising how few gardeners make use of mulches as an aid in the conservation of moisture and the control of weeds. A mulch may be any material such as hay, straw, straw manure, leaves, leaf mold, peat, sawdust, pine straw or paper which can be put down on the ground around plants for the purpose of conserving moisture during the hot, dry summer weather. At the same time it will keep down most of the weeds. I recently read of one gardener who collected all the cardboard boxes he could get at the store, flattened them out, and put them on the ground around his plants as a mulch—and the results were excellent.

Many vegetables, flowers, small fruits and shrubs are good subjects for mulching. Tomatoes, peppers, eggplants and cucumbers may be mulched with straw leaves or paper. Azaleas, camellias and blueberries which desire an acid soil may be mulched with sawdust, leaf mold or peat. Red raspberries, dewberries and grapes may be mulched with straw or strawy ma-

nure applied after the soil has been well moistened by rain or irrigation. If fertilizer is necessary it also should be applied before the mulch is laid down. You will find that in small gardens a mulch will help solve many of your cultural problems.

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