

the following account of the
various species of *Phytolacca*
which have been described.
P. acinosa Linn. -
This species was first described
by Linnaeus in his *Species Plantarum*,
vol. 1, p. 280, 1753. It is a native of
Europe, and is now naturalized in
North America. It is a small annual
herb, growing from 1 to 2 feet high,
with a slender stem, which is
more or less pubescent. The leaves
are opposite, entire, and pointed.
The flowers are small, white, and
perfectly regular. The fruit is
a small, round, red berry, containing
one seed. The plant is said to be
poisonous, and to have been
used as a medicine by some
of the Indians.

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