

always been overcome by dusting with dry sulphur. This is done for the first time when first the bunch begins to form, and is repeated twice afterward during the season. In Sherbrooke street the Chasselas has ripened each year for the last three or four years, but they have not fruited well, as the old vines from the Bleury street garden did not transplant well.

**BLACK CLUSTER OF BURGUNDY** is a small bunch with berries thickly set like the grains on a corn cob. The vine is hardy and healthy and bears well, but, in flavor, it cannot compare with the above.

**UNKNOWN.**—A grape of Black Hamburg type and so like it that Mr. Wood often thinks it must be that variety. It has fruited well for the last twenty years, and has ripened well at least two years out of every three, but has shown the same tendency to mildew, which has been so easily overcome in the case of that delicious grape, the Chasselas.

**MR. H. S. LOMAS, POINT ST. CHARLES.**—Soil, a spongy, peaty loam, deeply trenched and filled in with bones, oyster shells and stable manure; sub-soil, porous; position, sheltered, but vines shaded from the sun as early as 2 p.m.; situation, not elevated, though within half a mile of the river.

**HARTFORD PROLIFIC** has a good crop which ripened thoroughly. It tended to drop somewhat from the bunch; but, for an early grape, was a success.

**CONCORD.**—Set a medium crop which did not ripen well. It is, however, in so unfavorable a place that it has had no fair chance.

**SALEM (Rogers' No. 22)** is a vigorous grower and bore a good crop. The berry is large and amber colored. It has a fine rich flavor and is not pulpy, and, though late, ripens well.

**CROTON** is Mr. Lomas's favorite. It is a vigorous grower and bears, in fact, too well, for it overbears, and needs much trimming