



FIG. 2192. RESIDENCE OF H. MUSSEN.

every one on all sides ; it is stated that at our station, now enveloped in darkness at night and mud in the daytime, the local superintendent is thinking of uniting with us and making a park in the station grounds, planting trees, adding gardens and placing out recreation benches.

At our Court House the good work is proceeding, the southern entrance to the grounds is just being re-modelled, pointing to additional handsome drives, new flower beds, cement walks, while an ornamental hedge has been added. The Anglican Stone Church, the crowning life work of the Rev. John Francis, B. D., ere he retired to a well earned superannuation, stands on large grounds adjoining the Court House park. Our society has caused these grounds to be terraced and fittingly laid out in magnificent proportions, in keeping with the beauty of the building.

The town park has been levelled in part, sodded, while double tennis courts have been added on each side of the band stand.

Privately, too, our local enthusiasts have

all contributed their quota to the good work. There are still many difficulties to overcome. Dirt triumphs in many streets, many people still love to make a barn yard of the road in front of their dwellings. In many quarters paint is unknown, but our work is telling, and if we accomplish but a part of what we hope for each year, the reign of filth, disorder, smells and bad roads, will give way to order and beauty, so that some day Cayuga, when the inevitable trolley line from the outside world seeks her, will not be found wanting.

Cayuga, Ont.

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FIG. 2193. A LOCAL HORTICULTURIST.

THE BRILLIANT GRAPE, a cross between Niagara and Delaware, is reported by the Rural New Yorker, as susceptible to rot.

At Maplehurst it has not yet shown this tendency.