

Cannas.

769. SIR,—Should Cannas be taken in every fall?

IROQUOIS.

Reply by Prof. Hutt.

Yes.

Tulip Tree.

770. SIR,—Do you consider Tulip trees, White Fringe and Red Althæas sufficiently hardy for Dundas County?

IROQUOIS.

Reply by Prof. Hutt.

I am inclined to think all of these would prove too tender for Dundas Co. The White Fringe (*Chionanthus Virginicus*) stands the winter fairly well at Guelph, although it is reported on as tender at Ottawa.

Hydrangea.

771. SIR,—Does the Hydrangea require to be covered here for winter protection?

IROQUOIS.

Reply by Prof. Hutt.

The Hydrangea (*Hydrangea paniculata*) is fairly hardy here and is reported the same at Ottawa. I would advise you, however, to give it winter protection until you find by experiment that it is not needed.

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