

**GROCERS TO CONVEY**  
**PORTLAND, Jan. 15 (AP)**—Oregon Independent retail grocers will discuss self service marketing and refrigerated display trends at their annual convention here January 23-24.

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**ADVENTURE** **RED RIVER**  
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**COMING SOON!**  
**SORRY WRONG NUMBER**  
**End Big Hit!**  
**Paramount's "DYNAMITE"**

**GRAND**  
**Mat. Daily From 1 P. M.**  
**NOW SHOWING!**  
**Linda DARNELL**  
**Rex HARRISON**  
**Unfaithfully Yours**  
**THRILL CO-HIT!**  
**ASSIGNED TO DANGER**  
**RAYMOND NASH**  
**STATE**  
**Cont. From 1 P. M.**  
**NOW! TWIN HITS**  
**WRIGHT-MITCHEM**  
**PURSUED**  
**ACTION! SUSPENSE!**  
**ROMANCE!**  
**EDWARD G. ROBINSON**  
**Lynn Bari - Victor McLaglen**  
**"TIGER SHARK"**  
**LIBERTY**  
**Now! Cont. Shows**  
**Mickey Rooney**  
**In Technicolor**  
**"SUMMER HOLIDAY"**  
**Russell Hayden**  
**"MARSHALL OF GUNSMOKE"**

**Gardening Today**

Letters received this week indicate considerable worry over condition of shrubs because of the cold we're having. Nurserymen interviewed during the week say they "are not afraid of a thing so long as it does not get a lot colder."

There may be a little drop of Pink Perfection camellia buds, and edges of some of the evergreens may turn a little brown... but, those I talked to said, "remember this is only 'maybe' for those who seem to want something to happen to their shrubs during cold spells. We really don't think they will be harmed at all."

One nurseryman advised against covering with papers or other materials as "it only tends to make the plants sweat and tenderize them. It may do as much harm as good, he said."

Another shrub grower said some damage might result to certain of the more tender azaleas in some localities but as a whole, he, too, agreed there was not apt to be much harm. Another grower suggested pouring a bucket of water around some of the more tender shrubs, while still another didn't hold with this.

I found no nurserymen or growers who really favored the weather, although none were much alarmed. One grower believed that houseplants really suffered more than those outside. Warmer, more close rooms were not beneficial, he said. House plants like an occasional breath of fresh air—but not freezing air.

Flowers of the winter jasmine (*Jasminum nudiflorum*) have been damaged by the frosts, but I believe the buds will continue to unfold as soon as they are thawed out. This is a very satisfactory vine, giving clear yellow bloom when there is so little else in flower. A south wall or a sheltered south bank are very nice positions for this vine. And to those who do not know it, let me grow very neatly and stays nice in its place.

**Garden Calendar**  
 Jan. 20—Salem Rose Society.  
 Jan. 21—Stayton Garden Club.  
 Feb. 3—Begonia society, 8 p. m., YMCA.  
 Feb. 7—Salem Garden Club, Woman's club buildings, 2 p. m.  
**Questions and Answers**  
 L. E. asks is she should water her rhododendrons during the cold spell.  
 Ans.: See above story. Also, it is advised during severe frost weather to spray foliage of rhododendrons or other broad leaved evergreens with water in the early morning before the sun strikes the foliage... If you like getting up that early in this kind of weather.  
 N. A. writes she received two potted azaleas for Christmas plants and on each was a note saying it might be planted out of doors as soon as weather permits. Wants to know if they should be planted in peat moss. Has heard this is the approved way, and if so, how it is done.  
 Ans.: Several azalea growers are now advising to plant the azaleas in a bed of peat. Dig a hole twice the size of the balled root (if the plants come this way, or twice the size of the pot) with well-soaked peat moss. Then proceed to plant the shrubs just as you would in ordinary garden soil.

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In soaking the peat, work it up somewhat with hands so that you are sure it has absorbed the moisture.

D. E. S. says he has noted some material used as plant coverings in a number of gardens. Especially noted that it was used last spring to keep rains off from camellias in bloom. That was in Seattle and he has asked some of the people he has met since he moved here last fall but they do not know what it is.

Ans.: I imagine it is one of the commercial plant protectors which can be had at seed and plant supply stores. It comes under different trade names. It is used, too, to keep rains from splashing mud on the white Christmas roses and smaller beds of narcissuses.

C. W. asks if she should prune her daphne odora now. Says it has become "sprawly and far from neat."

Ans.: Why not wait until it blooms? You'd sacrifice too many flowers if you pruned it now. Tip back terminal growths when the flowering period is over. This will tend to make bushy growth and branches can also be kept nearer the ground with correct pruning. From the time this daphne is planted, some pruning should be done each year to keep the plant in shape. Otherwise it grows into long, empty branches with small sets of leaves and flowers at the terminals.

P. A. writes that not long ago she saw something about a flowering evergreen hedge but lost the clipping and wants to know what this might be.

Ans.: It could have been one of the abelias or it might have been barberry darwinii. The former has bluish blossoms and the latter orange-yellow. The barberry foliage is like tiny holly leaves.

**Airport Tower Equipment Due**

Salem airport's control tower will resume operations between February 5 and 10, and shipping of equipment is underway, the civil aeronautics administration notified Airport Manager Wallace Hug on Saturday.

The CAA said Stanley W. Dilatush has been selected as chief airport traffic controller for McNary field and will arrive in early February. Word came from H. H. McFarlane, chief of the air traffic control division at Seattle.

The tower, on the west side of the field, was first used by the army air force during the war. It was again in operation last summer when most of Portland's commercial airline flights were centered here.

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**Valley Obituaries**

**Sally Williams Stinette**  
**DALLAS**—Sally Williams Stinette, 78, died at the Dallas hospital January 15. She was born July 22, 1870 at Williams Springs, Tenn., the daughter of David and Matilda Williams. She made her home in Tennessee until 1908 when they moved to Rickreall. In 1911 the family moved to Dallas where she has since resided.

She was a member of the Presbyterian church.  
 Survivors are sons, Fred Stinette, Dallas, Bolton Stinette, Rickreall, and Charles E. Stinette, Salem; five daughters, Maude of Albany, Flavia Branch, Independence, Stella McDaniels, Dallas, Reva Robenau and Mildred, Hamilton, both of Salem; sister, Laura Farmer, McMinnville; also 14 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren.

Services will be held Monday, January 17 at 7 p. m. at the Hinkle and Bohman funeral home. Interment will be in Belcrest Memorial park, Salem.

If all the buses, street cars and trolley coaches in America were parked bumper to bumper they would make a solid line reaching from New York to Cincinnati.

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**Halls Ferry Mothers Club Holds Election**

**HALLS FERRY**—Mrs. L. C. Graham was elected president of the Halls Ferry Mothers' club at the first meeting of the year. Others are Mrs. Gail Williamson, vice president; Mrs. Ray Barker, secretary; Mrs. Roy Cheek, treasurer. Plans for a home talent show were discussed and committees will be named later.

Investiture ceremony for three new members of Girl Scout troop No. 62 was held Friday, January 7 at the Mothers' club meeting, who are sponsors. Mildred Rawlins, Tvylla Cunningham and Suzanne Williamson received their pins and are now tenderfoot scouts. The Girl Scouts served. Maureyne Nichols and Clemens Nichols spent the weekend skiing and tobogganing at Mt. Hood with the Leslie Methodist young people's group.

Mrs. Bertha Hicks of Bremerton, Wash., will be a guest of the W. W. Wilsons for a few months.

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