



**GARDEN TIME**  
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Time was when there were no snapdragon varieties suitable for outside production. Now, thanks to the plant breeders and All-America trial gardens, we have varieties with extra large flowers and spikes which rival the best winter varieties produced in greenhouses.

The Rocket Snapdragon — Red Rocket, Orford, Golden, White, Rose and Bronze Rocket — are the first and only mid-summer heat-resistant varieties of hybrid snaps. Another variety you may wish to try is Vanguard. This variety, also a hybrid, is a rich rose pink with yellow throat.

If we were asked to select two of the most satisfactory cut flowers I expect most of us would name the snapdragon and the gladiolus because they last so long after cutting. Now that these new hybrid varieties are available, you should arrange to have some in your garden next summer. Check with your garden supply center.

In All-America tests at Raleigh in 1960, these varieties performed real well. I believe they will also do well east of Raleigh and especially well in the upper Piedmont and Mountains.

There are several other exciting new 1961 All-America selections you should try: "Rosie O-

Day," a rose-colored alyssium; "Gloriosa Double Daisy," a golden yellow, much more desirable than Black Eyed Susan and just as easy to grow; and "Coral Satin," a beautiful satin pink petunia.

Try these three in a border planting. Use the daisy for a 3 foot background. Next, the rich salmon coral petunias for 12 to 15 inch mounded plants. Then edge the border with alyssium which grows only 2 to 3 inches high but spreads (each plant) 3 to 12 inches.

If this combination has no appeal for you, I am sure that you can work out a better one. In any event, you should use all of them if you want to be first in the parade of All-America selections for 1961.

The quantity of labor used in farming in 1958 was about half that employed in 1940.

In 1959, each American had 33 pounds more red meat than in the 1935-39 period, twice as much poultry, 35 pounds more in dairy products.

Kindling wood dipped in wax will always stay dry and light instantly.

**ASC To Notify Area Farmers Of Allotments**

Cleveland County cotton growers will receive official notice of the 1961 farm acreage allotments for cotton well before the referendum date on December 13.

According to D. B. Blalock, Chairman of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation County Committee, the notices will be mailed on or before December 6, 1960 by the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Office. Cotton acreage allotments for all farms in the county have been determined by the County and Community ASC Committees in accordance with the law and the regulations issued by the Secretary of Agriculture. They are based upon the national total of 18,438,424 acres, State allotment of 508,810 acres, and county allotment of 37,201 acres available for establishing cotton farm allotments for 1961.

The national total is first apportioned among State allotments among counties. The county allotments are then distributed among farms on which cotton was planted, or regarded as planted, in any one of the past 3 years, with a small acreage reserved for specified uses.

Blalock requested that farmers who receive a 1961 allotment notice for a farm they do not intend to operate immediately return the official notice to the

County ASC Office so that it can be sent to the person who will operate the farm next year. Cotton allotments are established for specific farms and may not be transferred by the operator or other producer from one farm to another.

**Final Rites Held For Mrs. Leigh**

Funeral services for Mrs. Julia Allan Leigh, 83, widow of J. B. Leigh, were held Saturday at 3 p. m. from Grace Methodist church, interment following in the Pleasant Hill Baptist church cemetery.

Mrs. Leigh, who had been ill for some time, died at the home of a son, the Rev. George B. Leigh, last Wednesday night at 7 o'clock. She was a daughter of the late James and Marcella Camp Allen.

In addition to the Rev. Mr. Leigh, she is survived by four other sons, J. H. Leigh, of Shelby, J. T. Leigh of Gastonia, F. H. Leigh of Vero Beach, Fla., and C. B. Leigh of Norfolk, Va., and two daughters, Mrs. J. C. Nance of Kings Mountain and Mrs. C. W. Lall of Shelby.

Also surviving are four sisters, Mrs. Richard Curry of the Patterson Springs community, Mrs. Greenberry Lovelace and Mrs. Charlie White, both of Shelby, and Mrs. Sam Bowen of Lattimore, and one brother, Grier Allen of Stanley. A number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren also survive.

The Rev. Kelly Dixon officiated at the final rites.



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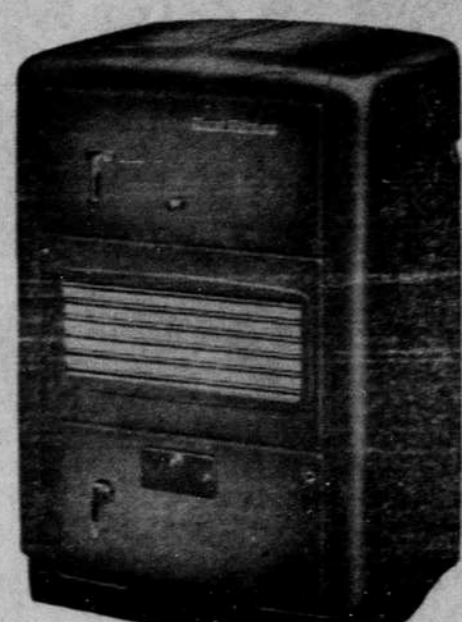
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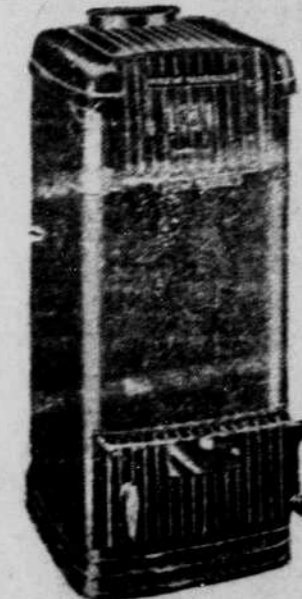
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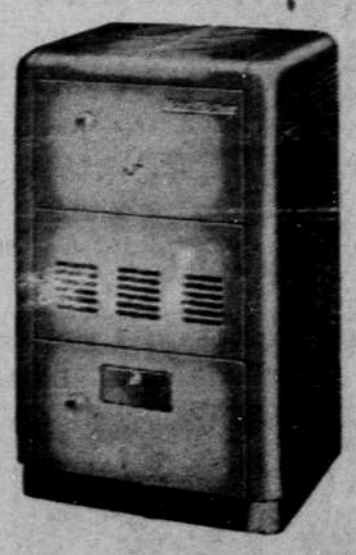
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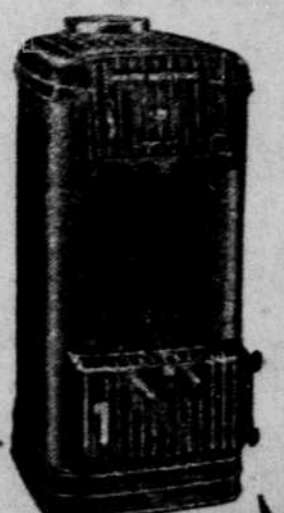
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