There is an order to the bloom in fruit trees. First to bloom are the apricots, which bloom early with the magnolias and forsythia. Then the sweet cherries and peaches bloom, followed by the plums and tart cherries. Pears often bloom with the tart cherries and finally there are the apples. The earlier a fruit tree blooms, the more likely it is to be damaged by spring freeze before, during or after bloom.