

GLOBE ALBANY
 Sunday—Monday—Tuesday
 Feb. 22—23—24
 If "The Covered Wagon" and "North of 36" were combined in one big picture it truly would be great. Such is

SUNDOWN
 the great epic of the west

Coming
CECIL B. DeMILLE'S
A Golden Bed

Halsey Happenings

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 Harry Commons and family were in Brownsville Saturday afternoon.
 George Maxwell drove to Albany Wednesday.
 L. H. Armstrong and wife were in Albany Tuesday.
 Mrs. Penland was on the sick list the last of the week.
 Fred Sprenger and wife and son Byrd were dinner guests at J. E. Porter's Sunday.
 Ed. Zimmerman and wife went to Monroe Sunday to visit with their daughter, Mrs. Will Price.
 A few days' visit with the latter's mother, Mrs. George Maxwell, and husband.
 Leslie Falk, little son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Falk, Jr., broke his collar bone Saturday evening while playing with other children. He is recovering nicely.
 Charles Straley drove to Corvallis Sunday and brought home his mother-in-law, Mrs. Esther Rike, who is house and ward keeper for the Theta Chi fraternity but is suffering with an infection of her finger and unable to attend to her duties.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dryden, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Smith and daughter Phyllis, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peckover and daughter Amy Lou and Miss Dicksy Dryden, all of Oregon City, drove to Halsey Sunday and spent the day at C. P. Stafford's. Mr. Dryden is a brother of Mrs. Stafford and son of Mrs. D. F. Dean, who is visiting the Staffords.
 Mr. and Mrs. Chialvo of Olympia, Wash., arrived Sunday evening for

CUT FLOWERS
AND SHEET MUSIC
HALL'S Floral and Music Shop Albany

So Big
 By Edna Ferber
 Author of "Cheerful By Request," "Gigolo," "The Girls," "Half Portions," Etc.

A romance of human nature; a diverting mine of human actions and people as they really are.

Why has it been the most talked-about novel of the year? Because:

Edna Ferber writes out of contemporary life, not from a literary window looking upon it.

We have secured the privilege of printing this charming story as a serial.

First Installment Will Appear in

like are looking after the Gourley ranch.

H. W. Clingman was an Albany caller yesterday.

Ben Sudtall will auction off baskets for the Rebekahs Monday.

Guy Bramwell and family of Brownsville were in Halsey Saturday.

Helen Armstrong was home from her school work at Eugene over the week end.

E. B. Penland and Henry Zimmerman left Monday morning on a trip to Moro.

S. R. Stevenson of Eugene called on his parents, J. A. Stevenson and wife, yesterday.

Mrs. Cecil Quimby and little daughter of Alsea is visiting her parents, A. W. Dykstra and wife.

Mrs. F. H. English of Eugene was the guest the last of the week of her son, H. F. English, and family.

Mrs. Albert Miller spent Saturday at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Moore, in Brownsville.

Mrs. Karl Bramwell and daughter went to Eugene Saturday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Twin boys were born to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gourley at an Albany hospital Friday. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ward.

Mrs. M. M. Ward went to Brownsville Saturday, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Moore, and husband.

Mrs. G. G. Hockensmith and daughter, who are spending the winter in Corvallis, were home for the week end.

Miss Janet Long, who is teaching school at Alsea, spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. A. H. Quimby, and family.

Mrs. D. J. Hayes was an Albany visitor Tuesday. Mrs. Hayes has been in poor health for some time and is but slightly improved.

Philomath and Halsey high school basketballers will mark the close of the season with a double header at Rialto hall Friday evening.

The W. F. M. society of the M. F. church will hold an all-day meeting Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Gardner, opening at 10. Luncheon at noon. The members are finishing their study book.

Halsey Mutual Telephone subscribers of line seven have been busy the past week putting their line in order, placing new poles and restretching the line, resulting in much improved service.

Victor Woodfield and his crew of workmen, who are building new and repairing old leads for the telephone company through the valley, moved their headquarters from Halsey to Tangent the first of the week.

Samuel Newby died Monday at the home of his son at Marshalltown, Iowa, and will be buried Friday at Rosedale church, near Salem. Mrs. Claude Huff was a daughter of Mr. Newby and she and Mr. Huff will attend the funeral.

The auction sale last Saturday of personal property left by the late Mrs. Palmer was well attended by people from town and country and prices realized were fair. Mrs. Palmer had good furniture and took good care of it, though her many years gave it time to deteriorate.

The Harrisburg school district has got ahead \$2000 and wants to redeem some outstanding schoolhouse bonds, but the holders refuse to sell, as the bonds will draw interest for from five to nine years more, so the district will loan its funds to raise part of the interest on that amount of bonds.

Mrs. Mills, near ninety-four years old, mother of S. A. Mills, who had been ill at his home for several months, died yesterday morning and the body was taken to Newberg for burial. Funeral services will be held at that city Friday. Mrs. Mills' late husband was for many years instrumental in the support of Newberg college.

Cause of Weak Pigs
 There are several things that cause pigs to be weak at birth. Probably the most common cause is the improper care of the sow during pregnancy. The sow must be fed a carefully balanced ration containing plenty of protein and mineral matter for these substances must be present to build the growing embryos. Exercise is very important because the sow must be in good health to nourish the young pigs.

SPECIAL DANCE
 at
Tumble Inn
 Saturday Night Feb. 21
 featuring the COLONIAL MOVIE ENTERTAINERS of San Francisco
 Nine musicians, playing fourteen different instruments, and two entertainers. A combined show and dance for the price of one. Admittance, \$1.10; ladies free.

GRAIN SHIPMENTS HEAVY
 Year's Wheat Exports Estimated at 200,000,000 Bushels.
 Washington, D. C.—Wheat exports of the United States for the year ending June 30 probably will total 200,000,000 bushels, the department of agriculture has estimated. Exports last year were 128,385,000 bushels.
 Increased demand for American wheat, an announcement said, was caused by short crops in some foreign countries, notably Canada and Argentina. Canada's exports this year were estimated at 185,000,000 bushels against 343,000,000 last year.
 Exports from principal producing countries this year will total between 715,000,000 and 745,000,000 bushels, the department said, compared with 781,000,000 last year.

Use High Grade Fertilizer Only
 Sand and Cheap Materials Are Expensive Because of Handling Cost.

The principal arguments for high-analysis fertilizers are: (1) they save on freight, (2) they save on the cost of handling, (3) they do not require a filler, and (4) they require the use of higher grade goods by the manufacturer. So says Prof. C. P. Blackwell, chief of the agronomy division, Clemson college, who explains that high-analysis fertilizers are those containing 16 per cent or more of plant food.

Results to Farmer.
 If a farmer buys a low-analysis fertilizer, the manufacturer, in order to make up this, must of necessity do one of two things. He must either use low-analysis materials for his ammonia and potash, or he must use a filler. In either case the results to the farmer are practically the same. For example, the manufacturer may use sand as a filler. One may argue that sand is very cheap and it should make little difference in the price of the fertilizer, but let us see if that is true.
 To begin with, that sand must be hauled to the fertilizer plant. It must be unloaded and handled into the plant. It must then be mixed in with the fertilizer. Then it must be sacked, tagged, and handled out of the plant. All this is paid for by the farmer. It is then shipped to the farmer's freight station at his expense, and he must now haul it to his farm and distribute it over the land. All this takes labor, so in the end this sand has cost the farmer a great deal. The manufacturer will generally say that he does not charge the farmer for this filler and perhaps he does not directly, but indirectly he does add it to the farmer's bill.
 Again, one may say that the filler does not amount to much. That may or may not be true. If the farmer is buying 8-3-3 fertilizer (and more than 40 per cent of the fertilizer sold in South Carolina is of that analysis), this 8-3-3 fertilizer can be mixed from high analysis materials with less than 1,500 pounds of material for each ton of fertilizer, the remaining 500 pounds being filler. This 500 pounds of filler must add materially to the cost of buying this fertilizer and applying it to the field.

Low Analysis Materials.
 As a general rule, however, the manufacturer would, most likely, use low-analysis materials for making up this fertilizer. The result, however, is practically the same so far as the farmer is concerned. He pays for the expense of handling the large bulk of low-grade material used in making up this fertilizer, and frequently the materials used are not so good as the higher analysis materials.

Oregon Guard Camp Approved.
 Salem, Or.—Camp Lewis went into the discard as a training plant for the Oregon national guard troops when Brigadier-General George A. White, commanding, obtained from the war department approval of his plans for maneuver grounds in Oregon. The site of the Oregon training camp in Jackson county has been approved, General White said. It is located northeast of Medford.

Publication of Whisky List Stopped.
 Jefferson City, Mo.—A temporary restraining order against the Jefferson City Daily Post and County Clerk Dirk prohibiting the publication of lists of persons to whom whisky prescriptions have been issued, was granted by Judge Henry Westhues in the county circuit court here.

House Committee Kills Gooding Bill.
 Washington, D. C.—The Gooding long and short haul bill, over which Pacific coast and western intermountain interests have struggled for many months, was put to death in the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce. The vote was 11 to 6.

Basketball
 Last and best game of the season
DOUBLE HEADER
HALSEY HIGH SCHOOL
 vs.
PHILOMATH HIGH SCHOOL
RIALTO HALL
 Friday Night, Feb. 20
 Admission 20 and 30c

SEED WHEAT FUND READY
 Oregon Board Sets Machinery in Motion for Farmers.
 Salem, Or.—The state board of control Saturday put into operation the machinery for loaning to the farmers of eastern Oregon \$1,500,000 for the purchase of seed, as authorized under an appropriation measure recently enacted by the legislature.
 The appropriation was necessary, it was explained on the floor of the legislature, because of the recent cold weather which destroyed the crops of thousands of grain farmers residing east of the Cascade mountains. For the use of the money the borrowers will be compelled to pay interest at the rate of 4 per cent.

Cows Fail to Clean Well
 It is very noticeable in some sections where the soil is under continuous croppings for a long period, as well as during hot, dry seasons when the crops do not grow well, that the cows fail to clean naturally at calving time. This frequently happens when the cows are fed a ration that is low in mineral matter. In herds that are fed sparingly and with a poor ration the number of cows that fail to clean are many more than from a well-fed herd.

San Francisco Publisher Is Dead.
 San Francisco.—M. H. De Young, publisher of the San Francisco Chronicle, died here Sunday following an operation for intestinal troubles.

ARMY BILL IS APPROVED
 President Signs Measure Carrying Total of \$330,180,000.
 Washington, D. C.—President Coolidge signed the army appropriation bill, carrying \$330,180,000.
 In addition to providing for the regular military establishment, the national guard and organized reserve, the bill provides \$40,000,000 for continuation of river and harbor projects, \$10,000,000 for flood control work on the Mississippi and \$750,000 for the Panama canal.
 The president also signed the naval appropriation bill, with its request for another arms conference.
 The president affixed his signature without public comment on the conference suggestion.

Better Live Stock and Improved Feed Methods
 In recent years various methods have been developed for encouraging the adoption of better live stock and improved methods of handling and feeding them. Five years ago the department started the better sires, better stock campaign and now there are more than 15,000 farmers throughout the country who have pledged themselves to use nothing but pure bred sires of any kind on their farms. Other factors in present-day live stock improvement are boys' and girls' clubs, demonstrations, exhibits, ton-litter clubs, thousand-pound calf clubs, country-sire-sales plan, cow-testing associations, stallion registry, co-operative bull associations, ram rings, poultry improvement activities and various other means. The United States Department of Agriculture is active in encouraging all of these various means of improvement.

Grower members of the Hood River Apple Growers' association last week received checks, aggregating \$400,000, covering the co-operative agency's third cash distribution on the 1924 apple crop. The association set a new record for cash dividends on apple pools just before Christmas, when it cut a melon that exceeded \$400,000. A second cash distribution of \$300,000 was made in January. The fourth distribution, to be made in March, will reach an approximate \$400,000. Previously the co-operative sales organization had advanced to growers on supplies and for harvesting expenses more than \$1,100,000, and the total returns to growers on the 1924 tonnage, which was slightly in excess of 2,000,000 boxes, to date reaches \$2,227,000.

Many farmers have an excellent opportunity to increase their income from butter, raise better calves and adjust their labor problems more satisfactorily by breeding a few more cows for fall freshening and a few less for spring.

TORRANCE
Reconditioning Shop
 Raybestos Hi-speed Brake Service Station
 212 East First St., Albany, near the skating rink
 Phone 37

HALSEY RAILROAD TIME

North		South	
No. 32, 3:20 a. m.	No. 17, 12:09 p. m.	No. 31, 7:11 p. m.	No. 34, 4:25 p. m.
No. 14, due Halsey at 5:02 p. m., stops to let off passengers from south of Eugene.	No. 31 and 32 stop only if flagged.	No. 31, 32, 33 and 34 run between Portland and Eugene only.	Passengers for south of Roseburg should take No. 17 to Eugene and there transfer to No. 15.
Halsey-Brownsville stage meets trains 18, 17, 14, 34 and 33 in order named.			

Paid-for Paragraphs
 (5c a line)
 Rhode Island rod eggs, 50c a setting.
 P. J. Forester.

Old papers for sale at 5c a bundle at the Enterprise office.

A Big Barred Rock Henny
 The Birds Yield up to 296 Eggs in a Year and are Profitable

Specializing in Plymouth Rocks of the pure O. A. C. strain, Earl C. Frost is building up a very modern poultry farm just east of Portland. "Every hen on the place trap-nested and every cockerel and every cock bird from high producing pedigreed stock, with special mated pens to carry on my plan of breeding, is the system I am working by," stated Frost when visited recently. And the record sheet shows that the birds have produced from 177 to 296 eggs in a year with the special pens producing a very high average.
 The laying house and double yarding system contains some 600 fine birds. Clover and kale furnish green feed, the old birds being shifted to different yards and the young chicks raised on new ground each year.

Frost has installed a battery of 24 electrically heated Master incubators and will continue to use the Charters which he had, giving him a hatching capacity of about 16,000. Eggs from his own flock will be hatched for his own use and for his customers, and the surplus capacity of the incubators will be used for custom hatching. Hatching started about February 1 and will continue during the spring months.

Frost takes an active interest in every forward movement concerning the poultry industry, is a member of the Pacific Poultry Producer's association, of the Oregon Poultrymen's association and a member of the latter's egg laying contest committee. He has had special training for poultry raising and has been developing his present plant during the past three years. Mrs. Frost and the two daughters, both of whom are in high school, take an active interest in the poultry flock.

FOR SALE
BALED HAY
 \$8 and \$10 a ton; also Colts and Work Horses cheap. Phone 11x
 J. D. Rede, 8 miles west of Halsey.

So Big
 By EDNA FERBER

Upon her first view of a field of cabbages, Selina DeJong exclaimed, "How beautiful!"

The remark was long a standing joke, one of the few jokes of the stolid Dutch vegetable gardeners among whom she had come to live.

But it was an insight to the character and perception of this unusual woman, the chief figure in Edna Ferber's remarkable book.

The greatest story from the pen of Edna Ferber, a writer who has been voted unanimously, "the female O. Henry."

Read It as a Serial in

A car of pyrotol will arrive in Corvallis this week, according to C. R. Briggs, county agricultural agent. The part of the car to be distributed from Corvallis will be delivered to farmers February 20. This car was secured through pooling orders from Hubbard, Scott's Mills, Albany Lebanon and Corvallis. It is likely that this is the last car to be pooled, by Briggs before next fall. He is accepting orders, however, and it may be possible that sufficient scattered orders will enable farmers in the Willamette valley to get a truck load together.

A delegation from the local I. O. O. F. lodge visited the Brownsville lodge Saturday evening.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT of Administrator
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, by an order of the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Nancy Palmer, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present them within six months from the date of this notice, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned administrator at his place of residence at Halsey, in Linn County, Oregon.
 Dated and first published this 4th day of February, 1925. J. C. Bramwell, Administrator Aforesaid.
 A. A. Tassing, Atty. for Admr.