

**INTEREST CHANGES
WAGES TO FORTUNE**

Note for Seven Thousand Thirty-Five Years of Age Now Worth Hundred Thousand.

**JUDGMENT GIVEN BY
FEDERAL COURT TO HEIRS**

Nathaniel Beswick Worked on a California Stock Ranch for Presley Dorris.

(Journal Special Service.)
San Francisco, March 17.—Judge Morrow of the United States district court yesterday entered verdict for \$17,435 in the case of Richard Beswick against Rollin D. Dorris, administrator of the estate of Presley A. Dorris. The judgment was given on a note for \$6,800, given in 1870 and bearing interest at the rate of 10 per cent, compounding monthly.
Nathaniel Richard Beswick worked on a stock ranch in northern California for Presley A. Dorris. In 1870 Dorris gave Nathaniel Beswick a note for \$6,800 for services rendered. Nathaniel Beswick was killed in the Modoc war and shortly afterward suit was begun by Richard Beswick as administrator of Nathaniel Beswick's estate, against Carlos J. Dorris, administrator of Presley A. Dorris's estate.
The note was afterward turned over to Richard Beswick by the estate. June 26, 1897, the compound interest and principal, at 10 per cent, amounted to \$55,635, for which suit was brought.
The judgment rendered by Judge Morrow was for \$17,435, the amount due when the suit was brought, and \$42,000 accrued interest since that time.

**USE ANGORA GOATS TO
CLEAR BRUSH LAND**

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Moscow, Idaho, March 17.—The University of Idaho has leased from the state a section of land six miles from Moscow on which 150 Angora goats will be placed by the experiment station for the purpose of demonstrating the value of the goats in clearing away the luxuriant growth of brush which covers the land. The soil is excellent, though a trifle rough in places, but the brush grows so densely upon it that the expense of clearing the land makes the cost of the ground too great for the prospective revenue.
The animals thrive well on brush and they have been found very effective in clearing land. There are 20,000 Angora goats in Polk county, Oregon, and each of these has yielded from three to five pounds of mohair each year. The mohair sold at from 25 to 35 cents a pound, and the cost of keeping the goats was trifling. Angora goat flesh is regarded as fully equal to mutton and the goats are much harder than sheep.
There is said to be room for 10,000 Angora in Latah county. The goats for the experiment will be purchased. Last year the clip of 25,000 goats was pooled by one group of owners.

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is very often acquired, though generally inherited. Bad hygiene, foul air, impure water, are among its causes. It is called "the soil for tuberculosis," and where it is allowed to remain tuberculous or consumption is pretty sure to take root.
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**WOMAN HYPNOTIZES
YOUNG MILLIONAIRE**

A Manufacturer's Housekeeper Forces His Son, Who is Half Her Age, to Marry Her.

**BOY FLEES FROM WIFE
—SHE HAS HIM ARRESTED**

Sensational Statements Made in Court Over Adventurous Strange Influence.

(Journal Special Service.)
Chicago, March 17.—Herbert M. Johnson, a son of J. C. Johnson, a Detroit millionaire carriage and automobile manufacturer, is being hidden in Chicago, and closely guarded by Attorney Raymond C. Lyon, to keep him out of the hands of his father's former housekeeper, Minnie Lackie Watson Johnson. In the bill for the annulment of the marriage filed in the superior court the woman is accused of having a strange influence over young Johnson.
A few of the sensational allegations in the bill are:
That the son is heir to the Johnson millions; that the boy is immature in mental capacity, over whom the housekeeper has obtained complete control; that when she was discharged by Johnson's parents she told them: "I'll have your son, whatever you do—his mine."
That two years later the parents returned suddenly from a European trip to find the discharged housekeeper hidden in an upstairs room.
That the son fled from his home of luxury in Detroit to Chicago to evade the woman, where she found him, had him arrested and forced him to marry her. That after the wedding she said, "It's old J. C. I'm after, not you."
That the woman is 45 years old and the Johnson boy half that age.
Minnie Lackie Johnson has determined to fight the bill, and retained attorneys, and entered appearance and already filed answer denying the charges.

**OPENS WAY FOR ABUSE
OF THE DIVORCE LAWS**

Lawyer Acts as Judge and Holds a Star Chamber Session Without Witnesses.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Seattle, March 17.—In the private office of Attorney E. B. Benson, in the Boston block, yesterday afternoon Florence K. Wintermute Stoll was granted a divorce from William T. Stoll, a prominent attorney in Spokane, and a precedent established which attorneys fear will open an avenue for abuse of the divorce laws of the state by star chamber sessions of special courts.
The only persons at the trial were the attorneys on either side, the plaintiff and defendant and Attorney Benson acting as judge.
A few days ago a stipulation signed by both parties asking that Attorney Benson be appointed to hear the case of Stoll vs. Stoll was presented to Judge Tallman. As many such applications are presented requesting a special judge the order was signed in the routine of business with no thought of the use it was to be put to.
Mrs. Stoll, who was formerly the wife of Dr. Wintermute of Tacoma, was married to William T. Stoll of Spokane October 4, 1897. Last month she brought the action for divorce, alleging that her husband was unduly intimate with a woman of Spokane designated as Jane Doe.
Special Judge Benson found the husband guilty as charged and granted the decree.
The wife asked for neither alimony or attorney fees. The reason for this action on her part is that one month after the couple were married Stoll deeded to his wife five Spokane lots and an agreement was entered into that if at any time she should bring action for divorce this deed was a bar to either attorney fees or alimony.

**GARCIA OBSERVES
100TH BIRTHDAY**

Congratulatory Messages From All the World Showered Upon Famous Maestro.

**GAVE AMERICA ITS FIRST
ITALIAN OPERA SEASON**

Famous as Singer and Teacher — Taught Jenny Lind and Catherine Hayes.

(Journal Special Service.)
London, March 17.—All the musical world seemed interested today in the celebration of Manuel Garcia's 100th birthday. It was an event almost without precedent in the annals of famous musicians. The illustrious teacher of singing was literally flooded with congratulatory messages from every part of the world, while personal friends and admirers called in large numbers at the little house in Cricklewood, where the venerable maestro resides with his wife and daughters.
This evening there was something like a public celebration of the centenary. This consisted in the presentation of a portrait of the venerable singing master painted by John S. Sargent. The portrait, together with an album containing the names of the subscribers, was presented to Garcia at the rooms of the Royal Medico-Chirurgical society in the presence of the Spanish ambassador and representatives of the German, French, Dutch, Belgian and other laryngological societies.
Probably there are no persons now living who heard Garcia when he made his first operatic appearance in the metropolis of the new world. Yet it was he who gave to New York its first season of Italian opera. It was on the evening of November 29, 1835, that a performance of "Il Barbiere di Siviglia" was given at the old Park theatre, which stood in Park Row on the exact site where now stands the world's tallest office building. Manuel Garcia, Jr., who celebrated his birthday today, was the Figaro of that performance.
Garcia came of a noted family. His father, Manuel del Popolo Garcia, born in Seville in 1775, began as a choirster in the cathedral there at the age of 6. At 17 he was known all over Spain as a tenor and composer of comic operas. Rossini in 1815 wrote the character of Almaviva for him.
Manuel Garcia, Sr., died in Brussels in 1838. His son and other members of the family continued on the operatic stage for well nigh half a century. Although renowned as a singer, Manuel Garcia, Jr., owes his fame largely to his teaching. He invented the laryngoscope, and his treatise on the art of singing is famous.
On March 17, 1894, his brother professional of the Royal Academy of Music presented to him a silver service as a memorial of his 90th birthday. Later in the same year he brought out his second and last text-book, "Hints on Singing." Among his most famous pupils have been Jenny Lind and Catherine Hayes. The celebrated Malbran, who died in 1838, was Garcia's sister. His no less celebrated sister, Mme. Viardot, is still alive.
Among gifts received today was one from Emperor William, who bestowed the great gold medal for science upon the famous teacher.

**PURSUED FOR MILES
BY RUNAWAY TRAIN**

Men on Hand Car Chased Down Steep Mountain Grade by Demon of Death.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Bellingham, Wash., March 17.—For miles, death in the shape of a runaway logging train pursued Mike Ryan and three companions down a steep mountain grade in the Mount Baker district. The train of 40 miles an hour last night and came within an ace of getting them all. The men were in a handcar at the time and had no idea of their danger until one of them happened to look around just as the train was on the point of crashing into their frail vehicle. With a cry of "For God's sake, jump," three of the men leaped from the car, but Ryan, frozen with horror, was too paralyzed to move.
In an instant the ponderous train struck the car, hurling Ryan in a bruised condition on the side of the road and continuing down the slope. After going two miles it was derailed, the terrific momentum it had gained throwing it into a broken and twisted heap many yards from the track.
Ryan's companions ran hastily to his assistance and brought him to this city, where with broken bones he is confined in a hospital and is hovering between life and death. The train's escape is attributed to a leaking air valve.

**AGED PIONEER WOMAN
DIES ON POOR FARM**

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Hillsboro, Or., March 17.—Mrs. Nancy Williams, aged 82 years, died at the poor farm in this county yesterday. She was born in Pennsylvania, where she married Lyman Williams, came to Oregon and located on a donation claim near Lents. Her husband and four sons are dead. One son and one daughter survive. Her son, Samuel, is living at Union, Union county, and the daughter, Mrs. Laura Howard, resides at Kalama, Wash. The funeral was held in the M. E. church today at 3 o'clock.
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**LAY CORNER STONE OF
ABERDEEN CITY HALL**

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Aberdeen, Wash., March 17.—The cornerstone of the new city hall will be laid next Sunday, March 19, at 3 p. m., when services of an interesting character will be held. Eugene Franke will deliver the address, the other numbers of the program containing prayer by Rev. Charles McDermott, two selections by the band and several numbers by the male quartet of the Congregational church. The mayor and council of Aberdeen will be present and invitations to the mayor and council of Hoquiam have also been extended, to be pressed, though there will be no parade, all the lodge organizations of the city have been invited to join in the service.
Copies of the newspapers of Grays Harbor, newly collected coins, documents including the names of the present city officials, will be placed in the copper receptacle of the cornerstone. The special committee having this dedication in charge are exerting themselves to make this a noted success.

**DELEGATES TO ATTEND
MEETING AT PORTLAND**

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Hillsboro, Or., March 17.—The delegates chosen by the Commercial club of this city to attend the Oregon Development league, which will meet in Portland, April 4 and 5, are as follows: W. H. Wehrung, W. N. Barrett, W. O. Donelson, P. C. Ballard, J. A. Imbrie, F. M. Heidel, G. J. Palmateer, F. J. Bailey, A. C. Shute, George A. Morgan, C. E. Deichman, E. J. Godman, William Nelson, L. W. House, A. S. Shoes and B. P. Cornelius.
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