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CHANG LIANG AND THE TIGRESS.

Chang Liang, the musician, was listening one day in the wood to a silver fish trilling his lay. He listened with rapture, and then with a sigh, "That fish is as great a musician as I."

A hawk darted down, and the warbler was dead. Then a sound in the woods filled the master with dread. The purr of a tiger or tigress heard he. So up in the boughs of an old banyan tree Climbed Chang Liang, king of musicians.

He scarcely had gained a great branch's safe place When out of the jungle with serpentine grace Sprang a tigress, which roared as the master The hawk and the warbler with her head on her paw.

At the sound of his music the forests grow still, The birds cease to sing and to babble the fill, And the clouds cease to move in their flight. The wonderful pipe which to kings he had played, The wonderful pipe whose sweet pipings had Great Chang Liang king of musicians.

Of the thousand and one touching scenes that are enacted in merry England every day I suppose that we lunacy commissioners come across as many as you can guess some thing of the sort. "What were the particulars?"

"Nothing out of the common. Some girl to whom he was deeply attached threw him over and married another man. He is peculiarly sensitive, and his reason gave way under the shock."

"Yes, very different from what he was when he first came here. He was then one of our worst and most melancholy cases. It was only by accident that we saw him."

"One day the head gardener came and complained to me about him. It appeared that he had taken a spade from one of the tool sheds and started digging in the garden. A big iron spade that very corner where we have just left him. I went to stop him in his work of destruction. I found two of the attendants already dragging him away by force and the patient struggling."

"He said that her garden—the little garden which she so dearly loved—had all been turfed over and spoiled; that the old fashioned border, which had always been her favorite, was entirely leveled away. And she wept and she cried one hour and what did she think? What could she feel? He knew exactly how the border had run; in what way it had been planted. Might he not be allowed to cut it out again as it was?"

"I dare say you noticed that little rustic summer house," the doctor continued. "He built that, too—exactly like her summer house, which (so he fancied) had been pulled down. On the fine day when she was laid out, he slipped on his hands and knees, and for days he was happily sitting in that summer house, looking at his border. He is always expecting her. Of course she never comes, but he is always expecting, therefore always happy. Indeed I have seen many, many sane people who find far less need for medicine than you find, added the good doctor, with a sigh."

In a room of absorbing duties and visits I soon forgot the episode of this poor patient and his little garden, and for many months I forgot it. It was recalled to me a year or two later by a rather remarkable occurrence. In the course of my annual holiday I happened to pay a brief visit to some old friends whom I had not seen for quite a dozen years at their home in Wiltshire. The father of the family had been a college chum of mine, and during his lifetime I had been to see him tolerably often. But after his death my visits were few and far between. He was a quiet, unassuming, and at last ceased altogether; not owing to any difference or coldness, or indeed from any purpose or design, but simply because domestic and business ties happened to draw us in opposite directions.

When, however, during my holiday I found myself staying within a few miles of the place to which my old friend's widow and daughters had moved, I took the opportunity to call upon them and resume our acquaintance. They were pleased to see me, and pressed me to spend a few days under their roof—an invitation which I readily accepted. Only two of the daughters were then at home—Mary, the youngest, and a slender, vivacious girl of 18, and the eldest, Helen, a widow of six months' standing, who had returned to her mother's roof upon the death of her husband. When I had last seen Helen, she was about the same age as Mary was now, and equally bright and vivacious. It seemed to me, therefore, very strange and sad to see her in widow's weeds and to note the melancholy sorrow all too evident in that once lively, girlish face. I naturally assigned this melancholy to grief for her dead husband—not knowing then that her union with him had been unhappy, and that his death had come to her as a welcome relief. However, in the course of my visit my eyes were opened to the real secret of her grief.

in his approving smile! It was not till we had stood watching him for some minutes that he became aware of our presence. Then he looked up. "Well, doctor," he exclaimed, "and how do you think my garden shows today?"

"Beautiful, beautiful, my dear sir!" The poor fellow's eyes sparkled with pleasure at that. "I am glad you think so," he said. "I'm coming this afternoon, you know."

"Ah! So she is," replied my kind hearted companion nodding. "And she is sure to be pleased with my flowers—she must be pleased—oh, doctor?" he cried the patient eagerly and anxiously.

"Not a doubt of it. It is a foregone conclusion." The unhappy man heaved a deep sigh of contentment and relief. "Thank God for that, doctor! I have arranged them just as she likes them—haven't I? And there is plenty of boy's love— isn't it? She has always been so fond of boy's love. Ah, doctor, boy's love is a ruling plant to last."

"Yes, nothing can kill it when once it has taken root. Heat won't kill it. Frost won't kill it. Wet won't kill it. Drought won't kill it. Weeds won't kill it. Neglect won't kill it. After a hard winter, one, and every other frost in the border has been killed. I've known boy's love to be the only one left standing. How lonely, how desolate it looked next spring. But it seemed proud of its endurance too. A true perennial!"

"He sighed, murmured something that I could not catch and applied himself again to his weeding. The doctor and I passed on to another part of the grounds. As we walked away, "The old story—a disappointment in love of the sort. I've guessed some thing of the sort. What were the particulars?"

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and was busy snipping off the dead flowers in a long border with a pair of scissors. She started at the sound of my footsteps on the gravel, then came forward and offered me her hand. "You are busy sometimes," I said. "Yes, she answered. "I do not sleep well, and gardening is the occupying that I love best. I am often here earlier than this. This is my own particular little garden. No one else is allowed to touch it. How do you like it?"

"It is quite a little fairyland," I said. "I looked around me and saw that there was something so suddenly to strike me. I had seen this tiny floral paradise before. Yes, yes! That rustic summer house, that line of rose trees, that long, old fashioned border, full of hollyhocks, and goldenrod, and pinks, and columbines, and what not. Boy's love—yes, I had surely seen it before! And then I remembered where. A sudden sense of interest, of excitement, of eager curiosity, made my heart throb."

"You are sure that he has not been fully recovered. Her body was found in the kitchen horribly burned."

"I love them, too," I said, still regarding her attentively. "Partly for the love, more for their associations."

"I have been told nothing," I repeated. (I never stopped to consider the wisdom of the answer.) "I was acting under an impulse which entirely controlled me. But I have seen something, have drawn my conclusions."

"Every day," I went on, "when it was fine he weeded and tended his garden, but when it was dull and in his summer house and watched them. His one thought was that they might be trim and ready against the arrival of some one; some one whom he always expected; some one who never came."

"You put her hands to her face. She uttered a gasp, and then—"

"The last scene of my story was enacted a week later. With the consent and aid of my wife, the assistance of Dr. X. it was arranged that I should take Helen over to the asylum and that she should be allowed to see her faithful gardener, who had been waiting for her so long. I was present at the interview. I shall not easily forget it."

"When he saw Helen, he started. He turned very pale. He trembled all over. The light shined in his eyes with his hand on his forehead. He looked like one coming out of darkness into a strong light."

"How do you find your garden?" he asked her, in an uncertain, wavering voice. "George George!" was all she could find to say. She was all white with the name. "After you went," he continued, still speaking in a low and dreamy tone, "ruthless hands made havoc of your garden. But I restored it just as it was—just as you had—loved it. I renewed the garden, and you were so kind to favor us as they had been before. And I said to myself that when you come back you should never know the difference. Was I right, Helen? Do you—see—any—change?"

"She was white, stretched out both her hands to him. He took them eagerly, yet tenderly. It seemed to me that his eyes were less hazy now; that they had grown more used to the strong light."

"He looked over her hands, still retaining a wary of boy's love and handed it to her. She took it and placed it in the bosom of her dress. He uttered a joyous cry, and, bending forward, clasped her in his arms. I caught a glimpse of his face as he bent over her. He looked as if he were better assured. I saw in an instant that what I had scarcely dared to hope had come about—that Helen and daylight were restored to him together."

"Miss Ellen Key, a Swedish lady, has attracted much attention in her native country, and is widely known through her edition of workmen. Jointly with Dr. Anton Nystrom, she founded the Workmen's institute of Sweden, which now owns a handsome building in Stockholm and branch establishments in all the provincial towns. Her English admirer, Miss Key, is a sort of lay confessor of the working classes, who come in crowds every Sunday to her modest lodging to consult her on every possible question. She is able to converse in Swedish, English, and French. Her husband, a philanthropist, has done literary work, publishing books, chiefly on sociological themes. One is a biography of Anne Charlotte Leffer, duchess of Gaesbøl, who is widely known through her sketch of the life of Sophie Kovalevsky. Miss Key is a sort of lay confessor of the working classes, who come in crowds every Sunday to her modest lodging to consult her on every possible question. 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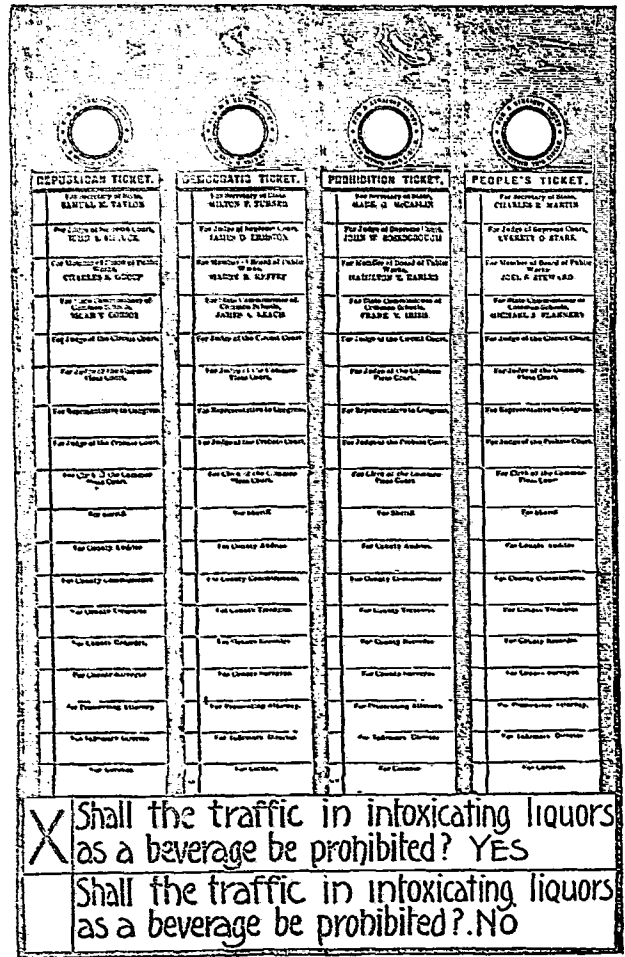
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Shall the traffic in intoxicating liquors as a beverage be prohibited? Yes

Petitions have been received, asking the passage of the temperance measure now before the Legislature, at Lansing, which provides for the question of prohibiting the sale of liquor upon the foot of the proposed Australian ballot, as is illustrated above, and submission of the question to a vote of the people every two years. These petitions can be found in Dodd's or Runner's drug stores, and in the hands of our church pastors. Drop in and see the petition, and then take a pen and sign your name.

### HIS BOLD EFFORT.

CONGRESSMAN HAMILTON'S First Speech in the House Scores a Big Hit For Our Congressman

Congressman E. L. Hamilton of Niles is proving to his constituency that their faith in his ability to represent them was not misplaced, not only to them, but also to himself, was established on a firm foundation.

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The simple fact is, as shown by the official records, you have paid out for this service, on an average, much more per year than the amount named in this amendment. What the State of Michigan has lost by reason of its refusal to pay a decent salary to a good attorney, no man can tell; in my judgment it would run into the thousands. The proposed amendment would cost the average taxpayer so much less than a cent a year that it would be difficult to compute.

The interest then, of good government, of the interest of economy, and as we are ruined, so far as I can, to protect and defend your rights, I ask you to vote "Yes" on the proposition to amend the constitution as submitted to you. Very Respectfully, H. S. Pingree, Governor.

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### The Governor's Proclamation.

COMMONWEALTH OF MICHIGAN, EXECUTIVE OFFICE, LANSING, March 10, 1897.

To the Voters of Michigan: The Legislature of this State, by a practically unanimous vote, and with the approval of the people, has adopted the constitution of this State, so that hereafter the Attorney-General shall reside at the capitol during his official term and give all of his time and strength to the duties of his office.

In return for this work they have said that he shall receive three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) a year for the first eight years, and that he shall receive eight thousand dollars (\$8,000) a year, with the understanding that as there was then little for the Attorney-General to do, he could give nearly all of his time to his own business. I approve of this amendment, and now that it has been submitted to you, I desire to address you in advocacy of this amendment, by using the strongest language that I can command.

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### Endorsed by the Legislature.

The following resolutions passed by the Republican of the State Legislature are of special interest this week. WHEREAS, The April election is near at hand, and we deem it especially important that every eligible voter in the State shall be correctly informed of the rights of the Republican Party, and the merits of the candidates, and the State of Michigan, is held by the Republican members of the Legislature of the State of Michigan, who meet and adjourn, and who have excellent opportunities to know of his legal learning and great personal worth, be it Resolved, by the Republican members of the Michigan Legislature, on this 21st day of March, 1897, in caucus assembled:

First. The splendid and loyal service rendered to his country by Justice Long in spending a number of years of his young life in the field of battle, and where he left his arm upon the field of battle, and received serious wounds that he will carry as long as he lives, should commend him to every lover of his country.

Second. The courage shown by the young soldier in taking up the duties of civil life under adverse circumstances, and in competing successfully for the admiration of every man, young or old, who has respect for manly character and undaunted courage.

Third. Nearly ten years of work upon the bench of the Supreme Court have demonstrated beyond question that Justice Long has exceptional qualifications for the high office which he now honors. He has shown himself to be an able jurist of vast experience, kindly, patient and courteous, possessing the courage of his convictions. He has won from the legal fraternity their unbounded confidence in his learning and practical ability. He has shown himself to be an able jurist of vast experience, kindly, patient and courteous, possessing the courage of his convictions. He has won from the legal fraternity their unbounded confidence in his learning and practical ability.

Fourth. Justice Long possesses in the fullest measure our confidence and respect, and we respectfully request a primary man, an able lawyer, and a competent and fearless judge; and we pledge him our active and cordial co-operation, and urge upon all the voters of the State to elect him to the office of Governor, their earnest, active work in aiding in the re-election of Justice Long.

Fifth. And whereas, at the Republican convention held at Detroit, Michigan, on March 12, 1897, were read and approved the following report of the Finance Committee: REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE. BUCHANAN, Mich., Mar. 26, 1897. To the President and Gentlemen of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan:

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COMMISSIONER. [OFFICIAL MINUTES.] Regular meeting of the Common Council of the village of Buchanan was held in the Council Chamber, Friday evening, March 26, 1897. President Sanders, presiding. Present, Messrs. Bainton, Boardman, Corey, Redden, Richards and Wood. Minutes of the meetings held Feb. 26, March 8 and 12, 1897, were read and approved. Trustee Wood made the following report of the Finance Committee: REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE. BUCHANAN, Mich., Mar. 26, 1897. To the President and Gentlemen of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan:

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Friday, the 26th inst, and entered in the family vault at Berrien Springs Mrs. McWilson was a former wife of Mr. Wm. Daugherty. Mr. and Mrs. Abner Henry of Kansas have returned to Michigan, and will settle in Mason county. The Sunday School Convention, held on Saturday at the Lutheran church in this place, was largely attended and highly interesting. Miss Emily Snow will teach the spring term at Berrien Centre. Miss Ona Becker has been compelled to give up her school of several illness. Eustasius Murphy has been quite ill with la grippe, but is slightly better. The ladies of Franklin Chapel are making articles of incorporation as an Aid Society. Wilson Smith is still drawing wood to Niles, on contracts. Frank Miller and wife, Myron Murphy and Mrs. Lydia Burton were in Niles Monday, on business. E. M. Horse is getting ready to go South. The prospects are good for business there.

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just completed a house-to-house visitation. State Secretary M. H. Reynolds has just returned from his Upper Peninsula trip, where he has been arranging a series of Conventions for the Field Superintendent.

### LITERARY NOTES.

Bright, reasonable and superbly illustrated, *Outing* for April comes like a welcome breath from the great outdoors. The frontispiece will appeal to the trout fisher, for it shows the eager angler on the opening day with the rod snapped at the ferrule and "Ten Miles From Town." An excellent illustrated article on "Western Yachts and Designers," is devoted to the white-winged flyers of Lakes Minnetonka and White Bear. In "The Blood-and-White Bear," H. F. Poore contributes a valuable addition to *Outing's* kennel series. Mamie Thompson,



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MERCHANT TAILOR,  
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It is better to have your gold Spectacles, and Jewellery skillfully than to buy new articles, as the result of patronizing unskilled workmen.

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H. R. ADAMS

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## Del. Jordan's Cash Grocery

OFFERS YOU THIS WEEK:

5 gallons Oil.....	30c
10c bottle Machine Oil.....	5c
10c box Bird Seed.....	7c
10c box Corn Starch.....	7c
5c box Shoe Blacking.....	3c
Best Bk. Starch, per pound.....	4c
Parlor Matches, per box.....	1c
Feast Tablets, per pound.....	5c
Pure Leaf Lard, per pound.....	8c
Clear Salt Pork, per pound.....	8c

DEL JORDAN.

I have secured the agency for the celebrated Dowagiac Flour, and have the same on sale at my Bakery.

BERTHA ROE,

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Another Mark Down.  
**TO THE CASH TRADE.**

Lion and XXXX Coffee  
**14 CENTS PER POUND.**

1 pound Corn Starch.....	5c
1 pound Baking Powder.....	5c
1 dozen Eggs.....	17c
1 dozen Cakes.....	17c
1 pound Coffee.....	10c
1 pound Bird Seed.....	7c
1 can Sugar Corn.....	5c
1 can Sugar.....	5c
2 pound package Rolled Oats.....	5c
1 pound Lentils, or Beans.....	5c
1 pound Ham, per pound.....	8c
1 dozen Oranges.....	12c

W. H. KELLER.

## BUCHANAN RECORD.

THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 1897.

Entered at the Post-office at Buchanan, Mich., as second-class matter.

Only 105 out of a possible 275 of the weekly newspapers in Michigan are accorded a circulation in excess of 1000. The American Newspaper Directory for 1896 and the publishers of the Directory will guarantee the accuracy of its rating by a reward of one hundred dollars to the first person who successfully assails it. Advertisers are invited to place their orders with the Bureau in one of the 105 that are not afraid to let their customers know just what they are buying.

**Buchanan Markets.**  
Hay—\$8 @ \$10 per ton.  
Lard—10c, retail.  
Salt, retail—\$1.00.  
Flour—\$4.50 @ \$5.00 per bbl.  
Honey—12c.  
Live poultry—5c.  
Butter—12 1/2c.  
Eggs—7c.  
Wheat—\$2c.  
Oats—16c.  
Corn—20c.  
Clover Seed—\$3.50 @ \$4.50.  
Rye—30c.  
Beans—\$2.50 @ 1.00.  
Live Hogs—\$3.25.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
B. R. Desenberg & Bro. have something to say about Carpets and Straw Mattings, this week.

Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son advertise French Tissue Papers, in their space this week.

S. P. High advertises special bargains in New Spring Goods, in this issue.

G. H. Parkison, the Main Street Clothier, has an advertisement this week that will interest the gentlemen. Read it.

Morris "The Fair" advertises a fine line of New Goods. Also a new departure in the addition of a line of Confectionery and Fruits.

H. E. Lough, the Jeweler, has some suggestions to offer in his advertisement, this week.

Carmer & Carmer offer some reasonable advice in their space, this week.

There will be a Masonic School of instruction at Niles, April 12.

F. L. Raymond has purchased the A. P. Moore property on Fourth street.

We are glad to see our townsman, Mr. J. A. Steele, out again, after his severe illness.

Mr. B. D. Harper is slowly regaining his health, and is able to walk down town, and we trust soon be back at his "case" again.

There will be a lecture at the Christian church tomorrow (Friday) evening. The subject of the lecture will be "Holes in the Wall."

Miss Daisy Merritt of this city and Geo. Huff of Buchanan will be married tonight at the home of the bride on Broadway.—Tuesday's Niles Star.

The proposition to bond Watervliet School District No. 2, to the amount of \$5,000 to enlarge the school building, was carried by a vote of 82 to 10.

The Woodman at Stevensville and Derby are uniting in the erection of a 40x60 two-story hall at the latter place. The hall will be in the second story.

There will be a "warm sugar social" at the Presbyterian church, next Tuesday evening, for the benefit of the Sunday School. An animated checker board will also be on exhibition, and a game of checkers played.

Senator E. A. Blakeslee from this District is forging right to the front. Last week Wednesday he was honored by being called to preside over the Senate in committee of the whole, and he did so with marked ability.

Deputy Game and Fish Warden W. A. Palmer arrested two men for spearing in Pike Lake last Tuesday morning. Their names are Pat Gaudaur and Wm. Beamo of South Bend. They were brought up before Justice Kellar and were assessed \$5 and costs.

On Friday evening, March 26, the Junior Endeavorers of the Presbyterian church enjoyed a very pleasant time at the home of Miss Jessie Harper. Every member carried a box of lunch with them and, while they were eating, each was presented with a card by the president. Games were played and, after eating lunch was disposed of, charades were played until 9 o'clock, when all left for home highly pleased with their evening's entertainment.

Burned to Death.  
The residence occupied by the family of John Cutting, in Niles, was discovered to be on fire Thursday at 5 o'clock. Nothing that could be done could save the building from destruction. Mrs. Cutting, under the influence of excitement, in a desperate effort to save some of the contents, became overcome by the heat and smoke, and fell from the building when she was a charred mass.

Mrs. Cutting was an old resident of Niles. She was 60 years of age and the mother of six children, who with her were only removed from the building when she was a charred mass.

The property loss is estimated at \$4,000, partially covered by insurance.

In an account of the Sunday meeting of the Y. M. C. L. of St. Joseph the *Evening Press* has the following reference to a gentlemen who is well known to our readers:

Mr. Joel Gillette, ex-register of deeds, and ex-president of the Y. M. C. L., made a few remarks regarding the work of the St. Joseph league, and as Mr. Gillette leaves St. Joseph this coming week in his pleasure to address the young men on his last Sabbath evening in our city. No doubt he will feel as some who have visited his league for it was he who put it on its footing and to him belongs the credit of helping and succeeding in holding together what will prove in the future, one of St. Joseph's best and honored institutions.

Hon. E. L. Hamilton made an able and eloquent speech in advocacy of the tariff bill in the House of Representatives at Washington Thursday night, which drew the flattering attention of many of the older statesmen to the budding abilities of our bright young Congressman.—Benton Harbor *Palladium*.

**Right of Way Secured.**  
The Milwaukee, Benton Harbor and Columbus railway, better known as the St. Joseph Valley railway, has secured the right of way in Royalton and Onondago townships and deeds were filed this morning from the following, who have sold the same to the company: De H. De Albert Bartz and wife, John Gesler and wife, W. H. Seitz and wife, Elizabeth Hazard, Almira L. Sprague and L. W. Frost.—Benton Harbor *Palladium*.

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DEALER IN ALMOST EVERYTHING.

### SCHOOL NOTES.

**HIGH SCHOOL.**  
Among the many lines of social development there is no other more worthy of public attention than our public schools. It is probably the greatest factor in the development of social forces in every community.

The school-life then ought to bring the child face to face with the environment in which he lives. It is only the extension of the child's world, helping him to see the lines of social development and furnishing him with typical forms for the purpose of measurement. This necessitates, on the part of the teacher, a knowledge of both community and individual life in order that right investigation, leading, and instruction may be given, on the part of the patron, an intelligent, sympathetic attention to the work of the public school, and willingness to offer friendly criticism, face to face with the school teacher or teachers. For these reasons we will from time to time have short items of interest in our local papers and hope to so keep you informed of the work being done that you can visit such work as you would like and have an opportunity to perform your part in the work of intelligently directing the search after truth, honor, integrity, true manhood and womanhood.

Your kindly sympathy and patience is asked just at this time while the links are being gathered up. Meet your teachers as often as you can, greet them with an earnest greeting. Let them know that you are ready and willing to further the interests of the public school.

It will be necessary for parents to give special attention to those children who are naturally inclined to study nature without direction at this season of the year. Remember that an ounce of preventive is worth a pound of cure and that it costs much less to encourage children to give attention to direct, systematic study. It will cost them less and will be much more valuable.

**J. H. HETLEY.**  
Alma Holmes and Clayton Houseworth won in the mental arithmetic contest this week.

**EIGHTH GRADE.**  
We are preparing for a geographical contest, to take place Friday afternoon, April 23.

The Jupiter club have elected the following officers, for the Spring term: Pres., Fanny Williams; Vice-Pres., Flora Currier; Sec., Gertrude Bates.

The U. S. History class have finished the work of this term by reading essays on the subject, "America Means Opportunity."

**THE WINNING TICKET.**  
There is not the least doubt but that the Republicans of this township have placed an excellent ticket in nomination:

ELIAS EATON will make a good Supervisor, his experience as village assessor will be a valuable aid in adjusting the assessment roll of the township in an equitable manner. Then, too, Mr. Eaton will make a valuable addition to the Board of Supervisors, and can be relied upon to see that Buchanan's interests are well cared for.

OSCAR P. WOODWORTH as Clerk will fill the bill in good shape, and should be elected.

SALMA BARMORE has been an efficient Township Clerk, and will bring to the discharge of his new duties as Township Treasurer "an amount of business ability and experience that will satisfy the most exacting."

Mrs. ELIZA EMERY as School Inspector has proven herself most eminently qualified for the position and will be re-elected, beyond doubt.

CHARLES BRADLEY will make an excellent Highway Commissioner and will see to it that Buchanan has the best roads in the county.

CHARLES E. SABIN will succeed himself for Justice of the Peace, and it goes without saying that "Judge" Sabin is all right.

NATHANIEL HAMILTON as member of the Review has given great satisfaction, and will continue to do business at the old stand.

JOHN C. WENGER, FRED ELDRIDGE, HENRY INGLESBRIGHT, HERB HANOVER, the nominees for Constable, are all right.

In fact, the ticket is all right from top to bottom, and we see no reason but that every man will be elected, and the election board will do the rest.

**Democratic Caucus.**  
At the Democratic Caucus, held in the Council Chamber, Saturday afternoon, the officers of the Caucus were, John Beistle, President; Frank Mead, Secretary, and J. L. Richards and L. L. Redden, Tellers. The following was nominated:

Supervisor, Joseph P. Beistle.  
Clerk, Edgar Haney.  
Treasurer, Del H. Boardman.  
Highway Com., George Hanley.  
Justice of the Peace, Levi W. Spaulding.

School Inspector, John C. Coveney.  
Board of Review, Joseph L. Richards, Constables, Jacob E. Arney, John M. Rose, Edwin Munson, William Eselle.

The name Democratic-People's Union-Silver ticket was adopted, as also the following resolution:

We, the members of the Democratic-People's Union-Silver Party of the Township of Buchanan, in caucus assembled, believing that the present business depression and the consequent want and suffering among the people are the result of contraction of the currency and the vicious policy of discrediting silver as standard money, do hereby endorse the principles of finance set forth in the Chicago platform of 1896, and as now advocated under the leadership of William J. Bryan, and we hereby renew our allegiance to the cause of financial reform as declared in that platform.

**Church Notes.**  
**LARGER HOPE.**  
H. V. Reed of Chicago will preach on Sunday, April 4, 1897, at 2:30 p. m. and 7 p. m.

**METHODIST.**  
The birthday offering taken, last Sunday, in the Sunday school was very gratifying.

The Review of the quarter's lessons was well conducted, and helpful to memory. The services were enlivened with excellent music. Mrs. Chas. S. Hubbert favored the school with a solo.

The Epworth League District meeting will be held at Niles, next Tuesday and Wednesday, April 6 and 7. Not only the delegates which have been elected, but all others who can ought to attend. Mr. Alfred B. Sewell will have a paper. Prof. Goodrich will be there, Tuesday evening, and Judge Grant, Wednesday evening.

The Devotional meeting will be held, Sunday evening, at 6 o'clock. Topic, "Wisdom and Folly Personified," Prov. 9:1-6; 13-18. The attendance is increasing, and the tone of the meeting is improving. Come and help to still greater improvement. Everybody welcome.

**UNITED BROTHERS.**  
Quarterly meeting, next Sunday. Preaching by Rev. I. S. Cleaver of Three Rivers.  
Rev. Bartmess will preach in Three Rivers, next Sunday, and hold communion.

**John Barnes Married.**  
Well Known Furniture Manufacturer  
As an Illinois Lady, Wednesday.

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## A LIVELY CAUCUS.

**REPUBLICANS NOMINATE A GOOD TICKET.**

The Republican Township Caucus was held in Roe's hall, Saturday afternoon, and a large attendance resulted. D. E. Hinman was made chairman and D. H. Bower, secretary. The Chair appointed as tellers, Dr. H. M. Brodbeck, Messrs. G. W. Noble and W. A. Palmer. The following ticket was nominated, and it is a good one:

Supervisor, Elias Eaton.  
Clerk, Oscar P. Woodworth.  
Treasurer, Salma Barmore.  
Highway Commissioner, Chas. Bradley.

Member of Board of Review, Nathaniel Hamilton.  
Justice of the Peace, Charles E. Sabin.  
School Inspector, Eliza Emery.

Constables, John C. Wenger, Fred W. Eldridge, Henry Inglesbright and Herb Hanover.

Great interest was manifested over the nominations, and the ticket, as nominated, will be hard to beat, and there is no question but that the nominees of this Caucus will be our township officers for the ensuing year.

D. E. Hinman was elected member of the Township Committee for a term of three years.

**Township Nominations.**  
The following nominations have been made in our neighboring townships:

**BERTHARD.**  
Republican—Supervisor, Geo. A. Correll; clerk, Robert Francis; treasurer, Elmer E. Leiter; justice of the peace, Frank Lamb; justice of the peace, Charles L. Copp; member of board of review, Stephen Scott; school inspector, Frank F. Rough; drain commissioner, Frank H. Sanderling; constables, John D. Streibel, Frank Hamilton Lincoln Burns and Wm. F. Canham.

**DEMOCRATIC.**  
Supervisor, Alonzo Howe; clerk, Frank Rhodes; treasurer, Charles Mathews; commissioner of highway, Henry Chubb; drain commissioner, Cass B. Rozell; member board of review, Chas. F. Ehringer; justice of the peace, Frank Fisher; constables, Wm. Woener, Robert Starata, Jerome Sebasty.

**MILLS.**  
Republican—Supervisor, Otis G. Harding; clerk, Carl G. Stebbins; treasurer, Howard Young; justice of the peace, Robert Waller; justice of the peace, Ira W. Leach; highway commissioner, Frank Starkweather; member board of review, Milton Hatfield; school inspector, Ewarton Price; constables, Wm. Cochran, Frank Hibbes, Oliver Adams; township committee, John H. Young, John Hamilton and Monroe Stanley.

**SUGAR BEET CULTURE.**  
Jacob Keller, a prominent North Judsonite who is on business terms with Nelson Morris, the great Chicago pork packer, who owns something like a township of land near that place, has been in the city on business. He reports that Morris and himself had been looking into the practicability of sugar beet culture on the Kanabakee and had their pretty well along when interrupted by Mr. Morris' illness. They anticipated that Morris would test show, from 12% to 14% saccharine product and that the cultivation of these beets could be carried on with a profit.

It is hoped to interest local capitalists, Messrs. Clever, Frank Hibbes, Oliver Adams, and Chris. Holler, owning large tracts of this marsh land and some of them talking very favorably of the project. A big beet sugar plant could easily be a permanent industry here.—South Bend Times.

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**AUCTION.**  
At the late residence of Gottlieb Boyle, deceased, Wednesday, April 7: 5 horses 1 yearling colt, 5 cows, 2 calves, 2 yearling heifers, brooded sows, chickens, farm implements, wagons, harness, etc., etc.

**HEIRS OF GOTTLIEB BOYLE.**  
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**ADMINISTRATRIX SALE.**  
At the late residence of Dr. J. A. Swasey, deceased, Saturday, April 3, at 1:30 p. m.: Trotting horses, Niles, Jersey cow, wagons, harness, etc., etc. Information given by  
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