The Wichita Eagle.

M. M. MURDOCK, Editor and Proprietor.

WICHITA, FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 1872.

For President:
U. S. GRANT,
OF ILLINOIS.

For Vice President:
HENRY WILSON,
OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Messrs. Dawes and Butler are spoken of as competitors for Senator Wilson's official shoes.

The name of Hon. W. R. Wagstaff, of Paola, is suggested as one of the liberal nominees for congress.

The New York *Herald* thinks "nothing but an opposition coalition—democrats included—will suffice to make an impression against Grant and Wilson, and the only available coalition now is the independent, joint-stock, liberal ticket of Greeley and Brown."

Congress, at its last session, appropriated about $162,300,000 to carry on the national government for the fiscal year commencing on the 1st of July. This is exclusive of the interest on the public debt, and of other permanent appropriations of considerable amount.

A lot of horses were run off from Pond creek a few days since and have not been heard from. They belonged to Huffaker & Co., and were taken in broad daylight, and in full view of twenty or thirty men. The thieves are supposed to have been white men.

The Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad is finished and trains are running to McAlister, one hundred and eight miles north of Sherman. The grading and masonry is completed thirty miles further. The gamblers and desperadoes who had followed and given so much trouble to the railroad men, have been effectually driven away by the military.

PHILEDELPHIA PLATFORM.

We publish on this page the platform in full adopted by the convention that assembled in Philadelphia on the 5th inst. to nominate Grant and Wilson. We invite our readers to a careful perusal of it, convinced that all will ascribe to the wisdom and sound policy of its dicts.

MAD DOG.

The east end of the city of Louisville, Ky., was thrown into a terrible state of excitement on the night of June 15th by a mad dog, which raged through the streets, biting ten or twelve persons, including several little children. Some of the persons were badly torn by the animal.

NICOTINE IN TOBACCO.

A patent has been issued to a druggist of Canton, Ohio, named S. O. Bentley, for a chemical compound that discharges that subtle poison called nicotine, that has undermined many a strong constitution, and sent to the grave before his time many a lover of the weed. Old tobacco refrainers will rejoice to hear that the tobacco is soon to be made harmless, and still retain all its ardent qualities.

The Springfield *Republican* calls attention to the importance of reform in congress. It says: "There is political revolution in the air, in the conditions of the pending canvass, in the minds and hearts of the people. Rightly understood, rightly voiced, rightly led, it will sweep the old politics and crazy party structures before it like so much stubble. But it will miss half its aim and half its usefulness if it expends itself upon the white house, and passes over the capitol. Of the two, congress and the executive, the former has shown itself the more dangerous enemy of reform, the greater obstacle to all true progress. It is of more importance to-day to look after the senators and representatives than the president. Let the voters remember that."

A NEW MAN.

Kansas is to have another thorough railroad man added to her collections, viz., Mr. George H. Nettleton, who comes to take the post of superintendent of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R. Mr. Nettleton leaves the position of superintendent of the Hannibal & St. Joseph railroad to come to Kansas. He was, on last Thursday night, made the recipitent of a handsome present in Brookfield. President Smith and the directors of the road presented him with a purse of five thousand dollars as an evidence of their esteem and the faithful and reliable manner in which he has conducted the affairs of the road while in connection with it. President Smith made the presentation speech, which was responded to in a happy and befitting manner by Mr. Nettleton.

FROM FORT SILL.

O. D. McDonald, who arrived yesterday from Fort Sill, with J. R. Mead's train, brings the following items:

On the 5th of June a man by the name of Frank Lee was killed by the Kiowa Indians within three miles of the fort. He was hauling wood to fill a goverment contract. He had camped three miles from the fort, and in the morning he went to drive up his oxen which were a short distance from camp, over a rise of ground. He had not been gone but a few minutes when his comrades heard some firing. They knowing he was unarmed, ran over to see what was the matter, when they saw a small band of Kiowas galloping toward the mountains, and their friend Frank Lee murdered and scalped.

On the night of the 6th of June Wm. Sherley, a trader at the Wichita agency, lost thirty-seven head of mules. They were stolen out of a corral by a band of Kiowas.

Horseback, a chief of the Comanches, came into the Wichita agency on the 7th and explained that the Kiowas had murdered two men. One was Frank Lee and the other has not been found by the whites yet and his name is not known. He reports this so the authorities will know who to go after and not lay the blame to the Comanches, who are not guilty—so Horseback says.

The *Nation* swings into line handsomely, as follows: "What are honest men to do now? Well, if there is nothing else offered, if the democratic convention commits the absurdity of raising 'the old white hat' as its standard at Baltimore, the only thing for republicans of our way of thinking to do is to choose the less of two evils and vote for Gen. Grant. We expect no improvement in the administration from him; we do not look at his hands for the removal of any of the existing abuses; we know of no answer to any of the weighty and reasonable objections made to this administration; but we do know, as near as may be, what he will do. The probabilities are that, the temptations connected with renomination over, he will in many points change for the better. Moreover—and this is the most important point of all—if he is re-elected, there will be no general redistribution of offices and no financial disturbance. What Greeley will do, and what the motley crew that he would lead to Washington would do, nobody knows."

GRANT'S LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE.

President Grant, having been formally notified by the president and vice presidents of the Philadelphia convention of his renomination by that body, signifies his acceptance in the following brief, plain, straight-forward, sensible letter:

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
WASHINGTON, June 10.

Hon. Thomas Settle, president of the national republican convention; Paul Strabach, E. A. Sargent and others, vice presidents.

GENTLEMEN: Your letter of this date, advising me of the action of the convention held in Philadelphia on the 5th and 6th of this month, and of my unanimous nomination for the presidency by it, is received. I accept the nomination, and through you, return my heartfelt thanks to your constituents for this mark of their confidence and support. If elected in November, and protected by kind providence in health and strength to perform the duties of the high position conferred, I promise the same zeal and devotion to the good of the whole people for the future of my official life, as shown in the past. Past experience may guide me in avoiding mistakes inevitable with novices in all professions and in all occupations.

When relieved from the responsibility of my present trust by the election of a successor, whether it be at the end of this term or the next, I hope to leave to him as executive a country at peace within its own borders, and at peace with outside nations; with credit at home and abroad and without embarrassing questions to threaten its future prosperity.

With expressions of desire to see the speedy healing of all bitterness of feeling between sections, parties, or races of citizens, and the time when the title of citizen carries with it all protection and privileges to the humblest that it does to the most exalted, I subscribe myself, very respectfully, your obedient servant, U. S. GRANT.

BUTLER COUNTY.

We are continually hearing startling rumors from Butler county. Mob violence is being threatened upon all sides. The following special dispatch to the *Commonwealth* day before yesterday will give a very correct idea of things over at Eldorado and Augusta.

On the 1st of June, an election for a county seat was held in this (Butler) county and resulted in a majority of two hundred for Augusta. Eldorado got an order from the presiding judge, restraining the commissioners from counting the vote, on the ground that the election was illegal, being held over fifty days after the petition for it was presented. Yesterday was set to hear the argument and to decide whether the injunction should be perpetual. Rumors have been rife for a number of days that inhabitants of Augusta were coming here to take the books, safe, etc., by force, to that place. Yesterday, about one hundred and fifty armed men appeared with teams, etc., evidently prepared to carry out their threats of taking the effects of the county by force to Augusta. The Eldorado people were already armed, which undoubtedly was the cause of the Augusta people not carrying out their threat. There was great excitement all day yesterday, but at night, every one having left, the town was quiet. Fears are entertained of another raid, and scouts are kept out to give notice of it should it occur. The court decided last night that it had no right to issue an injunction restraining the counting of the votes, but an appeal has been taken to the supreme court.

Correspondence of the EAGLE.

WEST WICHITA.

EDITOR EAGLE: One of the items of importance and interest this side of the river at present is the completion of the bridge, for which we have waited long and anxiously. We are glad to see the ferry fast to its moorings, the skiff locked up, and no more wagons stuck in the river. It cannot help but benefit both towns, and also the county. We hope the company will allow settlers to pay by the year or quarter, and cross when desirable.

An improved state of affairs is already noticeable in our town. Messrs. Bennett & Co., from Lawrence, have built a neat and substantial store, 20x40, and opened out a general stock of groceries and supplies; and still there is room. During the rise the single grocery store has been utterly unable to meet the demand, and every day brings more convincing proof that this is a good point for trade. A meat market is also fast approaching completion. We need a good hotel or boarding house this side, and the right man could not fail of securing a large patronage. We could also support a live real estate agent.

We would call the attention of the laboring class and others of your city, to the fact that fine resident lots can now be obtained in desirable locations, *free*, by any one who will build thereon. Let all avail themselves of this offer at once and "take the tide at its flood." Special rates of toll can doubtless be had on the bridge, and homes be had near their business. M. Stanton has purchased four acres of land near town, and proposes to sell in lots to suit. A good chance.

A runaway match now and then adds to the life of the town, one yesterday smashed up things generally.

Crops are looking very finely and the husbandman feels encouraged and rejoiced over the fruits of his labors.

At a school meeting held to-day R. E. Lawrence was elected director, F. A. Dodge, treasurer, and John McCormick, clerk. A tax of one per cent. was voted, for school purposes, on the taxable property of the district. It is proposed to have a school commence Sept. 1st. This is something greatly needed for some time. As a proof that the schoolmaster hasn't been around for some time, we notice a sign that reads "resturant" on one of our business houses.

Will you allow a digression from locals, and permit a word of politics? We are well satisfied with the nominations of the Philadelphia convention, and Greeley stock is decidedly low. We feel that Ulysses has executed the laws well, and have no desire that the ship of state should change commanders until the storm is over. The people should strive to obtain a ruler who will faithfully execute the laws, and conduct the affairs of state on an economical basis, and we challenge any one to show wherein Grant has failed in this point. Why then change? Expect good returns from here next November. At any rate Grant and Wilson shall have the vote of EBEN.

Correspondence of the EAGLE.

FROM TOPEKA.

TOPEKA, June 17, 1872.

COL. MURDOCK: I presume that you have a desire to hear once in a while from the Indianapolis of Kansas, and to know how things are moving up along the line. Well, I hardly know of anything interesting to write you, socially, politically or otherwise, news being like money, scarce. I have just returned from a trip east, and feel but very little like letter-writing, but must say right here that of all the country passed over between here and the Atlantic, I am the best pleased with Kansas soil, Kansas climate, and Kansas people—the Yankees of the west, good on a trade, social in disposition and lovers of educational and religious institutions. Not but what we find the same elements scattered over the east, but to find everything combined to render life liveable and enjoyable you cannot find a second Kansas, where they are as a whole a people of culture and at the same time blessed with such a country; and although they don't always tell what they know about farming, they can send in the best and most choice specimens of fruit and cereals as the result of their agricultural attainments. But God never made but one Kansas—wouldn't do, you know, to have too many Edens, for this is the place where man may live healthily, happily and long. Go where you may, you are met by a thousand questions about Greeley—oh, no, about Kansas—her people, her climate and productiveness, and the amazing ignorance after exhibited is amusing. One man asked me if the Indians about Topeka were very troublesome; another if the buffalo herds didn't damage crops a good deal. But then they were both Greeley men, so I suppose that accounts for it.

Everything is now quite lively. The Philadelphia convention, democratic conventions everywhere, republican caucuses and Dutch sangerfests keep the highways and byways of travel constantly thronged, and lager and tangle-foot flows freely—the first among the sangerfests, the latter among the unterrified—and I tell you the thing called politics is pretty much mixed. Between the sore-heads, Jackson democrats and liberals, they don't all see it in the same light, and when one wing of the mongrels whips the dust of peace over Greeley's hatchet, which he wants buried so badly, the other wing comes down and whips the slight covering back again, and there the hatchet sticks. I think that they should not treat the old man so. That hatchet has been a fearful bore from the time of Washington's babyhood to Greeley's, and I think the Grant and Wilson men will cover it both Greeley and his mistaken ideas by their votes this fall. So mote it be.

I started to write you a local letter, but there has not been much local about it, for everybody and his wife in and around this station are either gone or getting ready to go, or returning from somewhere. The vote on the bonds for the new railroad from here to Lawrence carried by a majority of over five hundred, so well was the thing run, and so we are to have unbroken connection with St. Louis.

As for business, it is fair. Not much of anything going on and things on the slow programme style.

The ground for the Washburne college was broken day before yesterday, and workmen are busy.

The stone-masons are at work on the state house, and everything looks lovely. Buildings are going up all over town, and good ones at that, so I think we are having a healthy growth. Nothing else of importance at this writing. Your bird meets with a good reception here. Long may she flap. Only this and nothing more, from yours, OBSERVER.

Correspondence of the EAGLE.

FROM CLEAR WATER.

CLEAR WATER, Sedwick Co., Kan., June 13th, 1872.

MR. EDITOR: It is said "that an honest confession is good for the soul," and I know I shall ease mine considerably by fulfilling mine, made two or three weeks ago, to drop you a few lines soon, which I have neglected to do, therefore plead guilty, feel a great deal better, and can now pitch in.

I believe that my last ended upon the cattle subject, and as cattle and cattle men are now the "great excitement" I begin this with "cattle."

A very noticeable feature, and one of general remark, is the rapid drives from Texas which have been made thus far in the season, and the extra fine condition of the cattle. In fact many herds are now holding, all through this section of country, awaiting the arrival of their owners, who traveled by steam and thought it unnecessary, I fancy, to be in any particular hurry; also, the few in number of lame or otherwise crippled cattle to be seen is surprising. "Stock" cattle are principally being driven this year, for the good reason that Texas is being pretty well thinned out of "beeves." It looked rather billious at one time whether Wichita would get many cattle to ship, but the energy of her agents on the trail south, the sales made at Wichita, and the unfavorable reports received from those who have been at Ellsworth—water being reported scarce—have so far settled that question that, notwithstanding all which has been said, and all the efforts which have been and are being made against your city, she will get more than the majority of this year's shipments.

Farming, I need scarely write—especially to those who know the country and the people who inhabit it—is progressing finely. It would do "your eyes good" to see some of our "bran new" farms, especially the growing crop of sod corn, and as to the crops on the "old land," as it is called—i. e. last year's plowing—well, I won't say anything about that. I believe you city folks bought (and paid for them, too,) some of our new potatoes, a week or more ago, and that said is sufficient.

Our town is progressing slowly, but surely. We have now two groceries, one restaurant, one blacksmith shop, and one of the other sort of groceries (i. e. saloons). Our town is small, but lively, for we have a public fiddle here and the Texas boys come in from all directions; perhaps because they are a music-loving people; perhaps because they are "lonely to-night, love, without thee," in camp; perhaps because they are nearly all "hard-up" for stamps; probably a little of all these reasons combined. At all events, whatever the cause, they come and liven up the place, for which you may be sure they receive the thanks of the citizens. But I've taken too much of your space and my time, therefore bid you, with many good wishes for the continued success of your excellent paper, adieu. D.

Platform Adopted by the National Republican Party.

The republican party of the United States, assembled in national convention in the city of Philadelphia, on the 5th and 6th days of June, 1872, again declares its faith, appeals to its history, and announces its position upon the questions before the country.

1. During the eleven years of its supremacy it has accepted with grand courage the solemn duties of the time. It has suppressed a gigantic rebellion, emancipated 4,000,000 slaves, decreed the equal citizenship of all, and established universal suffrage, exhibiting unparalleled magnanimity. It criminally punished no man for political offense, and warmly welcomed all who proved their loyalty by obeying the laws and dealing justly with their neighbors. It has steadily decreased with a firm hand the resultant disorders of the great war, and indicated a wise policy toward the Indians. The Pacific railroad and similar vast enterprises have been generally aided and successfully conducted. The public lands have been freely given to actual settlers, immigration protected and encouraged, and a full acknowledgment of naturalized citizens rights secured from European powers. A uniform national currency has been provided, repudiation frowned down, the national credit sustained under the most extraordinary burdens, and new bonds negotiated at lower rates. The revenues have been carefully collected and honestly applied; despite unusual large reductions of the rates of taxation, the public debt has been reduced during Gen. Grant's presidency at the rate of one hundred millions of dollars per year; a great financial crisis has been averted, and peace and plenty prevail throughout the land. Menacing foreign difficulties have been honorable and peacefully compromised, and the honor and power of the nation kept in high respect throughout the world. This glorious record of the past is the party's best pledge for the future. We believe the people will not trust the government to any party or combination of men composed chiefly of those who have resisted every step of this beneficial progress.

2. Completed liberty and exact equality in the enjoyment of all civil, political and public rights, should be established and effectually maintained throughout the Union by efficient and appropriate state and federal legislation. Neither the law nor its administration should admit of any discrimination in respect to any citizen by reason of race, creed, color or previous condition of servitude.

3. The recent amendments to the national constitution should be cordially sustained because they are right, not merely tolerated because they are law, and should be carried out, according to their spirits, by appropriate legislation, the enforcement of which can be safely trusted only to the party that secured those amendments.

4. The national government should seek to maintain an honorable peace with all nations, protecting its citizens everywhere, and sympathizing with all people who strive for greater liberty.

5. Any system of civil service under which the subordinate positions of the government are considered rewards for mere party zeal, is fitly demoralizing and we therefore favor a reform of the system by laws which shall abolish the evils of patronage, and make honesty, efficiency, and fidelity essential qualifications for public positions, without practically creating a life tenure of office.

6. We are opposed to further grants of public lands to corporations and monopolies, and demand that the national domain be set apart for free homes for the people.

7. The annual revenues, after paying current debts, should furnish a moderate balance for the reduction of the principal, and the revenue, except so much as may be derived from a tax on tobacco and liquors, should be so adjusted as to aid in securing remunerative wages to labor, and promote the industries, growth, and prosperity of the whole country.

8. We hold in undying honor the soldiers and sailors whose valor saved the Union. Their pensions are a sacred debt of the nation, and the widows and orphans of those who died for their country are entitled to the care of a generous and grateful people, and we favor such additional legislation as will extend the bounty of the government to all soldiers and sailors who were honorably discharged, and who in the time of duty became disabled, without regard to the length of the service or cause of such discharge.

9. The doctrine of Great Britain and other European powers, concerning allegiance, "once a subject, always a subject," having at last through the efforts of the republican party been abandoned and the American idea of an individual's right to transfer his allegiance having been accepted by European nations, it is the duty of our government to guard with jealous care the rights of adopted citizens against the assumption of unauthorized claims by their former governments, and we urge continual careful encouragement and protection to voluntary immigration.

10. The franking privilege ought to be abolished and the way prepared for a speedy reduction in the rates of postage.

11. Among the questions which press for attention is that which concerns the relations of capital and labor, and the republican party recognize the duty of so shaping legislation as to secure full protection and the ample field for capital, the largest opportunities, and a just share of the mutual profits of these two great servants of civilization.

12. We hold that congress and the president have only fulfilled an imperative duty in their measures for the suppression of violence and treasonable organizations in certain lately rebellious regions, and for the protection of the ballot-box, and therefore they are entitled to the thanks of the nation.

13. We denounce the repudiation of the public debt, in any form or disguise, a national crime, and we witness with pride the reduction of the rates of interest upon the balance, and we confidently expect that our national currency will be perfected by the speedy resumption of specie payment.

14. The republican party is mindful of its obligations to the loyal women of America for their noble devotion to the cause of freedom, and their admission to wider fields of usefulness received with satisfaction; and the demands of any class of citizens for additional rights should be treated with respectful consideration.

15. We heartily approve the action of congress in extending amnesty to those lately in rebellion, and rejoice in the growth of peace and fraternal feeling throughout the land.

16. The republican party propose to respect the rights reserved by the people themselves as carefully as the power delegated by them to state and to federal government. It disapproves of a resort to unconstitutional laws for the purpose of removing evils by interference with rights not surrendered by the people to either the state or national government.

17. It is the duty of the general government to adopt such measures as will tend to encourage American commerce and ship building.

18. We believe that the honest patriotism, the earnest purpose, sound judgment, practical wisdom, incorruptible integrity and illustrious services of Ulysses S. Grant have commended him to the hearts of the American people, and with him at our head we start to-day on a new march to victory.

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RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts	$81,453 17
Overdrafts	1,747 95
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages	4,032 65
Due from redeeming and reserve agents	16,855 21
Due from other National Banks	16,307 18
Due from other banks and bankers	4,745 77
Banking house	1,200 00
Other real estate	1,200 00
Furniture and fixtures	1,639 16
Current expenses	1,424 65
Premiums	4,525 00
Cash items (including stamps)	761 91
Bills of other National Banks	1,355 00
Fractional currency (including nickels)	135 81
Specie, viz.—Coin	32 50
Legal Tender notes	6,359 00
	$195,792 96

LIABILITIES:

Capital stock paid in	$50,000 00
Discount	7,594 47
Exchange	851 67
National Bank circulation outstanding	44,221 00
Individual deposits	92,267 58
Due to other banks and bankers	828 24
	$195,792 96

STATE OF KANSAS, } ss.
COUNTY OF SEDGWICK, }

I, J. C. Fraker, of the First National Bank of Wichita, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. C. FRAKER, Prest.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June, 1872. H. C. SLUSS, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
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On completion of railroad I shall have on hand the largest stock in Southern Kansas, and I shall be prepared to fill all wholesale orders at as low prices as can be bought elsewhere and laid down. Any style of goods wanted and not kept here I can order from my house at Topeka.

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Sample room in the rear of wholesale department is supplied with the very best Old Kentucky Bourbon and Monongahela Rye Whiskies and Imported Brandies and Wines.

Having a desire to change my business I will offer great inducements to the trade for the next sixty days, obligating myself to sell at Leavenworth or Kansas City prices, freight added.

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LEGALS.

Attachment Notice.

M. S. Rochelle, plaintiff,
vs
Charles Cleland, defendant.

Before H. K. Van Trees, J. P., of the city of Wichita, Sedgwick county, Kansas.

The defendant will take notice that on the 25th day of May, 1872, said Justice issued an order of attachment in the above entitled action for the sum of $27.40, and that property of the defendant has been taken thereon, and that said case is set for trial on the 1st day of July, 1872, at 9 o'clock a. m. M. S. ROCHELLE, Plaintiff.

je14-3w—Pr's fee $2.

Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
WICHITA, Kansas, June 17, 1872.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Benjamin F. Walker against Oscar Avery for abandoning his homestead entry No. 2257, dated November 6, 1871, upon the northeast quarter of section 12, township 25 south, range 1 west, in Sedgwick county, Kansas, with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 30 day of August, 1872, at 9 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. ANDREW ARIN, Register.

W. A. SHANNON, Receiver. je20-4t

Notice.

All persons are hereby warned not to buy, purchase or negotiate in any manner for a certain promissory note, made at Jacksboro, Texas, on the 9th day of April, 1872, by Robbins & Bro., in favor of F. Ledrick, for the sum of $2,300.95, to be paid in cattle. Said note has been lost, stolen or mislaid. Payment on said note has been stopped, and all the right, title and interest of F. Ledrick in said note has been assigned to Simcock & Co., real owners of said note, for value, and Simcock & Co. have assigned said note to me.

J. W. SIMCOCK,
Cashier Cottonwood Grove Savings Bank.

Cottonwood Grove, Kansas, June 11, 1872.

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Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
WICHITA, Kansas, June 17, 1872.

Complaint having been entered at this office by J. W. Grandham against Charles Lezalier for abandoning Osage Filing No. 2236, dated Dec. 2, 1871, upon the northeast quarter of section 19, township 28 south, range 1 east, in Sedgwick county, Kansas, with a view to the cancellation of said filing, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 16th day of July, 1872, at 1 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said wrongful filing.

ANDREW ARIN, Register.

W. A. SHANNON, Receiver. je21-4t