

## THE OLD WIFE.

size, but they cannot compare with those

jaguar boarded us over the bows, which  
 returned back to the pilot house and

HOUSEHOLD DATA

The blessed old fire-place! how

sight to see a drove of several

At nine o'clock, in the morning of t

the crocodiles of India and Africa, they are supposed to attain their

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# The Headlight.

THOS. R. PENN. : : Publisher.

Gray Georgia, Saturday, June 16th

MR. THURMAN is said to be a Virginian by birth.

The Democratic ticket is Cleveland and Thurman.

The next annual session of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held in Augusta next April.

## GOOD COMMON ROADS.

Extracts taken from an essay read by Prof. S. P. Sanford before the Georgia Agricultural Society on the importance of good common roads.

Another place where the tax for bad roads comes in the loss of time. Here is a farmer who lives ten miles from America or some other market town. He has a wagon and two good mules; he loads on two bales of cotton and starts for America, or some other market town. With the ratty and boggy road and steep hills and deep mud holes, you know it is a good days work to get those two bales to America and return in a day. We will suppose, at a moderate estimate, that his wagon and team are worth \$2.50 per day. Now, suppose that the farmer had a firm, smooth, well graded road, over which to drive his wagon; it would be just as easy for his team to carry 4 bales as it is now to carry only two, in other words, he could then accomplish in one day the same amount of hauling that now requires two days. His team, as I have said, being estimated at \$2.50 per day, and his being compelled to take two days to accomplish the work of one, it is not a logical inference that, in this case, the farmer pays a tax of \$2.50 a day for the privilege of using bad roads? Now multiply this item by the number of farmers in the State of Georgia who go through this identical process numberless times during the year, and what a fearful burden of taxation it piles up. If this tax came in a visible, tangible shape, or if it were backed up by government officials, backed up by bayonets, what a level when compared to "shocking" corn so that the cultivation may be in two days.

The creation of "shocking" corn so that the cultivation may be in two days. This is a tax in all the equality of Christian martyrs, and seldom think of it as a tax at all.

To recapitulate briefly the advantages of good roads, we would say:

1. With a system of good common roads, carriages, buggies, wagons, harness, and even horses themselves, would last nearly twice as long, and thus from forty to fifty per cent of the expense for these necessary articles saved.

2. They would enable our people to dispense with a large portion of their horses and mules, by enabling fewer horses to do the same work now done by a larger number.

3. The saving of time in making journeys, or which is the same thing the conveyance of larger loads by the same teams, would furnish no considerable saving of expense, which would add to the general wealth.

4. They would enhance the value of land; for farms at some distance from market would, virtually and practically, be brought within half their original distance.

Some one may ask the question: "What do you mean by a good road?"

Answering this question in a practical manner, I would say that a good road should be hard, smooth, and as nearly level as practicable; hard, in order to diminish the friction, and enable heavy loads to be carried with the least expenditure of animal power; smooth, that is, free from holes or ruts, so that the road may not become muddy by rains, and that the tractive power of the horse may be most effective; level, in order that the heaviest loads may be easily carried, without straining the horses, and without overtaxing his strength.

Can such roads be constructed all over the State of Georgia? In my humble opinion they can, but not in the way we have been going on for the last forty or fifty years. In our humble judgment, the road system, as practiced in Georgia for the last half century, is about as complete a barbaque upon true road making as

were the old militia musters described in "Longstreet's Georgia Scenery," when compared with the evolution of the Second Georgia Battalion on a dress parade. Under the old regime a man was summoned, with great formality, "to work on the road," and at the appointed time he came, or more likely, "sent a hand" armed and equipped with a demoralized hoe, or a venerable hatchet that had come down from his great grandfather.

About nine o'clock he went to work, and his whole study during the day was to devise ingenious ways of killing time, in other words, trying how not to do it; ever and anon casting wistful glances at the sun, which on this day as in Joshua's time, hastened not to go down.

Public opinions on this subject needs to be educated. Whilst railroads with their triumphs over time and space, have been estimated at something like their true value, the mass of the community, have entertained an inadequate, not to say contemptuous opinion of common roads.

CONDUCTORS AS POLICEMEN.

Section 486 (a) of the Code of this State declares that "the conductors of every train carrying passengers within this State, are invested with all the powers, duties and responsibilities of police officers while on duty on their train, and if any passenger is guilty of any disorderly conduct, or using any obscene, profane or vulgar language, or plays any game of cards, or other game of chance for money, or anything of value upon any passenger train, the conductor may stop his train and eject such passenger from the train," and "the conductors may command the assistance of the employees of the company, and of the passengers on the train to assist in such removal."

DEMOCRATIC MEETING.

The Democratic Executive Committee of the Sixth Congressional district is requested to meet at the Lanier House in the city of Macon on Tuesday, 19th day of June, at 11 A. M., for the purpose of setting a time and place to nominate a candidate for congress from the district. Every member of the committee is requested to be present. All Democrats are requested to copy.

J. A. DANIELS, Chairman Dem. Exec. Com. 6th Congressional District.

ALLIANCE ADVOCATE.

The June number is before us, and is the best issue yet, and that is saying a great deal. One page is illustrated with pictures of the most distinguished Alliance men of the country. The correspondence columns are full to overflowing. We don't see how Alliance men can get along without the Advocate. This is the last issue as a monthly. About the 25th it will appear as a weekly at \$1.00 a year. We will send it to the Jones Co Headlight for \$1.00. Subscribers now. The Advocate is printed at Milledgeville, Ga.

FOR SALE.

A one half interest in the Ishmaelite is offered for sale, and to the right party a bargain will be given. The office has a good power press, liberty job press and a fine stock of display of job type. No better equipped office in Middle Georgia. Parties without the cash need not apply. Good reasons given for selling. To a practical printer preference will be given. Parties meaning business can address the Ishmaelite Sparta, Ga. Will our brethren of the press give this one insertion and call attention to it.

COMING.

The election days are coming—The jolliest of the year; And the candidates are hustling. To see who can get there. No, not exactly hustling—The time is hardly round. But kinder, rather, juggling. And feeling of the ground. A limbering up of the joints, To give the hearty shaker. A "catching on" to the points Of opposition faces.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST.

It is estimated that the girl who dances eighteen waltzes travels about 14 miles.

After bearing the name of John Coward forty-eight years a Pennsylvania man has asked to have it changed.

Blaine is still the white plumed Navarre. That is, he will never get any nearer the Presidency than he is to day.

It was very kind and thoughtful to give Sheridan the rank of General, but they didn't do it until he lay on his dying bed.

Out of 900 boiler explosions in the New England States all but thirteen were traced directly back to the engineer's carelessness.

It took over two columns of fine print in a Boston paper to describe the general ugliness of a camel, and his habit of biting was left out at that.

It is only in Boston that a man would dare hang out a sign of "Lawn Mowers Wanted in the Rear." Indeed, it is only in Boston that they need it.

Connecticut claims a parrot sixty years old, but as the average age of Poll is only thirty years it is evident that some one has started a campaign lie.

A Georgia woman claims to have been married for forty years to one once asking her husband for money. She is a widow now and open to offers.

A five foot alligator was captured in Central Park, New York, by two policemen the other day. It had escaped from the menagerie.

A Cirens bill posting gang dumped a quantity of paste in the road near Petersburg, Mich., and a number of cows were fatally poisoned by eating some of it.

Hannibal Hamlin has a pump that is as well preserved as he himself. It was set up in his back yard in Bangor, Me., years ago, and here it now as good as ever.

Geo. John M. Palmer, the democratic candidate for Governor of Illinois, is a native of Kentucky, and 72 years of age.

James County Sheriff's Sale.

Will be sold before the Court House door in Clinton said county on the First Tuesday in July next during the legal hours of sale, six hundred and thirty-four acres of land more or less belonging to Sam'l L. Chiles, said land lying and being about two miles west of Clinton and bounded as follows. North and east by lands of B. F. Mason, south and west by lands of F. M. Stewart and by lands of Rev. Towles. Said land covered under and by virtue of a 5 to from Jones Superior Court in favor of S. B. Clawson vs Sam'l L. Chiles principal and H. S. Graves security. Wm Ingram, tenant in possession served with written notice.

W W BARRON, This May 31st 1888. Sheriff.

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J. H. ESTILL, Proprietor, 3 Whitaker St., Savannah, Ga.

## CITATION.

Ordinary's Office, Jones Co., Ga. March 24th 1888.

Whereas, C. B. Drew Adm'r of late E. K. Bridge dec'd applies to me for Dismission. These are therefore to cite all persons concerned to show cause at this office on or by the first Monday in July next if any they have why Dismission shall not be granted said Adm'r.

Witness my hand officially. R. T. ROSS, Ordinary.

## CITATION.

Ordinary's Office, Jones Co., Ga. March 24th 1888.

Whereas, O. C. Gibson adm'r of Estate Jackson Wood (c) dec'd, applies to me for Dismission. These are to cite all persons concerned to show cause at this office on or by the first Monday in July next if any they have why Dismission shall not be granted said Adm'r.

Witness my hand officially. R. T. ROSS, Ordinary.

## BRIDGE NOTICE.

GEORGIA—JONES COUNTY—On the first Tuesday in July next at 11 o'clock A. M. before the court house door in Clinton, there will be let a contract to build a public bridge across Shoal Creek at Stewarts Mill, said bridge to be 100 feet long, 14 feet wide, and of first class material throughout. Bond with approved security to keep said bridge in good order for seven years from delivery will be required. Cash will be paid on completion of the contract which must not be later than Sept. following. For further information apply to the undersigned. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Witness my hand officially this the 22nd of May 1888.

RICHARD JOHNSON, J. C. C.

Notice Leave to Sell Land.

Ordinary's Office, Jones Co., Ga. May 24th 1888.

Whereas, C. L. Ripley guardian of the minor children of has applied to me for an order to sell all their undivided interest in five hundred acres of land in Jones county Ga, adjoining H. B. Ridley. Dr. S. M. Anderson and others, and each order will be granted on first Monday in July next unless some legal cause be shown to the contrary. Witness my hand officially.

R. T. ROSS, Ordinary.

## CITATION.

Ordinary's Office, Jones Co., Ga. March 24th 1888.

Whereas, Mary E. Dame, Adm'r, with will annexed of Estate Henry C. Dame dec'd, applies to me for Dismission. These are therefore to cite all persons concerned to show cause at this office on or by the first Monday in July next if any they have why Dismission shall not be granted said Adm'r.

Witness my hand officially. R. T. ROSS, Ordinary.

## TAX RECEIVER'S NOTICE.

THIRD AND LAST ROUND. I will be at the following places to receive Tax Returns for the year 1888.

J. C. Dumas store Monday May 14. Haddock Station Tuesday " 15. V. B. Clark store Wed. morn " 16. Jesse Miller " eve. " 16. J. S. Stewart mill Thursday " 17. Wayside Friday " 18. Round Oak Monday " 21. Grabbell Hill Tuesday " 22. Glovers Mill Wednesday " 23. Caney Creek Thursday " 24. Popes Ferry Friday " 25. Five Points Monday morn " 26. Gooden's mill Monday eve " 28. G. W. F. McKay store Tuesday " 29. Jackson Roberts Wednesday " 30. Roberts Station Thursday " 31. Thomas Slomberg Friday " 1. James Station Monday " 4. Morton " Tuesday " 5. Haddock " Thursday " 7. Graves " Friday " 8. In Clinton every Saturday. I will close my books by the 20th of June. W. T. McMOIS, Receiver of Tax returns of Jones Co.,

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GOING NORTH—MAIL TRAIN.

Lv Macon	7 00 a m
M. Sney's Mill	7 10 a m
Roberts	7 20 a m
Morton	7 30 a m
Gray	7 40 a m
Frank's	7 42 a m
Barrows	7 45 a m
Wayside	7 54 a m
Round Oak	8 05 a m
Hillsboro	8 05 a m
Adgate	8 19 a m
Minnetta	8 27 a m
Monticello	8 42 a m
Machon	8 48 a m
Little River	9 15 a m
Godfrey	9 27 a m
Ar Madison	9 33 a m
Ar Madison	10 20 a m

GOING SOUTH—MAIL TRAIN.

Lv Madison	11 39 a m
Godfrey	12 17 a m
Little River	12 23 a m
Machon	12 23 a m
Lv Monticello	12 35 a m
Minnetta	1 25 p m
Adgate	1 33 p m
Machon	1 49 p m
Hillsboro	1 49 p m
Wayside	2 12 p m
Barrows	2 19 p m
Frank's	2 22 p m
Grays	2 24 p m
Morton	2 24 p m
Roberts	2 41 p m
M. Sney's Mill	2 54 p m
Ar Madison	3 06 p m
Ar Madison	3 16 p m

GOING NORTH—FREIGHT TRAIN.

Lv Macon	3 30 p m
Lv Grays	3 30 p m
Ar Monticello	6 24 p m

GOING SOUTH—FREIGHT TRAIN.

Lv Monticello	8 23 a m
Lv Grays	10 20 a m
Ar Madison	11 35 a m

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columns.)

## TOWN AND COUNTY.

Mrs. E. G. HARDEMAN, Local Editor.

When are we to have that barbe-  
cue?

We have had refreshings rains  
during the past week and farmers  
are happy.

The Monticello Sunday Schools  
passed through yesterday to picnic  
at the park in Macon.

President Northern will address  
the citizens of Monticello and Jas-  
per County July 3rd.

The 4th of July, in Macon, bids  
fair to be a grand day. Gov. Gor-  
don will deliver an address.

Col. Machen says he expects to  
reach Athens by the 4th of July. The  
week is being pushed right along.

Cards are out for the marriage of  
Mr. Burton Smith to Miss Fanny,  
daughter of Gov. Gordon, the 19th  
inst.

We are placed under many obli-  
gations to one of Jones most progre-  
sive farmers, Mr. J. P. Hunt, of  
Round Oak for a huge turnip of the  
strap laid variety that measured 32 1/2  
in circumference, and weighed 3 lbs  
94 ounces.—Jasper County News.

Yes, Mr. Hunt is one of our most  
substantial farmers and as such we  
are glad to claim him as a citizen of  
our county, and only wish that his  
plan of raising home supplies was  
more universally practiced.

Hurray for Col. Machen. He has  
gained another victory. The injunc-  
tion case in Madison last week was  
decided in his favor, and thus the  
work goes on.

It is to be hoped our readers have  
carefully read and considered the  
extracts we have copied in this and  
last weeks issue of the Headlight from  
Professor Sanford's essay on good  
common roads. Our public roads are  
a reflection on our civilization, and  
the public mind needs to be educa-  
ted on this question.

A movement is on foot among the  
merchants of Macon to arrange with  
the different railroads running into  
the city to put on "shoo-fly" or accom-  
modation trains. This will be quite  
a convenience, as the trains will stop  
not only at the different crossings, but  
anywhere on the road, when  
waved down, to take on passengers.

## AN ACCIDENT.

There was a collision of trains on  
the C & M at Macon last Tuesday.  
The passenger train left at 3:30, but  
being too heavily laden returned, and  
leaving off the cars, and in doing so,  
the construction train ran into the  
rear coach and tore up things  
considerably. Mr. Davidson, engineer  
of the construction train, was  
rightly badly hurt. He was car-  
ried to his boarding house, and Dr.  
Walker, physician of the C & M B R  
called in.

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for farmers at a total commission of  
12 per cent, with interest at eight  
per cent, payable once a year, to wit  
on Dec. 1st.

J. C. BARROW, Atty. Law,  
June 9th 8m. Clinton Ga.

## CLINTON LOCALS.

Good rain Monday.

Crops growing fast.

Willie Childs is still critically ill  
in Clinton as scarce as  
"garden peas."

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stocumb was in  
town Friday.

We have on our "work table" the  
Delinquent for July.

Housewives all complaining of  
poor gardens and few vegetables.

Mrs. Jab and Miss Irene Stewart  
were in town Tuesday.

2nd Quarterly meeting was held  
at Pitts Chapel on the 7th.

Rev. G. W. Yearbrough P. E.  
spent Wednesday night in Clinton.

Bianth Hardeman, who was cut  
by Jake Hutchings on the 3d is able  
to sit up.

Girls awfully busy getting ready  
to attend Wesleyan and Mercer  
Commencement.

Rev. Mr. Jones of Macon preached  
at Sardis last Sunday to a large  
congregation.

Mr. Ben Woodall who was so  
severely kicked by a mule last week  
is suffering greatly with his ankle.

Miss Rimmie Chiles with Mr. F.  
M. Stewart spent last Sunday very  
pleasantly with Miss Kate Morgan.

Preaching at Elum last Sunday.  
Several pretty girls with attendant  
gallants passed through going there.

Master Holmes Johnson got home  
Tuesday from Emory College where  
he has been since October.

Mrs. Jas F. Barron, Misses Lois  
Johnson, Maude Hardeeman, and  
Mrs. R. B. Barron are attending  
Wesleyan Commencement.

We have seen a beet of this year's  
crop, from Dr. S. C. Parsleys gar-  
den which measured 17 inches in  
diameter.

L. S. Hill is still taking those  
good pictures. His photo last week  
of the Senior class (over seventy)  
of the W. F. College and made a tell-  
ing success of the same.

The third Georgia Regiment will  
have a reunion at Madison the 8th  
and 9th of August. There will be  
150 or more carcasses barbecued and  
they are going to have a big time  
generally.

Our Jones county friends Misses  
Sallie E. Barron and Belle Stewart  
will graduate. We have received a  
programme of the Commencement  
exercises of G. M. and A. College  
Milledgeville with invitation to at-  
tend same. Commencement ser-  
mon on the 17th.

Our "four year old" boy gets off  
some right pert hot words. We  
have a pig gray male, with the  
cunningest cognomen, "Jule," of  
whom he is exceeding fond. Hear-  
ing us speak of "running the R. R.  
Schedule" in the Headlight, he  
exclaimed, "I bet if you ekeer Jule  
and she runs through that Head-  
light she'll bust it all to pieces."

"Ye Edithers" and family have  
received cards to the marriage of  
Miss Fanny, daughter of Governor  
Gordon, to Mr. Burton Smith of  
Atlanta. The ceremony takes place  
in the Central Presbyterian Church  
Atlanta next Tuesday evening June  
10th. Mr. Smith is a brother of  
Col. Eke Smith and had a young  
attorney of brilliant promise while  
Miss Fanny is universally admired.

## DEATH OF COL. E. C. GRIER.

Col. E. C. Grier, Secretary of the  
Georgia State Agricultural Society,  
died at his home in this city on  
Wednesday night, 30th ult. Col.  
Grier was born in North Carolina.  
He came to Macon, Ga., in 1858 or  
59, and began the practice of law as  
a member of the firm of Poe, Grier  
& Poe. In 1861, when the war be-  
gan between the States, he entered  
the Confederate service as Senior  
First Lieutenant of the Jackson  
Artillery. In 1862, he retired from  
field service and gave his attention  
to the manufacture of arms and  
ammunitions of war at Griswoldville,  
his home. In 1864 that beautiful  
village, so long famous for its man-  
ufacturing enterprise, was burned  
to ashes, with the exception of a  
few houses, by the Federal army.  
It was never rebuilt and after the  
war closed Col. Grier engaged in  
farming. He planted a vineyard  
which became noted for its  
choice grapes and excellent wine.  
His devotion to agriculture, his  
success as a farmer, and his fine

business tact rendered him emi-  
nently qualified for the responsible  
position of Secretary of the Georgia  
State Agricultural Society. He  
was elected to this position many  
years ago and discharged the duties  
thereof with great fidelity up  
to the time he was prostrated with  
the disease which terminated in  
death.

We pause here to say that as we  
write the deep toned bell of the  
First Presbyterian church is tolling  
his funeral knell, while a large con-  
course of sorrowing friends are pay-  
ing their last tribute to his memo-  
ry.

Col. Grier was twice married.  
His first wife was Miss Francis Poe,  
daughter of Hon. Washington Poe,  
of this city. Some years after her  
death he was united in marriage to  
Mrs. Dorsey, daughter of Col. Gris-  
wold, the founder of Griswoldville.  
The last wife and five children  
survive him.

Col. Grier was possessed of many  
noble traits of character, and the  
announcement of his death will carry  
sadness to many hearts throughout  
the State and country.

Rest, sweetly rest, noble old  
friend.

## NOTHING NEW TO HIM.

A lady carrying an umbrella en-  
tered the street car, but before she  
could take a seat the car plunged  
forward with an awkward jerk.  
The lady, in attempting to regain  
her equilibrium, whacked her um-  
brella against the head of a gentle-  
man.

"Oh! sir, I beg a thousands pardons,  
sir. These drivers are so care-  
less. Hope you are seriously in-  
jured, sir."

"Oh! no, m's'am. I am a married  
man and am used to little knocks  
like that."

Miss Laura Jones, the Georgia  
girl who is said to have invented a  
new plow and corn planter, ought to  
be known by name all over the  
country by this time. For some  
weeks it has been a difficult matter  
to pick up a Northern paper which  
did not contain some reference to  
her. The latest is that she is a  
cousin of Mrs. Paul Alderson, nee  
Julia Hurst, the electric weaver,  
who brought home a pile of North-  
ern money. This suggests that  
Miss Jones might take her inven-  
tions North and sell them for a very  
neat sum.

## A FEW DOTS FROM TWIGGS.

Mr. Editor—Perhaps a short  
letter from this section might be  
of interest to some of your readers.

## THE CROP PROSPECT.

Corn, where it was planted early,  
and was well fertilized, and has  
been well cultivated is looking well.  
Cotton, as a general thing, is small.

Most of our farmers, this year, plant  
ed late. A few, however, planted  
early and their cotton is a good  
size and is doing well. I expect  
one-third of the cotton is still to  
chop. Spanish peas, is now, one of  
our best and surest crops. Every  
farmer ought to raise them. Hogs  
can be let in on them in August,  
and they are fine feed for them.  
This climate is well adapted to su-  
gar-cane, and it is planted here ex-  
tensively. Dr. O'Daniel, near Bal-  
lard's in 1886 made eight barrels of  
fine syrup, for which he realized  
from 50 to 75 cents per gallon, for  
all that he would sell. Potatoes do  
well here, and they seem to come in  
earlier than they do in some coun-  
tries. The truth is, old Twigg is a  
good country.

## HEALTH.

There has been considerable sick-  
ness all through this section this  
year. Mumps, measles, etc., have  
been raging; but in most cases they  
have been in a light form. We  
have had a few cases of fever and  
several cases of dysentery. I have  
been called upon this year to at-  
tend six funerals, all females.

## POLITICS.

As Jones, Wilkinson and Twigg  
forms the twenty-first Senatorial  
district, and as it is Twigg's time  
for the Senator perhaps you would  
like to know something of the two  
candidates now in the field. I am  
glad to say, however, that they are  
both good men. Either of them  
would make us, I think, a good,

honest representative in the upper  
house. I will now give you their  
names: Mr. George Z. Glover, son  
of Hon. James T. Glover of this  
county, one of the best families in  
Georgia, and who at the time of his  
death was representing the county  
in the Legislature. He was an hon-  
est, conscientious, christian gentle-  
man and fully competent for the  
place. The other candidate is Col.  
L. D. Shannon, a rising young law-  
yer of Jeffersonville. He is a young  
man of good habits, thoroughly  
competent, and has a bright future  
before him.

I learn that Col. R. S. Griffin is  
in the field for representative, and,  
they tell me, he is "hard to beat."  
Up to this time, I have heard of no  
opposition. I think most of the old  
county officers, as they have made  
good records for faithfulness and  
efficiency will be re-elected.  
Jeffersonville, June 6'88. S. L.

## THE INJUNCTION DENIED.

Col. Probst yesterday received a  
telegram from Madison from Col. E.  
C. Machen, saying that the injunc-  
tion sued out by parties there en-  
joining further work on the road to  
Athens had been denied.

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paper regularly from a post-office,  
whether directed to his address or  
another, is responsible for the pay-  
ment.

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ages, or the publisher may continue  
to send it until the payment is made,  
and collect the whole amount,  
whether the paper is taken from the  
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