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HAIL AND RAIN STORM STRIKES OUR VALLEY

Severe Hail and Rain Storm Sweeps Over This Section Doing Thousands of Dollars Worth of Damage
FRUITS, VEGETABLES AND OTHER CROPS ARE DESTROYED
Stock Killed, Other Damage—Telephone Company Suffers House Struck By Lightning—Traffic Stopped

That was some rain, yes, and a wee bit of hail too. It began raining the latter part of last week in a nicely gentle manner and kept at it off and on, mostly on, until the ground was thoroughly soaked. But that was not sufficient for Jupiter Pluvius so Sunday afternoon we had a young river dumped out on us, with a goodly supply of hail on the side just to make it interesting.

Monday it appeared for a time that we would have a treat of that bright sunshine for which this state is noted. However, rather early in the day portentous clouds began to appear in the heavens and late in the afternoon the hardest rain up to that time fell, also the biggest amount of hail stones.

But the genuine article in the way of a hail storm was reserved for Monday night. Between 10 o'clock a cloud came up from the east and carried with it, in addition to a young ocean of water, a tremendous amount of hail. In fact words cannot really describe that hail storm. It was simply fierce.

We do not remember to have seen larger hail stones. Many were large as hen eggs and some much larger. We tried to get an estimate of the damage done, but it is not possible at this writing.

ing. It will run into the thousands of dollars. Virtually everything in the path of the storm, in the way of vegetables, fruits, and crops was destroyed. Quite a few cattle, hogs and chickens were killed. Every house where the hail struck was more or less damaged. Every business house in Portales suffered some damage and some estimate their loss at from \$1,000 to \$1,500.

There was an electric storm while the hail was playing havoc with everything. Nearly every telephone in Portales was put out of commission, one house in the northeast part of the city was struck by lightning. The railroad had one bridge near Elida washed out and considerable of its track about two miles south of town. Traffic was delayed for several days.

It is said that every cloud has a silver lining. The silver lining in this instance is the fact that hundreds of rabbits and prairie dogs were killed and there is sufficient season in the earth to all but make forage and some other crops. Grass will also be extremely fine in a short time. Some have said that the benefits received will overbalance the damage done. The most optimistic people on the face of the globe are these western folks. Come to the golden, glorious west.

Candidate for Legislature

In this issue of the Herald-Times will be found the announcement of Coe Howard as a candidate for the legislature subject to the action of the democratic party. You will also find his platform in this issue.

Mr. Howard was born at Dumbo, Hopkins county Texas, in 1880. He was reared on the farm and attended the country schools. Later he graduated from the law department of the Cumberland University at Lebanon Tennessee. He spent some years in Oklahoma stock-farming. Ten years ago Mr. Howard came to Portales and has since been engaged in the real estate business. He has traveled quite extensively over the southwest, this coupled with his long residence and legal knowledge, he feels, fits him well to serve the best interests of this section, and he says he will certainly be on the job every hour of the day if elected.

From Indiana

Miss Mary Nickelson of Indiana arrived Saturday of last week. Miss Nickelson was here sometime ago and purchased some land, as and investment, but upon returning to her home in Indiana, found the lure of the Portales Valley to great to resist and will in the future make Portales her home.

New Business Concern

G. S. Hatch, who has lived in this section for most of seven years, opened up a dry goods and notion business Tuesday in the Reece building next door to the postoffice.

Mr. Hatch has had experience in the mercantile business, and comes to Portales because he believes in the future of the coming city of the west.

Broom Corn Buyer Calls

H. W. Davidson was a pleasant caller at the Herald-Times office Wednesday.

Mr. Davidson represents a broom corn company that is buying broom corn extensively in this section. He states that his company paid out to the farmers of Roosevelt and Curry counties last year \$25,000 for broom corn.

Mr. Davidson says more broom corn will be grown in this section in 1914 than was grown in 1913.

Leon Jones left the latter part of last week for Tushka, Oklahoma, to resume his duties with the Planters State Bank of that city.

New Mexico College

We acknowledge an invitation to attend the twenty-first annual commencement exercises May 21-28. There are seven graduates this year from this worthy institution.

Roy Connally made a business trip to Clovis last week.

Autoed to Portales

Tuesday two automobiles left Hutchinson Kansas for the great Portales country. Ed A. King, Chas. A. Payne, E. J. Whitroder, C. B. Copeland, and others whose names we failed to learn, were in the cars. They say the roads are simply delightful from Kansas to this place when there has not been all sorts of wet rain as was the case this time.

Owing to some swollen streams it became necessary to ship the automobiles part of the way by train. Some amusing and thrilling experiences were had by these gentlemen. Mr. Copeland had a most joyous time, nit, in crossing beaver creek. If you should ever see him ask about it, provided you are at a safe distance from him. Rather than buy gasoline in Clovis Mr. King and party hung up in the sand hills north of Portales for a couple of more hours. It was a great trip anyway so the bunch say.

Auditors Here

Traveling auditor Howell Ernest and his two assistants Messrs. Keigel and Wooters came in Saturday of last week to check up our county officials. They will in all probability be here for a week or ten days.

Dr. Roberts Here

Dr. Frank H. H. Roberts, president of the Las Vegas Normal, was in our city a few days this week. He delivered the Baccalaureate sermon to the senior class of the high school, Sunday morning at the Methodist church.

A. U. Kearns Wins

Some time since the Connally Coal company advertised through this paper that they would give a ton of coal and a cord of wood to the person suggesting the best name for the coal sold by them in Portales. A large number of names were turned in, but A. U. Kearns was the lucky fellow. He takes the prize. The name submitted is, "Mon-sa-co." Which means "money saving coal." This, no doubt, will be hereafter a very popular coal in our city and surrounding country.

The Civic and Art Club

This club held a very pleasant social meeting at Mrs. T. E. Mears on Monday the 11th inst. Several visitors were present in honor of Mrs. Wollard, who has returned to Raton, instead of remaining here at home as was at first intended.

A two course luncheon was served which was a delicate treat.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jas. Hall Monday at 2 p. m. Election of officers for the coming year will take place and also the election of a delegate to the biennial in Chicago which convenes June 9th to 19th. The following program will be given. Parliamentary drill. Unemployment and the Religious Citizenship league, Mrs. Dunaway. Uniform marriage laws and health certificates, Mrs. Inda Humphrey. Standardization of health and hygiene provisions in tenements and dwellings, Mrs. A. B. Seay. Pensions for needy widows, Mrs. L. R. Hough. Reporter

Dr. R. E. Duncan of Clovis was a visitor in our city Monday.

Obituary

George W. Wilson was born on the 4th day of March, 1855 in Fayette county, Tennessee, thus making him 59 years, 2 months, and 2 days old at the time of his death, which occurred on the 6th day of May, 1914, at Taiban, New Mexico.

He is survived by two sisters and four brothers as follows: J. E. Wilson, Wiliton, Tennessee; J. A. Wilson, Mullington, Tennessee; W. M. Wilson, Taiban, New Mexico; Mrs. Sarah Darbison, Kenefick, Oklahoma; T. H. Wilson, Kerrville, Tennessee; and Mrs. Maggie Gray, Homer, La. His father, mother, one brother, and one sister have preceded him to the better world.

He united with the Ebenezer Missionary Baptist church, that being his old home church in 1897. At the time of his death he was a member of the First Baptist church of Taiban, New Mexico. During the past two years he had been a member of the Baptist State Missionary Board of New Mexico. In this capacity he labored with untiring zeal for the betterment of conditions in the Baptist church in New Mexico.

He was also an active member of the Woodmen of the World. The sick and needy always received ready attention at his hand. It has been said that he waited upon more sick people than any other person in Taiban.

During his early manhood he spent 21 years as a traveling salesman. On deciding to quit that occupation he came to New Mexico and located on a claim near Taiban, in February, 1906. He, with others, organized the firm of Wilson Brothers & Co, a dry goods establishment in Taiban in December, 1906.

After the town of Taiban was well established it became necessary to establish a grave-yard. Mr. Wilson was a member of the committee who selected and laid out the present grave-yard.

How fitting it is that he should be laid to rest in the very spot where he had selected as the burial place of others.

Mr. Wilson was a consistent Christian, a good neighbor, and in every way an excellent citizen. His last years were spent in an honest effort to assist in the up-building of Taiban and community.

The funeral services were conducted at the First Baptist church in Taiban on May 7th, 1914, at 2:15 o'clock p. m. Rev. T. Y. Atwood assisted by Rev. N. H. Prince conducted the services. The text was: "If a man die, shall he live again?" Mrs. W. H. Thurmond, assisted by the choir, furnished excellent music for the occasion.

Immediately after the services at the church the Woodmen of the World took charge of the remains and conducted the ceremonies at the grave. The Woodmen furnished pall bearers to convey the body to the church.

The Taiban ban, led by Mr. Alex Ballantyne, furnished music at the grave.

The Taiban school dismissed for the funeral and burial services. The school marched from the school house to the church, and also to the grave.

The procession was one of the largest ever seen in Taiban. The following order was observed;

ROOSEVELT COUNTY PREPARING FOR COUNTY FAIR

President and Secretary Calls Meeting of the Citizens To Be Held In Court House May 30, at 1 p. m.
FINANCIAL AFFAIRS IN GOOD CONDITION FROM 1914
Secretary Fairly Has Things In Fine Shape—A Bigger and Better Fair For The County This Year

The Roosevelt county fair association, by its president and secretary-treasurer, reports as follows, to wit:

That on October, 8th, 1913, the county commissioners of the county, paid to the association's secretary-treasurer, the sum of \$500.00 pursuant to the provisions of the statute providing for the formation and establishment of the county fair association.

That the record books of the association show that of the said amount, \$390.50, has been paid out as awards or premiums on exhibits at the county fair held on the 2nd, and 3rd, days of October 1913.

That the said amount was distributed among approximately 100 different people-citizens of Roosevelt county and approximately 200 premium subjects.

The association secretary-treasurer now has in bank, to the credit of the association, the sum of \$109.50, the same being the balance of the said \$500.00.

That none of said appropriation has been expended on account of expense of holding said fair, the expense for that account

having been met by certain citizens of the town of Portales.

That the foregoing statement may be verified from the books of the association at any reasonable hour.

Wherefore, the undersigned, president and secretary-treasurer of the association, respectfully submit the foregoing and beg to call attention to the fact that any future operations by the association are in the hands of its members—the citizens of Roosevelt county—and we further respectfully recommend that they come together in a public meeting for the purpose of electing officers for the association for the present year and for such other purposes as may be determined upon at such meeting.

To that end and purpose, the undersigned officers of the association hereby call such public meeting to be held in the court house in Portales, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of the 30th, day of May 1914.

Respectfully Submitted,
J. A. FAIRLY, W. E. LINDSEY,
Sec.-Treas. President.

1st the Taiban ban, 2nd the hearse 3rd the Woodmen of the World, 4th the Taiban public school, 5th the relatives and near friends, 6th the friends and neighbors.
C. P. Stone

Tribute of Respect

To the editor of the Herald-Times, as you requested I will write a short tribute of respect to the members of our Confederate camp comrades, Bro. Heck, Jones and Burrows, who died in one week May 5th to 12th. All were of the same age 71 years old. All were faithful soldiers of the lost cause, and all cherished the memories of that eventful struggle with religious devotion.

Looking back 50 years one can see the mistakes that brought on the war. I have no wish to define slavery, but call attention to the fact that it was forced on us first by Great Britain and later by the New England ship owners engaged in the slave trade and when the slave trade was finally abolished the protest came from these same ship owners.

While secession was bad policy it was clearly within the rights of any state as can be shown by the writings and speeches of Adams and other New England statesmen in the first quarter of the last century when the first intimation of secession came from New England slavery is abolished but the race problem is not settled yet. It will demand wise and thoughtful statesmanship to solve.

States-Rights was defeated are gradually drifting into a strong centralized government, which seems necessary to solve

the industrial problems of the present age.

May the patriotism and love of country which inspired the Confederate soldiers in the 60's and that has sustained him in the last half century of trials and troubles inspire and sustain their descendants in the years to come.

Comrades Heck, Jones, and Burrows are gone before. A few years more and our camp will all have crossed the river to answer the when the roll is called up yonder may we all be ready.—C. L. CARTER

Injunction Papers Served

Deputy Sheriff Ben Clayton served papers on the three members of the school board Friday afternoon, citing them to appear before Judge Richardson, District Judge at Roswell Wednesday, May 20th to show cause, if any, why the bonds of school district No. 30, should not be cancelled. The directors are named as defendants with county treasurer, M. B. Jones in the injunction case filed by W. D. Klutts et al.

The plaintiff alleges that the bond election was illegal because women voted and also claims that Z. H. Woods and Willie Mae Culbertson voted illegally. Another allegation is that there were illegal signers on the petition for the election to be called. The board held a meeting immediately and began preparation to fight the case.—Taiban Herald.

Mrs. A. I. Kuykendall and son, Joe, old time residents of Portales, but now living at Slayton, Texas, came in Monday for a visit with relatives and friends

COE HOWARD

Announces as Candidate For Legislature

Subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary. Below you Will Find His Platform

Realizing that the future prosperity of our state and its people depend largely on the enactment of such laws as will give every individual equal opportunity and any party seeking this responsible position as I see it should be able to look beyond class or special interest and keep well in mind the many classes of people that he will represent, and should be qualified to justly protect the wage earner along with those who deal in millions with this end in view I submit the following for your consideration.

If elected I will be fair with every interest I will be a friend to the laboring man and also deal fair and just with any interest that will help to build our great state; one of the great necessities for the prosperity and development of our new state is cheap money, the present national democratic administration has set out to inaugurate a national rural credit system the state should cooperate with the national government in bringing to the farmers and rural citizens cheap money.

I believe that agriculture should be encouraged, scientific farming should be promoted to the end that our state would produce more in quantity as well as quality, and under the state department of agriculture there should be a marketing system installed so the producer will receive the greater results in the sale of his products.

I believe a juror fee should be taxed in all civil cases, same to be paid by losing party and collected as other costs, I think we can lessen our tax burden in many other ways, one for example, would be that after issues are joined in civil matters parties wishing a jury should file notice with the clerk, otherwise the case would be placed on non juror docket. I think the service of the court reporter should also be taxed against the losing party in all civil actions, why should the man who adjusts his affairs out of court be required to pay a tax to furnish a jury to others carrying on litigation. I am in favor of giving additional jurisdiction to the Probate courts in civil matters not involving more than \$1000 and over criminal matters involving misdemeanors as it will expedite justice and greatly lessen our burdens of taxation.

I believe convict labor should be used on public roads, for good roads is good business by means of good roads cities, towns, villages, rural communities, are brought closer together distant farmers are saved great expense and time in getting to market, good roads increases property values.

I believe we should regulate our fees paid to county say for example you have a mortgage for \$50 and the bank or other larger interests holds one for \$10,000 it would cost you just as much to file your \$50 mortgage for record as the \$10,000, I believe the fees should be regulated according to amount of instrument ranging from 25c up.

I believe in a gross revenue tax on all public service corporations such as railroads, telegraph Co., telephone Co., Pullman Co., coal mines, I am also in favor of a reduction in passenger fare and a regulation of freight rates so that our products may be placed on the market on the same basis

with our competitors of other states similar located.

I am in favor of state wide prohibition.

I feel that by means of the above outlined legislation along with other laws that may be enacted and that I favor our tax burden will be greatly reduced.

As to the county officials salary bill I feel that perhaps this bill will be among the first to be presented at our next legislature and I will favor a just and reasonable salary for all officials but do not feel that the tax payers of our state should be forced to pay an unjust or unreasonable salary to any person.

I have never hampered the progress of our democratic party by supporting the nominee of the socialist or other party nominee, I have always been a democrat and stood out in the open and fought for the rights as I saw it.

I will respect the opinion of others who differ with me in politics so long as their opinions are for the benefit of the masses and shall look with contempt on those who seek to widen the political differences of the people.

New Mexico is no longer looked upon as a barren waste but is fast being populated with a class of law abiding self respecting brave and progressive people who with proper laws and good government will soon rank with any state of her size and population, our mountains are stored with exhaustless treasures of coal and other minerals and covered with valuable forests, our valleys are fast becoming the garden spots of the world where irrigation is susceptible our plains are proving to be second to none for the industry of stock farming and with this in view I pledge my every effort to enact such laws as are herein discussed and will from time to time give the voters my views as I see them on different subjects and assuring you that there is no one on earth who will appreciate your support more than myself I respectfully ask for your support.

COE HOWARD.

Beets for Dairy Cattle

The most profitable crop that can be grown in the west especially for dairy cattle is the giant long red stock beet. With good average culture and land twenty to thirty tons per acre may be produced. While this variety is not quite so good as the sugar beet yet the yield is fully one-third more and the growing is just the same. Mixed with dry food during the winter months these beets keep the cows in a healthy, thriving condition and will make the milk supply fully as great as if they were kept on a first class green pasture. In order to get the best results at the least expense the beets should be cut with a vegetable cutter, however, a sharp corn knife can be used to good advantage when only preparing food for two or three cows. Not only dairy cows but horses, hogs, sheep and poultry are all fond of beets and it is a most excellent winter ration for them. It is a crop that is easily grown, especially when the grower is supplied with regular beet implements. Beets can be grown and harvested for four dollars per ton, and at current prices for other feed, are worth seven and a half per ton. The Roswell Seed company informs us that for the past eight years they have never been enough grown to supply the demand. Stock men in Chaves county are discussing the advisability of growing them in large quantities for fattening sheep for the spring markets also for dairy stock.

Christian Church Services

Bible school 9 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Subject: Monumental Institutions. Preaching 3 p. m. at the Pleasant view school house You are invited.

The Local Field

E. J. Withroder, of Kansas, who owns a choice irrigated farm in the valley has been here this week looking over his interests. He said to the Herald Times man, "I am mighty well pleased with the valley and my investment."

See N. C. Landers or phone No. 144 when you have a suit to clean and press. He also makes a specialty of ladies suits and skirts. All work guaranteed.

Ed A. King, of Hutchison Kansas, was a prospector to the Portales country this week. He is delighted with the great possibilities of this section.

Dr. D. D. Swearingin, of the firm of Prealey and Swearingin, eye ear and nose specialists of Roswell, New Mexico will be in Portales, at Neer's Drug Store 20-21 22 of each month.

Major Bujac, of Carlsbad, one of the first attorneys of the Pecos Valley and an allround booster, was transacting business in the hub of the upper valley this week.

Patronize home industry. Buy home manufactured products. Buy your ice cream from Portales drug store.

J. H. Shepard returned from Texico-Farwell Monday after a ten days visit in that section. He reports lots of rain and that section in good shape.

White House grocery company sole agents for Wichita Best and Golden Seal flour. Chas. N. Payne, a hustling real-estate man of Kansas and a great believer in the Portales Valley was here this week with some good live prospectors.

Flood and Storm Damage—flood and storm damaged goods at Joyce-Fruit company on sale very cheap.

The accuracy and completeness of the El Paso Herald Mexico war service is unsurpassed. A three month's subscription to the El Paso Daily Herald at \$1.80, includes the 1914 edition of the Americana Encyclopedia. This offer is good only until June 15th Send your check or money order today.—El Paso Herald, El Paso, Texas.

Miss Willie Mae Culberson, who has been teaching school at Tiabon, returned the latter part of last week to spend vacation with home folks.

The White House grocery company buys the farmers produce.

Dick Noble of Clovis was a visitor in the city the first of the week.

For staple and fancy groceries trade at the White House Gro. Co. Lewis Anderson and wife of Rogers are visitors in the hub this week.

Storm damaged outing wet by leakage only slightly damaged, on sale at 6-1-2 Joyce Fruit Co.

Mrs. W. E. Dawn left Thursday for Des Moines New Mexico to be with her sister, Miss Grace Johnson who is reported dying.

Giant Long Red, Stock Beets. Send to Roswell Seed Co. for the seed.

J. R. Darnell transacted business in Elida Friday and Saturday of last week.

Little Miss Madge Shepard has been sick this week with fever.

The White House grocery company will treat you right.

There have been a number of prospectors in the valley and town during the week.

Full line of racket goods at the White House Gro. Co.

Patronize home industry. Buy home manufactured products. Buy your ice cream from C. M. Dobbs.

Miss Gertrude Horney of Elida is visiting friends in the city this week.

Notice of Sale of Bonds

The qualified electors of school district number forty-nine of Roosevelt county, State of New Mexico, having by a majority vote, at an election held on the sixth day of April, 1914, at which such question was submitted, authorized the issuance and sale of the negotiable bonds of said school district in the sum of seven hundred dollars, and which said bonds will mature in thirty years, but optional with said district after ten years, and which bear interest at five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of January and July of each year, therefore

Public notice is hereby given that I will on the 8th day of June 1914, at my office in the court house in Portales, New Mexico, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day, offer for to the highest bidder for cash the said issue of bonds of school district number forty-nine of Roosevelt county, New Mexico. Said bond issue being for the purpose of acquiring funds with which to erect a school building.

Witness my hand at Portales, New Mexico, this 11th day of May, 1914.

MOSES B. JONES,
Treasurer of Roosevelt County, New Mexico

Graded Union

The Teacher training class met in regular session at the high school building Tuesday May 12th.

There was not a large attendance but a very enthusiastic class did some splendid work. In the absence of the teacher Mrs. Shepard conducted the recitation the lesson being Old Testament history by periods. The drill work was especially fine. If you are not sure how to spell Ecclesiastes or whether it is Revelation or Revelations, join this class. We expect to continue this work and finish the course take the final examination and get our diplomas. There is no greater work.

Press reporter.

On Thursday of last week R. E. Curd of this city bought the Second hand business, located on South main street from A. M. Cordill. Mr. Curd will continue the business in the same location and would be glad to have all his friends call and see him when in need of anything in his line.

Dr. E. T. Hensley, owner of several sections of Portales Valley's most excellent land was in the city the latter part of last week for supplies.

Jim Burton, a prominent ranch man of the Ingram community was a pleasant caller at this office the latter part of last week. He reports everything in fine shape in his section.

Elbert Sandefer returned Thursday of last week from Oklahoma, for a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sandefer of this city.

C. M. Dobbs, the confectioner news dealer has recently installed an electric milk shaker and will in the future make 'em electrically.

EXCURSION FARES

Round-Trip Summer Tourist Fares...	
Denver, Colo.	\$26.85
Chicago, Ill.	44.85
Evansville, Ind.	43.05
Des Moines, Ia.	38.92
Marmoth Cave, Ky.	46.60
Kansas City, Mo.	28.35
St. Louis, Mo.	41.70
On sale daily May 15th to Sept. 30, 1914. Final limit Oct. 31, 1914.	
Los Angeles, Cal.	\$56.45
San Diego, Cal.	56.45
San Francisco, Cal.	50.30
Portland, Ore.	71.00
Seattle, Wash.	71.00
On sale daily June 1, to Sept. 30, 1914. Final limit Oct. 31, 1914.	

W.S. MERRILL, Agt.

HAIL! HAIL! HAIL!

The Storm Monday Night DEMONSTRATED the Fact that No Locality is IMMUNE from WIND or Hail Storms. We Write HAIL STORM INSURANCE That would have Replaced the Damage to every Property Owner IN Portales and the Cost is Very small, You better See us and Investigate this Hail Storm Insurance, WE ALSO Write Hail Insurance on Growing Crops, Except Cantaloupes. Call and see and talk it over.

BRALEY & BALL

"We Know How"

SAY?

Bring your repairing to the Valley repair shop or have us call and do it, auto, motorcycles and stationary engines a specialty. We do work that sticks and guarantee all of it. One half block south of depot.

W. E. HUDSON.

The Portales Tailoring Co.

Cleaning and Pressing. Tailored Suits. Your Patronage Will be Appreciated.

JIM WARNICA

I Would Like to ad my Guarantee in Connection with the Mills Guarantee to the Amarillo Flour, and ask my Customers to try it.

(15 Bars Laundry Soap for 25c)

Stricklands Grocery

Phone 11

Try It on the Most Difficult Things You Ever Bake

Double Value and Greater Strength

LAYTON'S HEALTH CUP

25 OUNCES

ONE SPOON

And Only One Cent an Ounce

MAKING POWDER

In 10, 15 & 25 Cans At All Good Grocers

Memorial Day at Elida

Elida is preparing to observe Memorial day in a most appropriate way, and all who are interested are invited to attend with well filled baskets and working tools. Speaking appropriate to the occasion will be delivered.

Short

Owing to sickness in the editor's family and other hindering causes, we are short on news matter this week. Next week we hope to give the story of the closing exercises of our school complete.