WES. GREENWALT, manufacturer of carriages, surreys, joggers, buggies, etc., his factory situated on the east side of Meridian street, near the old oak tree, Porland, Indianan, is one of the prominent business men of Portland. He understands every detail of his business, being master of three trades – woodwork, painting and trimming. He superintends his own business, employing a number of workmen. He has lived in Portland since 1870, with the exception of four years, from 1882 until 1886, when he was superintending a shop in Tippecanoe City, Ohio.

He was born in Greenville, Ohio, in 1842, a son of Jacob Greenwalt, who was also a carriage manufacturer, our subject learning his trade of his father. In June, 1862, Mr. Greenwalt enlisted in Company [page cut off] regiment being assigned to the Fourteenth Army Corps. He participated in many of the most important battles and campaigns of the war, among which were Stone River, Chickamauga, the Atlanta campaign, with Sherman to the sea, and was present when Gerneral Johnston surrended to General Sherman. He then went to Washington and took part in the grand review, and was there mustered out, and discharged at Columbus, Ohio, June 14, 1865. Mr. Greenwalt was married _____, ___, to _____. They have two sons – Harry, who works in the shop for his father, and Robert B.

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