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SOME FACTORS IN CANTALOUPE INDUSTRY

E. E. Cadwallader, Representing Crutchfield and Woolfolk Presents Several Phases of this Business

PORTALES WILL HAVE A LARGER ACREAGE THIS YEAR

Election of Officers for the Ensuing Association Year to be Held Saturday and Cantaloupes Signed Up

It is a recognized fact that every line of business has become highly specialized. This applies also to agriculture, which in its largest sense may be divided into two, production and distribution, each of these in a way being largely dependent upon the other for success.

Now some of the most serious difficulties confronting the growers in attempting to successfully market their products: Their distance from markets, their liability to sudden and violent fluctuations, their inability to secure accurate and complete information in regard to the conditions of the various markets, the number of cars rolling and etc.

Successful marketing of large quantities of perishable products requires accurate information at all times, not only in regard to the conditions in the various markets, but in regard to rolling supplies, the production in various sections of the country and the volume of competitive produce. It also requires familiarity with the demands and capacities of various markets, the class of fruit each market will take to the best advantage, an intimate knowledge of conditions which can be acquired only from long experience in the business and the markets themselves.

Successful distribution has become essentially a matter for specialists and experts, and in addition to what has been mentioned they must have at their command a working organization and equipment which makes it possible for them to quickly readjust their plans, change the destination of their shipments as suddenly as changing conditions may necessitate, and be at all times ready to take care of any emergency that may arise. The advantage of organizations are of course apparent, and fully appreciated by us all.

Co-operation has been the key to success in practically every line of business. Co-operative work is of vital importance to all growers of perishable fruit. It is a case where co-operation benefits the individual shipper by enabling him to ship in carload lots. Co-operation means united effort, all working together. It is one of the greatest forces of modern civilization. All of the great business enterprises of the country are the results of co-operation: If you co-operate you can get almost anything you want. It will also provide for better equipment in handling a crop in a section and the purchasing of seed, fertilizer, crates and etc., besides co-operating with marketing agents and distributors and railroads in marketing their output. It will also give the growers in certain local-

ities a chance to establish a certain brand or grade of product to put on the market which will create a demand for their goods; it will also introduce better methods in dealing with buyers, railway companies and etc.

The putting out of a standard brand from any district, which is kept strictly up to grade in every respect, and the control of which so far as marketing is concerned, is placed in the hands of a single competent organization for the purpose, will permit a wide and profitable advertisement for the entire territory, not as respects cantaloupes alone but in other lines of fruit as well.

The grower who expects to make the greatest success should have only one standard and that is, the very best product possible both as respects the quality of the fruit itself and the character of the package which they send to market. However careful the farmer may be in the production of his crop, and however fine fruit he may produce, he stands little show for very great prosperities, if his fruit is marketed in a careless or haphazard manner. E. E. CADWALLADER.

E. P. Aldredge Resigns

Rev. E. P. Aldredge tendered his resignation to the Baptist church here Sunday and same was accepted. Rev. Aldredge has been taking care of a church in Arkansas and after going there it became necessary for him to be placed under the care of a doctor and he thinks it will be best for him to not make a change from his present doctor and come back here. He is beyond a doubt the most able and fluent minister and town booster that has ever been in Portales. His first introduction to Portales came as the editor of the Herald in 1908 and from then on he has always been one of the men who were for the advancement of the town along all religious and business lines.

More Lasting Improvements

Mr. Sanders, the one time Oregon booster but now a staunch believer in Portales and the shallow water, has just finished the completion of a four room modern house on his farm west of town. Mr. Sanders knows a good thing when he sees it and is putting his money into it. He is now at work on a good barn for his stock and will soon have one of the best places in the county.

Mr. Hardy, the father of Dudley returned to his home in Oklahoma last week after a two day's visit with his son here.

GEORGE L. REESE FOR DISTRICT JUDGE APPOINTMENT



Although this paper is not a paper to tell of the good qualities of men and of companies and although we have never done so and will not do so merely to get the patronage of these men or companies, we do go around this statement here and bring to the public one man who deserves at the present time to be brought more before the public and let more be known of him.

He is one of the men who can stand for more to be known of him and that more, not hurt him as it does many men. He is one of the men who have stood behind the country, the town and the people of this community for many years; a man who is well known by virtually all of the citizens of the county; a man who has been before the public in Roosevelt county and in different parts of the state since 1904 and a man who now deserves to be repaid, or we might say advanced for the good that he has done the county and the people.

When we say he should be given consideration because of the fact that he is one of the upright citizens of the county, we do not say half. He should have the position because of the fact that he has been tried and proven and found wanting. He is capable of holding the position that he now asks at the hands of the people, and more, he can fill the position.

An upright man, having the confidence of the people; a man capable of the trust that he is asking for and last but not least, a man who will in all ways be more satisfactory to the district than any other man that can be selected from the entire district. This is the kind of a man we need for the assistant judge of the fifth judicial district, and that man is none other than Geo. L. Reese.

Portales and Roosevelt county have as a rule not been given the notice that they should have received at the hands of the governor in the matter of appointments, in fact Portales nor the county have any representation on the states affairs outside the senator and representative from this county. Now the governor has the chance to, at one and the same time, give Roosevelt county better representation and at the same time put on the bench one of the best qualified men that can be found not only in the district but in the State of New Mexico.

Roosevelt county poll one of the largest majority Democratic votes of the entire state and we accordingly have the right to ask at least this much from the governor and have the same honored. If we were merely asking for it on this ground it would be a different proposition but we again repeat, show us a better qualified man in the district and yes, we will say the state, we will not ask for the appointment of Mr. Reese.

Moved Here from Roswell

E. S. Mundy and family arrived the first of last week from Roswell where their home has been in the past and have rented the Joe Howard house that Mr. Nixon was living in. The judge moved out in order that Mr. Mundy have the house and is at present domiciled in his office. Mr. Mundy is one of the largest sheep men of this county and though his sheep are out on the railroad strip and that vicinity, Mr. Mundy will make his home here. He is the father of five little girls and after landing here on the ten o'clock train had them in school before the day was out.

Benefited by Climate

The Miss Allens who have been visiting here or rather here for their health for the past few months and who have been doing light housekeeping at Mrs. A. B. Seay's, left Monday for their home in Albia, Iowa. Their bad health has improved very much during their brief stay here, and in fact, so much that they thought it would not necessary for them to stay any longer. More people would come here for their health if they only realized the benefits that could be derived from a short stay.

JOHNSON BROTHERS PLAN MODEL FARM

Doctor Johnson of Gainsville, Texas and Carl, President of the Farmer's Association at Portales

PLAN A MODEL ALFALFA AND POLAND CHINA HOG FARM

Alfalfa and Hogs, with the Alfalfa Growing and the Hogs Bought, along with 25 Acres of Apples, Idea

Carl Johnson, the president of the Farmers' association, with his brother, Doctor Johnson of Gainsville, Texas, is probably doing as much for this valley as any one man in it.

Dr. Johnson has been here for the past few days looking over the work that has been accomplished since their beginning here some twelve months ago and says he is gratified at the results.

Carl and the doctor have a place known as the old Humphrey place out northwest of town, and are taking this place in charge and beginning work on it with the idea in view of making not only a modern home out of it but also a modern farm.

In commencing the work on the farm, the first step was the obtaining of water and the luck struck here has gone on down through all their operations and it is to be hoped will continue. Their water supply comes from a fifteen hundred gallon well that seems to have not the slightest idea of ever doing otherwise than getting better. Though they have a hundred and sixty acres they only mean for this half, or eighty acres, of it and will, as soon as necessity demands, put down another well on the other eighty. They pump their water with a solar oil engine and buy their fuel by the car along with three other progressive farmers.

The first year has seen some forty acres of alfalfa started and growing fine. This year sees them starting out with this field of alfalfa, several head of nice young heifers, three or four mares and last, but not least, some thoroughbred Poland China hogs. These hogs have not yet reached here but will be expressed here some time the last of this month. They were bought by the doctor at the Texas state fair and took away several blue ribbons. They are not to be excelled in Texas and that means they are good hogs. These hogs, the cows and mares will be the extent of the farming on the place this year, outside of the alfalfa that will be raised. There will be no truck planted at all but hogs and alfalfa will be given all the attention. There will be modern hog sheds with water connections and with every modern convenience and hog luxury. The Poland China's will be handled as they are handled in the old hog growing countries and the Portales Valley will in another year be more than proud of the blue ribbon hogs that she can get for stock purposes without having to send off for them.

The farm will be worked from the standpoint of a model farm and will be planted on all four

sides with mountain poplars. These trees will all be put out this fall and besides the hedge around the place, a twenty-five acre orchard will be put in. The trees for this orchard are already ordered and ready to be shipped out on a days notice. However, the Johnson's do not think that they will be ready for them before August but expect to have them all out by that time.

Dr. Johnson, who is a practicing physician in Gainsville, made a suggestion to the editor in regard to the advertising of the country and we will next week state that idea here for the benefit of others who probably as Dr. Johnson, would be glad to help in the matter.

District No.	7	8,000
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The above number shows to the schools for the first time how they stand in the subscription contest and we wish that all of those who are in any way interested would look it over carefully.

The contest has turned out as we kept trying to tell you that it would and a school with very few votes will carry off the organ. Now it is up to the children and older people of the community to wake up a little more and make one last effort to at least raise their number of votes to the number of ten thousand and then they will receive a neat well built globe for their school at least, and we will be surprised if the number of votes cast for the school getting the organ will run much over ten thousand.

Of course we are more than pleased with the way the contest has turned out so far and will be delighted to give the organ to Eiland, which is the district now having the largest number of votes, if it is in the lead when the contest finishes April the last. If it will only take two subscriptions to put you up with them and three to put you ahead of them so work up a little and see what you can do about the matter.

New stock wall paper just arrived at Dobb's.

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A DEMOCRATIC NEWSPAPER

Subscription \$1 Year in Advance

R. P. CONNALLY, Editor



The New Cabinet

Following we give the names of the men who will be the first aid to the injured for the next four years, namely the new president's cabinet. The cabinet remains as follows:

Secretary of State, William Jennings Bryan, Nebraska.

Treasurer, Wm. G. McAdoo, New York.

War, Lindley M. Garrison, of New Jersey.

Attorney general, James McReynolds, Tennessee.

Postmaster general, Representative Albert S. Burleson, Texas.

Navy, Josephus Daniels, North Carolina.

Interior, Franklin K. Lane, of California.

Agriculture, David A. Houston, Missouri.

Commerce, Representative W. C. Redford, New York.

Labor, Representative Wm. B. Wilson, Pennsylvania.

These men are not the men possibly you nor I would have selected but they were selected as men who should have the place by authority of what they knew and that they could handle it better than any other and not merely because they were Democrats and had worked for the party. If they had been selected on this account there would probably be a different line up in the cabinet today. President Wilson did not even know two of them, except by reputation, and this reputation was what counted.

Chance for Factory

Portales has the chance to kill two birds with one stone and it would not cost her anything to do it either. Peculiar expression but its so just the same. Frank Shaw, one of the old timers here, is on a deal to buy a large broom factory over at Albuquerque and bring same here, at the same time putting in with the broom factory a small or large grist mill as the trade demands, thus giving to the farmers a chance to have a great deal of their broom corn made up here and get better prices for it and at the same time give them a chance to get home made meal and corn chops at a very small expense. We need both of the industries and think that the merchants should get together and make some kind of a deal whereby this large factory could be located. We have one small factory here now and their brooms are second to none, but what is the use shipping the number of cars of broom corn away from here and having it made up when it could be made up here just as easy by a larger factory and Portales get the benefit of the extra money that

would come from the sale of the brooms. Where the second bird would come in would be in getting Frank located permanently as a member of the band, for the band needs a good alto player and Frank fills the bill.

Roy Connally and wife left the first of the week for Roswell where Mrs. Connally will be operated on. They will probably be back some time the first of the next week.

KNOW IT WELL

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L. S. VANCE

Portales New Mexico

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Don't throw away your old safety razor blades, but send them today, well wrapped, and do not delay it until tomorrow.

Price, 30c. per dozen for all safety razor blades, which include Gillette, Ever-Ready, Gem, Auto-Stop, Enders, Keen-Kutter and all other makes. Your blades will be returned to you in a few days, charges, prepaid. Send coin or money order. No orders accepted under 30c.

Wrap blades securely in a card board box. Do not send them in an ordinary envelope, the blades may cut through and be lost. Include your name and P. O. address on the package.

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EXCHANGE COLUMN

All notices of exchange of not over ten lines will be entered in this column for two consecutive issues free of charge to all subscribers. Notices to appear on Thursday must be in by Wednesday noon.

This space cannot be bought. We give it to our subscribers.

Have several Poland China pigs to trade for corn or maize. W. F. Faggard.

Want to trade 80 acres farming and near Buffalo, Missouri, for Portales Valley land. A. G. Troutt.

For Sale or Trade — Three Model F Buicks and one Maxwell. All good, rebuilt five passenger touring cars. Will sell or trade for cattle, sheep or hogs. Call at Garage and look them over. Vaughan Auto & Trans. Co.

To exchange \$25.00 Range and 70 tooth section harrow to exchange for 2 tons of maize. O.S. Srickland.

To exchange — Marlin repeating 12 gauge shotgun to trade for lister planter. Call at this office.

To exchange — One or two bushels fancy black wax and valentine beans to trade for any thing. E. C. Murrell.

To exchange — Riding lister and cultivator, fourteen inch walking plow and numerous small tools to trade for stock of any kind. Slim Snell, Delphos.

Exchange — Work horses, mares and colts and plow tools to exchange for resident lots or good feed. R. A. Deen.

Wanted — To trade for span of mules, fifteen hands high, four to seven years old. Lee Carter.

To exchange good city lot to trade for milk cow. J. W. Yates.

Wanted — To trade for a team of mares. Not too old but in good shape, I'm the one you're looking for. F. M. SMITH, Mt. Vernon, N. M.

For Exchange — Gurley surveying outfit in good condition to exchange for a good horse. J. D. HURLEY.

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G. M. WILLIAMSON, W. M. INDA HUMPHREY, Sec.

R. A. M. Portales Chapter No. 14

Meets every Saturday night after full moon in each month.

S. A. MORRISON, H. P. W. S. MERRELL, Sec.



I. O. O. F.

Portales Lodge No. 17

Meets every Tuesday night in the month at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers welcome.

R. M. SANDERS, N. G. C. T. DUNCAN, Sec.

Miriam Rebecca Lodge No. 20

Meets on the first and third Thursday nights.

MISS LEAHY, N. G. MISS CARTER, Sec.



Woodmen of the World

Hamilton Camp No. 11

Meets on the first and third Monday nights.

W. M. COX, N. G. G. W. CARR, Clerk.

Cottonwood Grove No. 17

W. O. W. Circle

Meets on first and second Tuesday nights.

MRS. LILLIAN REAGAN, Guardian. MRS. MAUDE SMITH, Clerk.



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Chapter No. 26

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R. M. Sanders, C. V. Harris

NEWS FROM ELIDA

Mr. Jennings of Lovington is in town hunting a location for a big bunch of sheep. We are always glad to hear of these big ranches coming into the country, for it sure does bring the money.

Dee Harkey, of Carlsbad, was in town last week visiting his friends. He is on his way to Santa Fe for a few days.

J. R. Darnell has resigned as U. S. commissioner and the people of the town have petitioned for the appointment of John W. Ballou to fill the vacancy, and we hope he gets it.

Miss Bessie Norton, of Lubbock, is in town on business for a few days.

Cain and Morrow are feeding a bunch of sheep in the old lumber yards and are proud of them. They are doing fine.

Curley Sluvers resigned from the Santa Fe depot and will leave the first of the month for the Block ranch, across the river, where he will help in the spring on nd-up.

Jas. A. Hall left Sudnay for Portales where he will attend court the coming session.

John Reeves, Geo. Newcomb, J. D. Lee and Mr. Kimball all left on the morning train for Portales where they are members of the jury, in session there.

We are having a big entertainment every Sunday afternoon at the Cain and Morrow wagon yard, where Curley Sluvers and Noel Rankin are bustin' bronks for T. D. Cain. The boys are doing some nice riding and are always watched by a majority of the men of the town.

John P. Kelley, state lecturer for the Masonic lodge, arrived yesterday for a few days visit with the Elida lodge. Mrs. Kelley accompanied him from Silver City.

Mr. Lum Arnold, a brother to 'Blondy Arnold,' is in town trading for lumber, posts, wire, etc. Looks like a long haul to Lubbock but they all say prices are better here.

Mrs. W. T. Gardner, who lives west of town, is stopping at the Central Hotel this week, convalescing from an operation for tumor, performed by Dr. Younger Sunday, and is improving nicely.

FLOYD ITEMS

The great wheels of matrimony roll on—Mr. W. C. Bordon and Miss Nallie Trotter were united in marriage last Sunday evening at four o'clock, at the home of J. R. Shock. Mr. Shock is justice of the peace and officiated in the marriage. The affair was a very quiet one, only being but a few present.

Mr. Bordon is an old timer here and is one of our best citizens. He has many friends in this country who wish him the best success in the great undertaking that rests before him.

Miss Trotter is the only daughter of Mr. Trotter and is one among those who assumed the duties of housekeeping very early. Her mother died when she was quite young, and since she has had the great responsibility of keeping house for her father and brother. Nellie is well known and loved by all, and her many friends wish her a happy married life.

Mr. Bordon and his young bride left this week for Texas. Their many friends regret their leaving but wish them a happy trip.

The Floyd school is moving along fine with Miss Ella Cook as teacher.

The Floyd farmers are not asleep this year. C. T. Gregory is going to install a thirty-five horsepower engine on his farm. At present time he is working on the well and says he thinks he can make farming a success when he gets the water. Many of these farmers are going into the field with their sleeves rolled up; this means they are going to stay.

Mr. Douthit and family spent the day last Sunday with the Floyd merchant, J. P. Nash.

George Scott made a business trip to Melrose this week.

If you are afraid your stock will be stolen, take them to N. B. Bingham and let him put the C brand them, it is a great protection.

KERMIT KLIPPINGS

L. D. Smith has resigned as teacher in the Kermit school to accept a similar position at Redland. Miss Lillian Hobson will finish the term.

Our postmaster, Mr. Cox, is ill with lagrippe. His son Samuel is licking the stamps.

Miss Maud VanCleve has returned from a visit with relatives at Clovis.

Elder Giddings and wife, of Hamby, Texas, visited Kermit friends while on their way to Olive, N. M.

There has been a slight breeze blowing out the Kermit way and some real estate has changed hands.

Our old friend, W. B. Montgomery, is on police duty at the Clovis station and yards.

A jolly crowd of Kermit youngsters met at the VanCleve home Saturday evening and were royally entertained. The evening was spent in social chat, music and games. Fruit and cake were served to the guests. The VanCleve home has always been a favorite meeting place for the young folks of the settlement.

Mrs. Koenig, a former resident who was matron at the S. D. A. college in Washington, D. C., and later transferred to New York City and Utica, is the guest of H. P. Hardt and family. Mrs. Koenig will stop at Clinton, Mo., on her return for a brief visit with friends.

PLEASANT VALLEY

The spring term of school at the Valley is progressing nicely. Mrs. McCormack is teacher and she has thirty scholars enrolled.

Arlie Givens is visiting home folks for a while.

J. W. McCormack is expected home in a few days.

There is a good deal of planting going on this spring. It looks like business to us this year.

Mrs. W. O. McCormack intends to set two incubators this week.

B. H. Wilson went to town Saturday on business.

B. F. Kersey celebrated his seventieth birthday the fourteenth. All who were present enjoyed the day.

For Sale — Thoroughbred Rhode Island Red cockerels ready for service. Price \$1.00.
D. C. REYNOLDS.

LA LANDE BRIEFS

W. W. Clark and daughter returned from Alamogordo last week.

Judge McGill is at home after a short stay at Santa Fe.

The meetings on the agricultural train which passed through here the eleventh was well attended by the citizens, despite the rain which fell nearly all day. Everyone seemed well pleased with the display.

A ball game was played here the eleventh between the La Lande team and Garhardt Valley team. The result was 3 to 7 in favor of La Lande.

Everyone is anxiously waiting for the governor to veto the bill creating the new county.

W. F. Bays returned from Kansas with another car of Holstein cows.

Justice Carty tried his first case since assuming his office of justice of the peace last Saturday.

H. H. Mackerson and A. R. Dillon brought in a bunch of yearlings last week.

J. C. Malloy left Monday morning for Portales to serve as a juror.

W. M. Barton was in town last week buying goods for his store at Taft.

R. D. Mooney, postmaster of Banks, was in town this week.

Mrs. Allen Doll is dangerously ill this week.

Albert Sanders of Antelope Valley was in town buying supplies Saturday.

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The Local
Field



A. M. Holmes, of Stafford, Kan-
sas and an old friend of Mr. W.
M. Ball and Mr. C. M. Martin is
in the country and city and has
been for the past ten days or
two weeks buying broom corn
and shipping it out. This week
he has been in the country buy-
ing and it is not known how much
he will ship out but last week he
shipped five cars. Mr. Holmes
is only one of the several buyers
in the vicinity. Portales has es-
tablished a reputation for broom
corn, enough reputation that
Kansas is sending her buyers
down here along with the local
buyers who are numerous and
who are mostly buying for Wich-
ita, Kansas houses.

D. D. Swearingin of the firm of
Drs. Presley and Swearingin of
Roswell, New Mexico, Special-
ists, eye, ear, nose and throat,
will be in Portales at Neer's
Drug Store March 26-27-28-29.

Bring your chickens, hens and
fryers to Faggards. He will
pay more money for them.

Judge McClure, the judge of the
fifth judicial district, made
a flying trip to Roswell Saturday
and returned either Sunday or
Monday. The judge is disposing
of a great many petty cases this
week and will probably not get
to the criminal docket until the
latter part of the week.

Nice fresh candies at C. V.
Harris.

Claude Anderson made a trip
to various Texas points last week
remaining several days. It seems
that Claude can not find any-
thing better than Portales and
he will eventually stay here after
his running around and trying
to find something better.

Fresh candy every day from
the Clovis candy kitchen at
Faggards.

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District attorney Scott came in
from a trip to Colorado Monday
and after tending to some of the
affairs of the court in session
here left Tuesday for lower val-
ley points. It is presumed that
Mr. Scott will be back before
court adjourns.

D. D. Swearingin of the firm
of Dr. Presley and Swearingin
of Roswell, New Mexico, Special-
ists, eye, ear, nose and throat, will
Bedford Forest camp C. V.
will meet Saturday March 27th,
at one p.m. All members are
requested to attend and all old
Federal soldiers are cordially
invited to attend.

M. C. REYNOLDS, Capt.
All latest Bulgarian and Egypt-
ian trimmings just arrived at
Mrs. Knight's.

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You can say goodbye to con-
stipation with a clear conscience
if you use Chamberlain's tablets.
Many have permanently cured
by their use. For sale by all
dealers.

Mrs. Peasley, the stenograph-
er of the Irrigation company left
Monday for Bisbee, Arizona, to
take a position with the Phelps-
Dodge interest. Mrs. Peasley
has only been here for a few
months but leaves many friends.

Fred Hoover one of Arch and
Eiland citizens was a Portales
visitor last week and part of this.

For Sale—First class irriga-
tion machinery, sold on all time,
f. o. b. Portales.

F. E. SUMMERS, Memphis, Mo.
Mr. Kelley of Silver City, is in
the city this week in interest of
the Masonic fraternity. Mr.
Kelley is the state Grand Lec-
turer for the Masons and has
made quite a hit with the Por-
tales Masons.

Chamberlain's cough remedy
has won its great reputation and
extensive sale by its remarkable
cures of cough, colds and croup.
It can be depended upon. For
sale by all dealers.

Bert Hawk, son of A. N. Hawk,
has returned from the Panhandle
of Texas where he has been for
several months.

Think Corhn Bros. when you
think Insurance.

Mrs. Nellie D. Wilbur, mother
of Mrs. D. C. Reynolds, came in
last Monday from Wichita, Kan.,
to visit with her daughter, after
which she will go to Carlsbad.
She will return here in April.

Will all books belonging to F.
P. Alldredge be returned this
week and it will be appreciated.
MRS. E. P. ALLDREDGE.

Many sufferers from rheuma-
tism have been surprised and
delighted with the prompt relief
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lain's liniment. No one case of
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internal treatment whatever.
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NOT OF HEART

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Stomach Ailments.

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health. I would not feel safe without
Black-Draught in the house. I consider
it worth its weight in gold.

It cured my indigestion, and by this
means I was restored to health. I can
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Good health depends on the condition
of your digestion. Poor digestion and
good health do not go together.

Theford's Black-Draught will
thoroughly cleanse and set in order your
digestive system.

It has done this for others, during the
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Insist on Theford's. Price 25c.



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stock is half Morgan and half
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Jack, about fourteen hands high
and in excellent condition. Is
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You judge a man not by what
he promises to do, but by what
he has done. This is the only
true test. Chamberlain's cough
remedy judged by this standard
has no superior. People every-
where speak of it in the highest
praise. For sale by all dealers

D. Harkey and Miss Campbell
and sister were visitors in Por-
tales from Elida last week.

Children are much more likely
to contract the contagious dis-
eases when they have colds.
Whooping cough, diphtheria,
scarlet fever and consumption
are diseases that are often con-
tracted when the child has a cold.
That is why all medical authori-
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the quick cure of colds you will
find nothing better than Cham-
berlain's cough remedy. It can
always be depended upon and is
pleasant and safe to take. For
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unable to cure in all its stages, and that is
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