

KOONS, JOHN ELLSWORTH  
1867-March 26, 1944

The remains of a human were found Sunday afternoon by W.C. Thompson and J.I. Martin, both of Cheyenne, while on a fishing trip on the Bluegrass about two miles south of the Adam Boyd ranch.

The Sheriff's office and Coroner were notified and investigated, and finding the skeleton located in Albany county, notified the proper authorities there.

The remains are believed to be those of John Koons who disappeared five years ago after he had left the ranch west of town to walk to Laramie. No further information had been learned of his whereabouts since that day in February 1941. Dillon, his son, was called from his ranch Wednesday to Laramie to attempt to identify the clothing. There was no signs of foul play.