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Taft is Cheerful Workman, Does Duty,

Dodges Trouble.

Taft by the Omaha Daily News Although asked to describe

Taft in a phrase I should call him "the cheerful workman."

He loves to work, and he works

Non partisan view of Secretary

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the Spring

The rough, unevently re-

tempered main-spring lies

the trouble in many of the

cheaper watches. I buy

none but the finest Ameri-

can made main-springs,

thoroughly tested before in-

sertion, and guarantee them

from breakage for one year.

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BROKEN BOW. CUSTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA, THURDSAY, APRIL 2, 1908.

HIS BOOTS ON.

Killed Last Saturday

Evening.

ALWAYS LOOKING FOR TROUBLE.

An Old Feud Between He and James

NO 43.

Zumbrota Zephyrs.

Maud Callen has a sore throat to contend with.

Miss Madge Bishop is entertaining the mumps.

Oscar Tappan is enjoying a visit from his sister, Mrs. Smith, of Mitchell, Nebraska.

cheerful because he is always Miss Zoe Bishop spent Satur-day and Sunday with G. R. Rusconfident of doing it well. It is his huge optimism, his belief in som's, near Ormbsy. the essential right of everything

and everybody that is the secret Mrs. Mattie Tappan has over of his success. With Taft as president there is not likely to one hundred chickens from the first hatch of her "Old Trusty" be a panic or other serious crisis incubator.

during his administration. He will head it off by an active faith Ralph Johnson spent Sunday at M. D. Callen's. and will laugh the money back

Chas. Hall is going to break sod for J. B. Holcomb.

Physically, Taft is one of the biggest men in the world. He Miss Mable Routh is expected weighs 280 pounds and is six feet tall. His shoulders are tremenhome next week from Rugby, North Dakota, where she has dous, so broad that you almost been visiting relatives since last forget he is too big around the September.

One evening the first of this week Guy Rector was returning but was unconscious for a while, unusual size, and the generous home at an early hour in the Broken Bow last Saturday even ing, March 28th, at 6:15 o'clock. This because of the fact that the man who was killed had been a resident of the county for twenty-five years and through a number of escapades and legal

Nearly all the men from this community turned out last tween the ears, which indicates Wednesday evening to help fight tween the ears, which indicates wednesday evening to help light constructive power. His fore-head is not very high, but un-commonly broad and well de-velored. Over each eye the bones of the skull bulge distinctly, which, they say, reflects the not anything consumed that keenness of his observation. His mustache and hair are gray. His hair is growing thin all over, but ing to be prepared for such.

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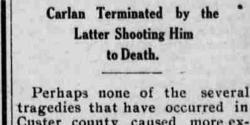
J.S. & J.F.Baisch DRUGGISTS.



DIED WITH Johnson Sanderson, a Farmer Near Broken Bow, Feared by Many,

Does not mean to buy

Broken Bow, - - Neb.



Custer county caused more ex-citement or produced more of a sensation than the shooting to death of John Sanderson, by James Carlan, on the street in Simmons fell to the ground from Broken Bow last Saturday even- some steps about eight feet high,

AN OLD FRIEND.

There seems to have been a eud of one or two years standing with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderbetween the participants to the son, returning to their home tragedy, although prior to that Monday. time they had been close friends, as well as neighbors, for many years. The cause for their difference is stated to be in the nature of a family difficulty, and it is expected that when the case is tried before a jury, evidence will be presented to the effect house while in Omaha last week. that each had openly threatened the life of the other.

UNDER INFLUENCE OF LIQUOR.

winter and Sanderson came to town Saturday forenoon. Whether they met during the day previous to the encounter has not been learned, but that both had

dead, by the jurors whose names are hereto subscribed, the said jurors upon their oath do say: That the said Jonn Sanderson came to his death on this, the 28th day of March, 1908, by reason of two gun shot wounds inflicted upon him by James Carlan, with a revolver, and that said shooting of the said Sander-son by the said Carlan was felon-iously done. And that said shooting was done in Broken Bow Custor county Nakaraka

VERDICT OF CORONERS JURY.

At an inquest held at Broken

Bow, in the County of Custer, State of Nebraska, on the 28th day of March, 1908, before L. E.

Cole, corner of said county, upon the body of John Sanderson, lying

Bow, Custer county, Nebraska, and said Sanderson died immedi-ately after receiving said wounds.

Last Wednesday Mrs. E. W.

entanglements became well Mrs. Kate Burdick of Broken is none of these things. known by name, if not personally. Bow visited several days with His head is unusually wide be-

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Wilson of Anselmo visited over Sunday

around again. no spot on the head is really un-

covered. His eyes are clear and says he is glad to see you. Other public men when you call on them also say they are glad to Mr Clyde Willson is spending a few days this week at the home of J. H. Anderson.

Carlan has been in the city all Simmons was burning trash of know that they are bored to

out and the fire was exterminated he means it. I believe he does. He really likes pretty nearly everybody he meets, and the number of his friends is legion. Taft is not a fighter because he does not really hate anybody enough to make him think that a fight is the only way out of it. He likes to think as well as he can of even his enemies. In most cases he probably believes that if his enemies would come and have a frank talk with him they would thereafter be "good Indians." His whole career has been that of a peacemaker and not a tighter. People who have studied his decisions in labor disputes claim that they have neither been directed against the workingman nor against the capitalist, but really represented a fair effort on his part to preserve the public peace. He does not like disturbers. He wants everybody to Mr. and Mrs. Fogolson are re- come in out of the street and sit quiet and be good. This is what enables him to go to the Philippines or Cuba, or to any other place where there is a row on. and as soon as he has been there a few days and has had a chance Wm. Baillie, of Fremont, is to call the fighters into a room visiting with the family of Mrs. and talk to them, there is suddenly a great calm. It is almost morally and physically impossible for antagonists to sit in the same room with Taft and listen to his genial common sense, his cheerful optimism, his hearty laugh which carries him The Odd Fellows building is receiving a coat of paint this week and is rapidly nearing com-pletion. The estimated cost is to invite the man you have been trying to scalp home to dinner. Miss Lena Allen, a well There is nothing foolish or known and succesful teacher, sentimental about Taft, either. finished a term of six months He is a practical man, with a school in her home district last keen eye for detail and a tremendous capacity for hard work. In Miss Maggie Allen, who is Washington he is at it never eaching in one of Lincoln's later than 9 in the morning, is high schools, is spending a weeks busy all day, and then takes a lot vacation visiting her mother, of work home in the evening nd works until midnight. He is the hardest worker in the entire administration. No man in Washington has had the physical power to do such labor since Grover Cleveland was there. Julius Cæsar is said to have employed three secretaries at the same time, but Taft has three expert stenographers and dictates to them in rotation. On his desk in the morning are letters and re-

in the bank. (Continued on Fourth page) Fairview Filicities.

waist. He is not a fat man in the ordinary sense. His bones and everything about him are of

her niece Mrs. C. A. Burdick.

Mrs. John Deming has been quite sick this week but is improving, she will soon be up and

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been learned, but that both had been drinking to excess was noted and no damage done. by all who saw them.

FIVE SHOTS FIRED.

The men met on the east side of the Broken Bow state bank building, and may have talked a she found their house under few minutes before the attention quarantine, so that is the reason of anyone was attracted to them. which was occasioned by the loud least. talk and oaths of Carlan, followed quickly with the report from a revolver and in quick succession four more shots. The shots were fired so rapidly, from a Colts Sunday and assisted the pastor Automatic revolver, that some of in the services. Mr. Bellis has the witnesses, at the coroners many warm friends here who are inquest, testified there were only four, while as a matter of fact there were five.

TWO SHOTS TOOK EFFECT.

Those who were near state with fat cattle that they had that the first shot missed, the been feeding. bullet being imbedded in the casing to the doorway leading to the joycing over a son, born to them second story of the building. March 27th. The second bullet struck the watch in Sanderson's vest pocket and with such force that the skin was bruised. One of the three following shots was a miss the bullet striking and flattening against the stone steps to the bank. Those who saw the affair do not agree to the order in which this shot was fired. Either one sartin" as a couple of Professor of the two that took effect would Water's pupils went in swimming perhaps have caused death, in the mill pond last Monday. especially one, which severed the No bad results up to date. artery from the heart, the other breaking the neck.

CARLAN SURRENDERED.

Sanderson fell without utter- put at \$3,000.00. ing a word and breathed but a few times after persons who saw the shooting reached him. Carlan, with hands uplifted, in one of which he still held the revolver, walked toward Dr. W. R. Pennington, who stood at the bank corner and said: "I'll surrender to you doctor, here's my gun," and he was taken to the county jail by Dr. Pennington.

The body of Sanderson was soon thereafter removed to undertaking rooms and Coroner Cole swore in a jury composed of Jules Haumont, George W. Ap-ple, E. T. McClure, Geo. Will-ing, H. H. Squires and L. D. 160 acres of the Speece boys farm. George. After hearing the tes- Consideration \$7,000.00. timony of such persons as were known to have witnessed the shooting, the jury returned a verdict as follows:

Miss Clara Shackelford has been teaching the King school and boarding at home. When she reached home Tuesday evening there is no school this week-at

Westerville Items.

Rev. Bellis and wife, of Berwyn, attened church here last always glad to see and hear him. Elmer Cannon, Joe Wilson, M. Karr and H. Pchmer are four of our successful farmers who are on the Omaha market this week

Miss Edith McEwen one of our young teachers, closed a seven months term of school in the Brown school house last week. William Baillie.

Summer must be here "for

The Odd Fellows building is pletion. The estimated cost is

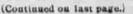
Miss Lena Allen, a well Friday.

Mrs. Andrew Allen.

Our highly prized teacher, Professor W. W. Waters, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo.

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