

BAKER, ELMER HARRY
August 9, 1888-July 30, 1914

R.A. Baker, residing near Binford, received a telegram Friday of last week, announcing the death of his son E.H. Baker of Dee, Oregon, who was instantly killed by a logging train, on which he was employed. The body arrived here Monday and interment occurred in the Wheatland cemetery Monday afternoon. Besides relatives here, the unfortunate man leaves a wife and two children.

The details of the tragic death of Baker are meager. The only information received being contained in the telegram announcing his death. He had written a day or two previous to his death stating he was employed on the locomotive of a logging train. The telegram stated he had fallen in front of the train while running ahead to throw a derailing switch.

Mrs. Baker, wife of the deceased, wired she was unable to accompany the body, as a result of the shock, and will come here later with her children. Besides his parents, the deceased leaves five sisters and four brothers. They are Mrs. Bertha Barger, Guernsey; Mrs. Edith Bookout, Mrs. Ruby David; Warner, Raymond, Beulah, Ernest, Robert and Esther, all of Binford.