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Henry BAKER. Head. M. 55. Gas Meter Inspector. Ryde, IW.

Elizabeth BAKER. Wife. M. 50. Lodging House Keeper. Ryde, IW.

George BAKER. Son. S. 15. Errand Boy. Ryde, IW. Nora BAKER. Dau. S. 19. Mother's Help. Ryde, IW.

Mabel BAKER. Dau. S. 17. Mother's Help. Ryde, IW.

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DEATH OF MR. HENRY BAKER

We regret to announce the death of an old and much respected resident, Mr. **Henry BAKER**, which occurred at his residence Marine Terrace on Friday the 2nd. Mr. BAKER who was 74 years of age, had only been confined to his bed for a day but he had been a great sufferer from asthma and rheumatism for many years. The announcement of his death was received with genuine regret by a large circle of friends and much sympathy was extended to the widow and Mr. George BAKER, his son. He also left five daughters.

The deceased who was a blacksmith by trade was one of the oldest employees of the Ryde Gaslight Co, which he joined in 1870 and became gas meter inspector, being held in great esteem by the successive managers and was a personal friend of Mr. GARNETTS. He retired about 14 years ago but continued his interest in the works.

The funeral took place on Tuesday and prior to the interment in the Cemetery the Rev G. Palmer LEWIS conducted a service at the house and spoke kindly words of comfort to the large family gathering assembled. Mr. LEWIS also officiated at the graveside.

Note: There is a discrepancy with some records showing the 2nd January and some the 4th, as the date of death.

Researched & typed by Ann Barrett David Harris