Guy Allen

Occupant Name: Guy Allen

Location: Section M, Lot 34

Name on Headstone:

Date of Birth: 3/4/1884

Date of Death: 11/16/1908

Date of Burial: 1908

Veteran: No

Lot Owner: Oscar Allen

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



ALLEN-Guy G. Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Allen, died at the home of his parents at this place Monday morning, November 16, 1908, aged 24 years, 8 months and 12 days. The cause of his death was consumption of the bowels, with which he had been afflicted for some months past. Last July he came home from Trinidad, Col., in poor health, and it was thought that with a needed rest and the kind ministrations he would receive at home. he would regain his health; but he gradually failed from the time he reached here, although his condition was not regarded serious by his relatives until a few weeks ago.

Deceased was born in Brownstown March 4, 1884, and lived here until five years ago, when he went forth to make his own way in the world. Railroading was his chosen occupation, and by close application to his work won favor with his employers. At the time he was stricken with disease he was employed as fireman on the Colorado and Southern railroad and was in line for promotion. He was a member in good standing of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers.

Guy was one of those study up-right young men whom it was a pleasure to meet; we admired him for his manly qualities and kind but unassuming disposition. His is the first death to occur in this family and only those who have sat in the shadow of a great be-reavement can justly weigh the sorrow of the parents, brothers and sisters in this grief-stricken home. But the memory of a noble and obedient son and a kind and loving brother, together with the heartfelt sympathy of many friends, is left to cheer them in their bereavement.

He is survived by his parents, three brothers—Edward, of California, Oakley and Carlyle, at home; and three sisters—Misses Katheryn and Jennie, and Mrs. Chas. Greger, all of this place.

Funeral services were conducted at the M. E. church Wednesday at 1 o'clock p. m., Rev. J. S. Washburn officiating, after which the remains were laid to rest in Fairview cemetery.