## An Obituary Of Verne V. Veber

Verne V. Veber was born July 11, 1899 in Kellogg and received his early education in the rural schools of Kellogg township. During the World war he joined the navy and served for three years, crossing the ocean 32 times. He was honorably discharged at the end of his enlistment.

Returning to Kellogg at the end of his service, he went into the plumbing business with his step-father, T. A. Nesmith, and made his home there until two years ago when he purchased a plumbing shop in Grinnell.

He was married to Miss Mabel Holmdahl, of Kellogg, Nov. 18, 1917 at Rock Island, Ill., and to this union two children were born, Hoyt, who is now seven years old, and June Elaine who is now four.

Beside his widow and two children Mr. Veber is survived by his mother, Mrs. T. A. Nesmith, one brother. Ross Veber of Des Moines, one half-brother James Nesmith of Kellogg, and three half-sisters, Mrs. Norine Green of Wayland, Iowa., Mrs. Edith Schultz of Kellogg and Miss Jean Nesmith of Kellogg.

He was a member of the Kellogg Masonic lodge, the Grinnell American Legion and the Grinnell Fire Department. (Verne)