An Obituary Of Ray Von Draska

Raymond Porter Von Draska, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Von-Draska, was born Jan. 6, 1899, at Ewart, Ia., and passed away Dcc. 2, 1933, at Lutheran hospital in Ft. Dodge, Ia. He was laid to rest in the Pleasant cemetery at Ewart, Ia.

But for a brief period in Marshalltown, Ia., he lived his life in Grinnell where he attended the public schools and was a member of the Methodist church.

He enlisted in the United States navy Feb. 15, 1918, at Des Moines, Ia., and served eight months overseas, being discharged at Charleston, S. C., Feb. 18, 1919.

He was employed at the local theaters before attending Coyne Electrical school in Chicago.

He was united in marriage to Miss Eva Peters of this city. To this union was borne one daughter, Vivian. After a few years in Grinnell he moved to Fort Dodge, where he was employed as a vitaphone operator until his death.

He leaves to mourn his loss his wife and daughter, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Von Dra'ska, and two sisters, Mrs. William Garrett of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Nina Worden of this city, and a host of friends and relatives.