

DAY, CHARLES IRA

Birth

June 7, 1883 in Polk Co., Iowa

Death

December 21, 1944 at Broadlawns General Hospital, Des Moines, Polk Co., Iowa

Cemetery Lot

Buried on Lot 80

Lot was purchased by Hiram Baker on June 16, 1880

Father

Nathan Fayette Day

Mother

Alice I. Davis

Marriage

Return of Marriages for the County of Polk for the year ending June 30, 1915

Charles Day

Residence: Des Moines, Iowa

Age: 32

Place of birth: Altoona, Iowa

1st marriage

Father: Fred Day

Mother: Alice I. Davis

Married

August 28, 1914 at Des Moines, Iowa

Louisa French

Maiden Name: Louisa Moyer

Residence: Des Moines, Iowa

Age 28

Place of birth: Illinois

3rd marriage

Father: George Moyer

Mother: Mary Sims

Witnesses: Mrs. Mabel McCudding & A. G. McCuddin

Married by J. P. – Edwin J. Frisk

Census

1885 – Altoona, Clay Twp., Polk Co., Iowa; State census; Page 265

Day, Fayette	33	Butcher	IN
Alice	29		IN
Floy	07		IA
Alta	05		IA
Charlie	01		IA

1895 – 1st Ward, Des Moines, Polk Co., IA; Page 250; Roll 87

Dwelling 184; Family 175

Day, Fred	40	butcher	IN		
Alice	35		IN		
Floy	16		Polk Co., IA		
Alta	14		Polk Co., IA		
Oscar	10		Polk Co., IA		
Kenneth	07		Polk Co., IA		
Charley	12		Polk Co., IA		
Reuben	01		Polk Co., IA		

1900 – Bloomfield Twp., Polk Co., IA; ED 61; Page 10; June 14, 1900

Dwelling 140; Family 141

Day, N. F.	50	farmer Married 23 years Born January 1850	IN	IN	IN
Parker, John A.	22	farm labor Born March 1878	IA	IN	IA
Day, Alice I.	45	6 children; 6 children living Born April 1855	IN	OH	IA
Alta G.	20	Born December 1879	IA	IN	IN
Charles I.	17	Born June 1882	IA	IN	IA
Oscar M.	13	Born April 1887	IA	IN	IN
Kenneth F.	08	Born August 1891	IA	IN	IN
Jessey C.	07	Born April 1893	IA	IN	IN

1905 – Polk Co., Iowa; State census

Day, Charley J.	22	Single	IA	IN	IN
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1910 – Bloomfield Twp., Polk Co., IA; Dist. #7; Page 14A; May 27 – 31, 1910

FortDes Moines Military Reservation

Day, Charles	26	civilian employee Teamster, Quartermaster	IA	MO	IN
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1915 – 5th Ward, Des Moines, Polk Co., IA; Post Office, 607 E 2nd

Card #L670

Day, Charles 32 switchman – married IA MO IN
Income in 1914, \$420

1920 – Des Moines Ward 4, Polk Co., Iowa; ED132; Page 1B; January 5, 1920

Address: 407 3rd St., Des Moines, Iowa

Dwelling 17; Family 25

Day, Charles 35 Switchman, Steam railroad IA US IA
Louise 31 IL PA Eng

1925 –

1930 – Des Moines Twp., Des Moines, Polk Co., IA; ED 42; Page 7A; April 8, 1930

Dwelling 20; Family 25

Shriver, William 60 head-hotel manager IA OH OH
Day, Charles 46 lodger IA MO IN
railroad switchman

1940 – Polk County Farm (Pauper), Saylor Twp., Polk Co., IA; ED77-31; Page 1A

April 12, 1940

Day, Charles 56 married IA
Was living in Des Moines in 1935
Finished 5th grade

WWI Draft Registration

Serial No. 2941

Order No. A 416

Charles Ira Day

Residence: 609 E. 2nd, Des Moines, Polk Co., Iowa

Age: 35

Date of birth: June 7, 1883

Occupation: Railroad Brakeman for C.G.W.R.R.

Height: Tall

Build: Slender

Color of eyes: Blue

Color of hair: Light brown

Nearest relative: Louisa Day, 609 E. 2nd, Des Moines, Iowa

WWII Draft Registration

Serial No. 3888

Date of Registration: April 27, 1942

Charles Ira Day

Residence: 617 4th St., Des Moines, Polk Co., Iowa

Mailing Address: 2108 Meek Avenue

Age: 58
Date of birth: June 17, 1883
Place of birth: Altoona, Iowa
Employer: Stoner Piano Co., 914 Walnut St., Des Moines, Polk Co., Iowa
Height: 5' 10 ½ "
Weight: 170
Complexion: Light
Color of eyes: gray
Color of hair: blonde
Address where he can be reached: Mrs. Alta Trump, 2108 Meek Avenue

Deaths

[The Des Moines Tribune, Saturday, December 23, 1944, Page 8]

Services for Charles I. Day of 2108 Meek Avenue were held at Hamilton's Funeral Home Saturday, 12 o'clock noon. Interment Orillia, Iowa.

Obituary

[The Des Moines Tribune, Friday, December 22, 1944, Page 6]

Funeral services for Charles I. Day, 61, of 2108 Meek Avenue will be at Hamilton's funeral home at noon Saturday with burial at Orillia.

Day, a Des Moines resident many years, died at Broadlawns General Hospital Thursday following a four-week illness.

Previous to 1936, Day was employed as a switchman for the Chicago Rock Island and Pacific railroad but in recent years had been employed by Mac's Transfer Co. He was a veteran of the Mexican expeditionary campaign of 1916.

Mr. Day is survived by three brothers, Kenneth of Des Moines; Jesse of Fort Dodge; Oscar of Los Angeles, California, and two sisters, Mrs. Alta Trump of Los Angeles and Mrs. Floy Alice McLain of Des Moines.

Military

In his obituary it said that he was a veteran of the Mexican expeditionary campaign of 1916.