

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important.

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

PLACE OF DEATH
County Baldwin
Township Kidder
or
Village Kidder
or
City _____ (NO. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)

Registration District No. 99 File No. 37170
Primary Registration District No. 4659 Registered No. 13

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

FULL NAME Samuel Lewis McDonald

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX <u>Male</u>	COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	SINGLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Single</u> MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word)
DATE OF BIRTH <u>Dec</u> <u>5</u> , 18 <u>46</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)		
AGE <u>64</u> yrs. <u>24</u> ds. If LESS than 1 day, ___ hrs. or ___ min.?		
OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>Farmer</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)		
BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Columbus Ohio</u>		
PARENTS	NAME OF FATHER <u>John McDonald</u>	
	BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>X</u>	
	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Louisa Fishbaugh</u>	
	BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>X</u>	

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) J. S. McDonald
(ADDRESS) Cameron, Mo

Filed 12/31, 1900 W. W. Town
REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Dec 30, 1900
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Dec 13, 1900, to Dec 30, 1900, that I last saw him alive on Dec 29, 1900, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 5:30 p.m.
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Paralysis from Cerebral hemorrhage
(Duration) ___ yrs. ___ mos. 17 ds.

Contributory (SECONDARY) Chas. W. Hurstey M. D.
(Signed) 12/31, 1900 (Address) Kidder Mo

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)
At place of death ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds. In the State ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.
Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?
Former or usual residence _____

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL St. David's Ch. 411, 1900
DATE OF BURIAL
UNDERTAKER H. H. Powell
ADDRESS Kidder Mo.

Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death

[Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association]

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer* or *Planter*, *Physician*, *Composer*, *Architect*, *Locomotive engineer*, *Civil engineer*, *Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification, as *Day laborer*, *Farm laborer*, *Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife*, *Housework*, or *At home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school* or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant*, *Cook*, *Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus: *Farmer (retired, 6 yrs.)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

Statement of cause of death.—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*; *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meninges, peritoneum*, etc., *Carcinoma*, *Sar-*

coma, etc., of less definite; avoid use of neoplasms); *Measles*; *Wilar heart disease*; *Chronic contributory* (secondary contribution not be stated unless impossible causing death), 29 (secondary), 10 ds. Never state minimal conditions, such (merely symptomatic), "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age," "Shock," "Uraemia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage, as "PUERPERAL septichaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis*, *tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "Contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

"*Asthenia*," "Anaemia" (merely "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Shock," "Uraemia," "Weakness," etc. A definite disease can be ascertained and qualify all diseases resulting from miscarriage, as "PUERPERAL septichaemia," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis*, *tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "Contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

