

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 Jasper
Township _____
or
Village _____
or
City Carthage

Registration District No. 408 File No. 14652
Primary Registration District No. 3020 Registered No. 70
(NO. 215 W. Vine St. 2 Ward)

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

FULL NAME Wm H Martin

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Male COLOR OR RACE White SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED unknown
(Write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH August 3, 1858
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 52 yrs. 8 mos. 23 ds. IF LESS than 1 day, ___ hrs. or ___ min.?

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Stationary Engineer
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) mg of Ice

BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) Kentucky

NAME OF FATHER Brice Martin

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Virginia I think not certain

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Naylor

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) not known

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) H. S. Sevier
(ADDRESS) Pierce City Mo.

Filed April 28, 1911 James Ford REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH April 26, 1911
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from March 9, 1911, to April 26, 1911, that I last saw him alive on April 26, 1911, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 10 P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Pulmonary Tuberculosis

23 A
120
1911
(Duration) Don't know yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory Inhalation of Ammonia
(SECONDARY) James (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) J. H. Gentry M. D.
April 27, 1911 (Address) Carthage 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 Pierce City Mo.

PLACE OF BIRTH OR REMOVAL Pierce City, Mo. DATE OF BURIAL April 28, 1911

UNDERTAKER Kneel and Co Carthage Mo. ADDRESS

Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death

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

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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, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma*, *Sar-*

coma, etc., of _____ (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), *29 ds.*; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "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, "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "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.)

HUGH STEPHENS, JEFFERSON CITY.



Handwritten notes and signatures in the bottom right corner, including "Mrs. J. B. Stephens" and "April 28, 1911".

PLACE OF DEATH

County Jasper

REGISTRARS SHALL NOT RECEIVE A FEE FOR CERTIFICATES UNTIL THEY ARE COMPLETED AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW.

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St.; _____ Ward)

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FULL NAME

Wm. A. Martin

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX _____ COLOR OR RACE _____ SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH _____, 191____ (Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. IF LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.

OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work _____

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BIRTHPLACE

(City or town, State or foreign country) _____

NAME OF FATHER

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) _____

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) _____

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) _____

(ADDRESS) _____

Filed _____ 191____

REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH 4/26, 191____ (Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from _____, 191____, to _____, 191____, that I last saw h_____ alive on _____, 191____,

and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at _____ m.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Inhalation, Air main
There was an existing bronchitis and the ammonia gas only augmented it. This inhalation was accidental.
(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Contributory (SECONDARY) _____ (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

(Signed) W. A. Sentry M. D. (Address) Carthage, Mo.

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Former or usual residence _____

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL _____

DATE OF BURIAL _____, 191____

UNDERTAKER _____

ADDRESS _____

Original file, date _____, 19____

All information called for must be written on this Supplementary Certificate.

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