

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

PLACE OF DEATH

County Adair

Township _____

Village _____

City Kirkville (NO. 158)

Registration District No. 4

Primary Registration District No. 3001

St. W Ward

File No. 36860

Registered No. 134

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

FULL NAME Albert L. Curry

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

SEX male COLOR OR RACE white SINGLE MARRIED single WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH Nov 19th 1892
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 19 yrs. 11 mos. 21 ds. IF LESS than 1 day, ___ hrs. or ___ min.?

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Farmer, 1-02
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) Farming

BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) Mepherson Co Kan

NAME OF FATHER J. F. Curry

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Barren Co. Kentucky

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Abbie Cornwall

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) St. Joe

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) J. F. Curry
(ADDRESS) Hitchcock Okla

Filed 11-10-1911 REGISTRAR W. H. Wilson

DATE OF DEATH Nov 10 1911
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Aug 4, 1911, to Nov 10, 1911, that I last saw him alive on Nov 10, 1911, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 3.9 m. The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Nephritis (acute)

186 (Duration) yrs. 7 mos. 13 ds. Cont. tributary broken back

(Signed) Geo. Stead M. D. (Address) Kirkville

*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 3 yrs. 10 mos. 10 ds. In the State 3 yrs. 10 mos. 10 ds.

Where was disease contracted If not at place of death? Hitchcock Okla

Former or usual residence _____ PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Hitchcock Okla DATE OF BURIAL _____

UNDERTAKER H. B. Wilson ADDRESS Kirkville

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.

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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*, *peritoneum*, 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, as "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.)



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FULL NAME Albert J. Avery

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

SEX M COLOR OR RACE W SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED single
(Write the word)

DATE OF DEATH 11-10, 1911
(Month) (Day) (Year)

DATE OF BIRTH 11-19, 1892
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from 11-4, 1911, to 11-10, 1911, that I last saw him alive on "11-10", 1911, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 3 a. m.

AGE 19 yrs. 11 mos. 21 ds.
IF LESS than 1 day, ___ hrs. or ___ min.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
(Acute) Typhoid

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Farmer
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) _____

BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) North Russell, Mo

NAME OF FATHER J. Flurry

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

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Agnes Cornwall

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

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) J. Flurry
(ADDRESS) Hitchcock, OK

Filed 11-10 X 1911 E. C. Allison
REGISTRAR

Contributory Brother's Pass
(SECONDARY) (Duration) ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.

(Signed) E. C. Still M. D.
11-10, 1911 (Address) Kirksville

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LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)
At place of death ___ yrs. 3 mos. 10 ds. In the State ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.

Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? Hitchcock, OK
Former or usual residence.

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Hitchcock, OK DATE OF BURIAL 11-10, 1911

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

DATE OF BIRTH _____ (Month) _____ (Day) _____ (Year)

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

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

NAME OF FATHER _____

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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 _____, 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:
Broken back
accidental X
occurred in quarry

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

(Signed) Geo. H. Stee M. D. _____ 191____ (Address) Kirksville

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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 _____ DATE OF BURIAL _____ 191____

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SUPPLEMENTARY

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