

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

PLACE OF DEATH

County Mercer  
Township Ravanna  
or  
Village \_\_\_\_\_  
or  
City \_\_\_\_\_ (NO. \_\_\_\_\_)

Registration District No. 557 File No. 38527  
Primary Registration District No. 5751 Registered No. 8  
St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

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

FULL NAME Cleo Hollenbeck

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX <u>Female</u>	COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Single</u>
DATE OF BIRTH <u>Mar 10, 1908</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)		
AGE <u>3 yrs. 7 mos. 20 ds.</u> If LESS than 1 day, ___ hrs. or ___ min.?		
OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>None</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) <u>0</u>		
BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Mercer Co. Mo.</u>		
PARENTS	NAME OF FATHER <u>Elmer Hollenbeck</u>	
	BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Mercer Co Mo</u>	
	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Martha Pothman</u>	
	BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Mercer Co Mo.</u>	

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH  
Nov 30, 1911  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Nov 26, 1911, to Nov 30, 1911, that I last saw her alive on Nov 30, 1911, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 9:30 Am.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:  
Pneumonia  
10 26 1911  
1911 (Duration) yrs. \_\_\_ mos. 6 ds.

Contributory pneumonia  
(SECONDARY) (Duration) yrs. \_\_\_ mos. 1 ds.

(Signed) J. L. Rutzsch M. D.  
Dec 1, 1911 (Address) Ravanna 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 Ravanna Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL Dec 6, 1911

UNDERTAKER G. W. Satterfield ADDRESS Ravanna Mo

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Jasper Hollenbeck  
(ADDRESS) Ravanna Mo.

Filed Nov 30, 1911 N. A. Smith  
REGISTRAR

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.

# 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 ..... (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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SEX M COLOR OR RACE W SINGLE S MARRIED \_\_\_\_\_ WIDOWED \_\_\_\_\_ OR DIVORCED \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Write the word)  
 DATE OF BIRTH 3/10, 1908  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)  
 AGE 3 yrs. 7 mos. 26 ds. IF LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work None  
 (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) \_\_\_\_\_

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

PARENTS  
 NAME OF FATHER Cleo Hollenbeck  
 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) \_\_\_\_\_  
 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Marta Tothman  
 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) \_\_\_\_\_

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 (Informant) Jasper Hollenbeck  
 (ADDRESS) Ravanna

Filed Dec 10 X, 1911 X.N.A. Smith  
 REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH 11-30, 1911  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from 11-26, 1911, to 11-30, 1911, that I last saw he alive on " ", 1911, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 9:30 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:  
X Broncho Pneumonia

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. 6 ds.

Contributory meningitis  
 (SECONDARY)  
 (Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.  
 (Signed) J.R. Rouzakis M. D.  
Nov 30, 1911 Address Ravanna

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Where was disease contracted If not at place of death?

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Ravanna Cem. DATE OF BURIAL 12/1, 1911

UNDERTAKER J.W. Lutterfield ADDRESS Ravanna

Original file, date NOV 1911

All information for must be written on this Supplementary Certificate.

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