

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 St. Francois

Township _____
or
Village _____

Registration District No. 773

File No. 42515

City Farmington (NO. _____)

Primary Registration District No. 4464

Registered No. 100

St. _____ Ward _____

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

FULL NAME Wm. Pearson

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX <u>Male</u>	COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Single</u>
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DATE OF BIRTH Don't know, _____, _____, 1911
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 55 yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.?

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

BIRTHPLACE
(City or town, State or foreign country) Saint Louis

NAME OF FATHER Don't know

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER
(City or town, State or foreign country) Don't know

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Don't know

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER
(City or town, State or foreign country) Don't know

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Records of State Hospital, # _____
(ADDRESS) Farmington, Mo.

Filed Dec. 8, 1911 C. R. Fleming
REGISTRAR

2 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH December 3, 1911
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Oct. 3, 1911, to 12-2, 1911, that I last saw him alive on 12-2, 1911,

and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 468 Oak.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Tuberculosis
23A
92B

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

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

(Signed) J. B. Miller M. D.
12/11/11, 1911 (Address) Farmington, 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 Summit Co. Mo.

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL State Hospital DATE OF BURIAL Dec 8, 1911

UNDERTAKER H. B. Miller ADDRESS Farmington, Mo.

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, 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.)



PLACE OF DEATH

County St. Francois

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

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THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Records State Hosp. & Farmington, Mo.
(ADDRESS)Filed 12/11 1911 B.R. Fleming
REGISTRAROriginal file, date DEC 1911

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Dec. 2, 1911
(Month) (Day) (Year)I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from 3, 1911, to 12-2, 1911,that I last saw him alive on 12-2, 1911, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 4:50 a m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Endo Corditis

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

Contributory (SECONDARY) _____

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

(Signed) J.A. Tiller M. D. 12/11 1911 (Address) Farmington, Mo.

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LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place of death yrs. 2 mos. _____ ds. In the State yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Where was disease contracted If not at place of death?

Former or usual residence Dunklin Co. Mo.PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL State Hospital DATE OF BURIAL Dec. 3, 1911UNDERTAKER P.B. Gillespie ADDRESS Farmington, Mo.

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

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