

PLACE OF DEATH

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

County _____

Township _____

or

Village _____

or

City St. LouisRegistration District No. 791File No. 43474Primary Registration District No. 1008Registered No. 11400(NO. Theresa Washington)

Ward _____

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

FULL NAME Henry Hill

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX

Male

COLOR OR RACE

ColoredSINGLE
MARRIED
WIDOWED
OR DIVORCED
(Write the word)Married

DATE OF BIRTH

March 10

(Month)

(Day)

1898
(Year)

AGE

53 yrs. 9 mos. 17 ds.IF LESS than
1 day, ___ hrs.
or ___ min.?

OCCUPATION

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

Minister

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

Baptist Preacher

BIRTHPLACE

(City or town, State or foreign country)

Miss

PARENTS

NAME OF FATHER

Harry HillBIRTHPLACE OF FATHER
(City or town, State or foreign country)Miss

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Mary ColeBIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER
(City or town, State or foreign country)Alabama

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Francis Hill(ADDRESS) 1111 1/2 Wash St.

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REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH

Dec 27th

(Month)

(Day)

1911
(Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from July 31, 1911, to Dec 27th, 1911, that I last saw him alive on Dec 27th, 1911, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 8 a.m. The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Broncho pneumonia107A153B

(Duration)

yrs.

mos.

5 ds.Contributory Typhoid

(Duration)

yrs.

mos.

3 ds.(Signed) Richard C Smith

M. D.

Dec 28, 1911(Address) St Louis Skin & Cancer Hosp

*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.

5 mos.

In the

State

yrs.

mos.

Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

1111 1/2 Wash

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Greenwood

DATE OF BURIAL

12/29

1911

UNDERTAKER

L. S. Williams

ADDRESS

2315 Market St.

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*, *Compositor*, *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 septichæmia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgi al 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.)

