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

PLACE OF DEATH
County Miller
Township O Sayz Registration District No. 6 File No. 6022
Village _____ Primary Registration District No. 5761 Registered No. 4
City _____ (NO. _____ St. _____ Ward) [If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number]

FULL NAME Mark Hardin Whitaker

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS		
SEX <u>Male</u>	COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED <u>Married</u> (Write the word)
DATE OF BIRTH <u>June 3^d, 1842</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)		
AGE <u>69</u> yrs. <u>8</u> mos. <u>6</u> ds.		IF LESS than 1 day, ___ hrs. or ___ min.?
OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>Miller</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) <u>5-35</u>		
BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Brays miller county Missouri</u>		
PARENTS	NAME OF FATHER <u>Thomas W. Whitaker</u>	
	BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Virginia</u>	
	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Susan West</u>	
	BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Kentucky</u>	
THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>Mrs Mary J. Whitaker</u> (ADDRESS) <u>Fuscombia, Mo.</u>		
Filed <u>Feb 20</u> 191 <u>2</u> <u>Dr. P. P. Nierder</u> REGISTRAR		

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		
DATE OF DEATH <u>Feb 8</u> , 191 <u>2</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)		
I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from <u>Feb 4</u> , 191 <u>2</u> , to <u>Feb 9</u> , 191 <u>2</u> , that I last saw him alive on <u>Feb 7</u> , 191 <u>2</u> , and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at <u>4 a.m.</u> The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: <u>Pneumonia</u> <u>10^h</u>		
(Duration) ___ yrs. ___ mos. <u>5</u> ds.		
Contributory (SECONDARY) (Duration) ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.		
(Signed) <u>D. H. Jones</u> M. D. <u>Feb 10</u> 191 <u>2</u> (Address) <u>Fuscombia, Mo.</u>		
*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 <u>Brays Mill</u>	DATE OF BURIAL <u>2/9</u> 191 <u>2</u>	
UNDERTAKER <u>Schell & Sons</u>	ADDRESS <u>St Elizabeth</u>	

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

Registration District No. 6 File No. 0022
Primary Registration District No. 5760 Registered No. 4

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FULL NAME Mark Hardie Whitaker

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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

DATE OF BIRTH June 3, 1842
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 69 yrs. 8 mos. 6 ds. If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

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

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

PARENTS
NAME OF FATHER Thomas W. Whitaker
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER Va
(City or town, State or foreign country)
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Saras West
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Ky
(City or town, State or foreign country)

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) Mrs Mary J Whitaker
(ADDRESS) Tuscumbia Mo

Filed X 4-11 1912 Dr P. T. Nidder REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Feb 8, 1912
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Jan 4, 1912, to Feb 9, 1912, that I last saw him alive on Feb 7, 1912, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 4 A. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:
Pneumonia Star
(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. 3 ds.

Contributory _____
(SECONDARY) (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
(Signed) X H. C. ... M. D.
X J. S. ... 1912 (Address) Tuscumbia Mo

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At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
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PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Bray mill DATE OF BURIAL 2/2, 1912

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