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NOTE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

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

PLACE OF DEATH
County Barry
Township Washburn
or
Village
or
City _____ (No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)

Registration District No. 37 File No. 31917
Primary Registration District No. 5050 Registered No. 14

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

FULL NAME David Evans

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Male COLOR OR RACE white SINGLE MARRIED Married
WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (If write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH Sept 18 1853
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 57 yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. IF LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.?

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Farmer 55E
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) 1-02820

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Oct 19 1912
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Feb 8 1912, to Oct 19 1912, that I last saw him alive on Oct 16 1912, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 2:30 P m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Luxation of spinal cord and paralysis in general paralysis

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

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

PARENTS

NAME OF FATHER Wm Evans

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

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER M. Acutt

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

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

(Signed) J. S. Kuster M. D.
1912 (Address) Seligman

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) Isaac Evans

*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 _____

(ADDRESS) Seligman

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PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Roller Burial DATE OF BURIAL 10/20 1912

UNDERTAKER Anderson ADDRESS Washburn Mo.

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, 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.)



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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 St.: _____ Ward _____

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FULL NAME David Ervin

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX m COLOR OR RACE w SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) m
 DATE OF BIRTH Don't know, 1855
 (Month) (Day) (Year)
 AGE 57 yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. IF LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.?

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) Don't know

PARENTS
 NAME OF FATHER Wm. Ervin
 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Tenn.
 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Esth. Scott
 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Ill.

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
 (Informant) Isaac Ervin
 (ADDRESS) Fairview Mo.

Filed Oct 31 1912 L B Northcutt
 REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Oct. 19 1912
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Feb 18, 1912, to Oct. 19, 1912, that I last saw him alive on 11/16, 1912, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 2:30 am.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Tumor of Urinal Cord

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

(Signed) Jos. Foster M. D.
Oct 19 1912 (Address) Seligman

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