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

PLACE OF DEATH  
County Cape Girardeau  
Township Atterville Registration District No. 221 File No. 38764  
or ~~Clinton City~~  
Village Mo Primary Registration District No. 5302 Registered No. \_\_\_\_\_  
or \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ (NO. \_\_\_\_\_) St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

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

FULL NAME Osie Anis Stornie

**PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS**

SEX Female COLOR OR RACE White  SINGLE  MARRIED  WIDOWED  DIVORCED Married  
(Write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH March 28<sup>th</sup> 1870  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 42 yrs. 8 mos. 8 ds. If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_ min.?

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

BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) Pettis Co. Mo.

PARENTS  
NAME OF FATHER Henry N. Wimer  
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Virginia  
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Elizabeth Wimer  
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Virginia

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Elliott + Chatman  
(ADDRESS) Pilot Grove 2000

Filed Dec 12 1912 Robt L. Foyles REGISTRAR

**MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

DATE OF DEATH December 6<sup>th</sup> 1912  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from July 15<sup>th</sup> 1912, to Dec 6<sup>th</sup> 1912, that I last saw her alive on Dec 6<sup>th</sup> 1912, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 2:30 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:  
Pulmonary Tuberculosis  
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Duration) 5 yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory none  
(SECONDARY) (Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) J. L. Alexander M. D.  
Dec 6 1912 (Address) Clinton City 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 Plavast Grove DATE OF BURIAL Dec 8 1912

UNDERTAKER Elliott + Chatman ADDRESS Pilot Grove 2000

# 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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PLACE OF DEATH  
 County Cooper  
 Township Otterville  
 or  
 Village \_\_\_\_\_  
 or  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ (NO. \_\_\_\_\_ St.; \_\_\_\_\_ Ward)

Registration District No. 221 File No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Primary Registration District No. 5302 Registered No. \_\_\_\_\_

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FULL NAME Osie Anis Strine

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Female COLOR OR RACE white SINGLE MARRIED married  
 WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (If write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH March 28, 1870  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

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 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Virginia  
 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Elizabeth Wimer  
 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Virginia

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
 (Informant) Elliott & Chapman  
 (ADDRESS) Pilot Grove Mo.

Filed Dec 12, 1912 Root & Fogle  
 REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Dec. 6, 1912  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Jan. 15, 1912, to Dec. 6, 1912, that I last saw her alive on Dec. 6, 1912, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 2:30 m.

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Pulmonary Tuberculosis  
 (Duration) 5 yrs. 7 mos. 8 ds.

Contributory none  
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Dec 16, 1912 (Address) Clifton City

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 Where was disease contracted If not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Former or usual residence. \_\_\_\_\_

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Pleasant Grove DATE OF BURIAL Dec. 8, 1912  
 UNDERTAKER Elliott & Chatman ADDRESS Pilot Grove

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