

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

PLACE OF DEATH
County Lewis
Township Labelle
or Labelle Tp
Village _____
or _____
City _____ (NO. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)

Registration District No. 479 File No. 26937
Primary Registration District No. 56430 Registered No. 21

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

FULL NAME Earl W. Blackburn

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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| SEX <u>Male</u> | COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u> | SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Single</u> |
| DATE OF BIRTH <u>4</u> (Month) <u>9</u> (Day) <u>1913</u> (Year) | | |
| AGE <u>2</u> yrs. <u>4</u> mos. _____ ds. | | If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.? |
| OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>0-0</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) | | |
| BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Salem, Tenn. Lewis Co</u> | | |
| PARENTS | NAME OF FATHER <u>Wm S Blackburn</u> | |
| | BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Ky</u> | |
| | MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Maggie Pogue</u> | |
| | BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Ky</u> | |

2 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH
8 (Month), 9 (Day), 1913 (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from Aug 9, 1913, to Aug 9, 1913, that I last saw him alive on Aug 9, 1913, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 9 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:
Enterocolitis
1208
86 (Duration) yrs. _____ mos. 3 ds.
Contributory Neuritis (SECONDARY) (Duration) yrs. _____ mos. 1 ds.

(Signed) W. S. Blackburn M. D.
8/9, 1913 (Address) Labelle, 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
Labelle Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL
8-10, 1913

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Labelle Mo

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) W. S. Blackburn
(ADDRESS) Labelle Mo
Filed 8/9, 1913 W. S. Blackburn REGISTRAR

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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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*, *Sarcoma*, 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 septichaemia," "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 Lewis
 County Lewis
 Township La Belle
 or
 Village _____
 or
 City _____ (NO. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)

Registration District No. 479 File No. _____
 Primary Registration District No. 5643a Registered No. 21

FULL NAME Carl W. Blackburn

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

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Male COLOR OF RACE White SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

DATE OF BIRTH _____ (Month) _____ (Day) _____ (Year)

AGE _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. IF LESS than _____ day, _____ hrs. _____ min. _____ sec.

OCCUPATION
 (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work _____
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BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) _____

PARENTS

NAME OF FATHER _____
 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) _____
 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER _____
 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) _____

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) _____
 (ADDRESS) _____

FILE Aug 9 1913 J. Brannard REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Aug 9, 1913
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

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 that I last saw him _____ alive on _____, 1913,
 and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at _____.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Enterocolitis. Acute. Inter-
Colitis lasting 3 days with conval-
sions the last day.

(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. 3 ds.

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

(Signed) J. Brannard M. D.
Aug 9 1913 (Address) La Belle, Mo

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Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? _____

Former or usual residence _____

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL _____ DATE OF BURIAL _____ 1913

UNDERTAKER Satisfactory Information Supplied. ADDRESS _____

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