

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

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MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH  
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PLACE OF DEATH Lin

County Lin Registration District No. 506 File No. 26980

Township Baker or Village \_\_\_\_\_ Primary Registration District No. 5671 Registered No. 8

City \_\_\_\_\_ (NO. \_\_\_\_\_) St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

FULL NAME Matilda Marie Richardson

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

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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

DATE OF BIRTH April 5, 1913  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 4 yrs. 4 mos. 24 ds. IF LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) 0-0

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

PARENTS

NAME OF FATHER Oscar Lee Richardson

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Lin Co Mo

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Messie A Jacobson

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Lin Co Mo

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) \_\_\_\_\_

(ADDRESS) \_\_\_\_\_

Filed Aug 29, 1913 J. P. Pound REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Aug 29, 1913  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Aug 27, 1913, to Aug 28, 1913, that I last saw her alive on Aug 28, 1913, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 5 A.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Hemorrhage of Bowels.  
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(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. 6 ds.

Contributory (SECONDARY) \_\_\_\_\_ (Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) J. P. Pound M. D.  
Aug 29, 1913 (Address) New Boston

\*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 Western Cem DATE OF BURIAL Aug 30, 1913

UNDERTAKER McKinney, New Boston ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

# Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death

[Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health  
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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*, *peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma*, *Sar-*

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

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Female COLOR OR RACE White SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (If file the word) Single  
 DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ (Month) \_\_\_\_\_ (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Year)  
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 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) \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE OF DEATH Aug. 29, 1913  
 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from \_\_\_\_\_, 191\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, 191\_\_\_\_, that I last saw h Satisfactory Information Supplied. \_\_\_\_\_, 191\_\_\_\_, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m. The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:  
Hemorrhage of bowels.  
Accidental  
was fatal and was (Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.  
 Contributory as to cause a quantity (Secondary) \_\_\_\_\_ (Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.  
 (Signed) M. D. [Signature] (Address) New Boston  
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 Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_  
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 UNDERTAKER \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION Supplied.

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
 (Informant) X  
 (ADDRESS) X  
 Filed Aug 29 1913  
 REGISTRAR \_\_\_\_\_

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