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

PLACE OF DEATH

County Lafayette

Township or Village or City Lexington

Registration District No. 461

Primary Registration District No. 5625 ~~3024~~

File No. 2 39 36638

Registered No.

(NO. St.; Ward)

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

FULL NAME Elizabeth Walt

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Female

COLOR OR RACE White

SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Widow

DATE OF BIRTH Dec (Month) 31 (Day), 1841 (Year)

AGE ~~about~~ 72 yrs. 9 mos. 0 ds.

If LESS than 1 day, ___ hrs. or ___ min.?

OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Retired

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) 0-0

BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) Chillicothe ~~Huntsville~~ Mo.

PARENTS

NAME OF FATHER ~~Henry~~ Marsh

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

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER No Record

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

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Dollie McGowan

(ADDRESS) Lexington Mo

Filed Nov 4, 1913. J. L. Cope. REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Oct (Month) 1 (Day), 1913 (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Sept 24, 1913, to Oct 1st, 1913, that I last saw her alive on Sept 30, 1913, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 3 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Pneumonia

10 X

16 X (Duration) ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.

Contributory (SECONDARY) old age & weakness

8 (Duration) ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.

(Signed) J. L. Cope M. D.

Oct 2, 1913 (Address) Lexington 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 Lexington Mo

DATE OF BURIAL Oct 2, 1913

UNDERTAKER Ernest Fegert

ADDRESS Lexington Mo

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.

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, peritonaeum*, 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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or Village _____ Primary Registration District No. 5625 Registered No. 239

or City Lexington (NO. _____ St.: _____ Ward)

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FULL NAME Elizabeth Wall

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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

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

AGE _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ mins.

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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) _____

Filed 11-4, 1913 Dec 31, 1913. J. Q. Cope, REGISTRAR

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10-2, 1913 (Address) Lexington 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 _____, 191__

UNDERTAKER _____ ADDRESS _____

SUPPLEMENTARY

Satisfactory Information Supplied.

Original file, date _____, 19__

All information called for must be written on this Supplementary Certificate.

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