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

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PLACE OF DEATH Livingston
County Crawford
Township Medicine
or
Village _____
or
City _____ (NO. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)

Registration District No. 509- File No. _____
Primary Registration District No. 5678- Registered No. 17
[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number]

FULL NAME Dora Inand Lyon

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Female COLOR OR RACE white SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED
(Write the word)
DATE OF BIRTH Oct 27, 1913
(Month) (Day) (Year)
AGE 2 yrs. 2 mos. 2 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) _____

BIRTHPLACE
(City or town, State or foreign country) Missouri

PARENTS
NAME OF FATHER Louis Lyon
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Mo
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Grand Kirby
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Missouri

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) L. A. Pigeon
(ADDRESS) Charla Okford
Filed Dec 30 1913 Thos. Inand
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3 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Dec 30, 1913
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Oct 27, 1913, to Dec 30, 1913, that I last saw her alive on Dec 29, 1913, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 12:00 am.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Indigestion

111 (Duration) yrs. 2 mos. _____ ds.

Contributory failure to assimilate any food (SECONDARY) (Duration) yrs. 2 mos. _____ ds.

(Signed) E. A. Lyon M. D.
Dec 30, 1913 (Address) Charla Okford

*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. 2 mos. 2 ds. In the State yrs. 2 mos. 2 ds.
Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? at place of death

Former or usual residence own

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL out Charla cemetery DATE OF BURIAL Jan 4, 1913
UNDERTAKER W. B. Booth ADDRESS Charla and

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[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 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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County Livingsston Registration District No. 509 File No. _____
Township Medicine or _____ Village _____ Primary Registration District No. 5678 Registered No. _____
City _____ (NO. _____) St.: _____ Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

FULL NAME Thora Maud Poyon

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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

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

AGE _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ 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) _____

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) _____

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Dec 30, 1913
(Month) (Day) (Year)

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

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Starvation.
Indigestion

(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
Contributory failure to assimilate (Secondary) child would not take its meals, (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
(Signed) C. F. Ogden M. D. (Address) Child No 1230

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Where was disease contracted If not at place of death? _____
Former or usual residence _____

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) _____
(ADDRESS) _____
Filed 12/30, 1913 Thora Maud Poyon REGISTRAR

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL _____ DATE OF BURIAL _____, 1913
UNDERTAKER _____ ADDRESS _____

SUPPLEMENTARY

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