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PLACE OF DEATH			MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		
County	<i>Pettis</i>		Registration District No.	<i>665-</i>	File No. <i>3</i> 5649
Township	<i>Houstonia</i>		Primary Registration District No.	<i>4998</i>	Registered No.
Village	<i>Houstonia</i>				
City	(NO. _____) St. _____ Ward _____				
FULL NAME <i>John Henry Weber</i>					
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		
SEX <i>male</i>	COLOR OR RACE <i>white</i>	SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <i>Single</i>	DATE OF DEATH <i>2-12-1914</i> (Month) (Day) (Year)		
DATE OF BIRTH <i>Sept 7, 1857</i> (Month) (Day) (Year)			I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from <i>2-12-1914</i> , to <i>2-12-1914</i> , 191 <i>4</i> , that I last saw him alive on <i>2-12-1914</i> , 191 <i>4</i> , and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at <i>4:30 a.m.</i> The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: <i>Pneumonia</i> <i>108</i>		
AGE <i>56 yrs. 5 mos. 5 ds.</i> If LESS than 1 day, ____ hrs. or ____ min.?			(Duration) ____ yrs. ____ mos. <i>6</i> ds.		
OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <i>Retired</i> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) <i>Formerly Section Foreman</i>			Contributory (SECONDARY) (Duration) ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.		
BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) <i>Germany</i>			(Signed) <i>J. H. Smith</i> M. D. <i>2-12-1914</i> (Address) <i>Houstonia</i>		
PARENTS	NAME OF FATHER <i>Claus Weber</i>		*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.		
	BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) <i>Germany</i>		LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)		
	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <i>Anna Marguerite Steva</i>		At place of death ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds. In the State ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.		
	BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) <i>Germany</i>		Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?		
THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE					
(Informant) <i>Herman Weber</i>					
(ADDRESS) <i>Houstonia Mo.</i>					
Filed <i>Feb 14</i> 191 <i>4</i> <i>C. L. Parkhurst</i>			PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <i>Concordia</i>		
REGISTRAR			DATE OF BURIAL <i>2-15-1914</i>		
			UNDERTAKER <i>H. C. Voigt</i> (1111) ADDRESS <i>Houstonia Mo.</i>		

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

Pettis

Township

Houstonia

Registration District No.

665

File No.

Village

Primary Registration District No.

4398

Registered No.

3

City

(No.

St.

Ward)

FULL NAME

John Henry Weber

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

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

SEX

COLOR OR RACE

SINGLE
MARRIED
WIDOWED
OR DIVORCED
(Write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH

DATE OF DEATH

2 - 12 - 1914
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE

IF LESS than
1 day, hrs.
or min.

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to , 191 ,
that I last saw h alive on , 191 ,
and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at m.

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BIRTHPLACE

(City or town, State or foreign country)

Pneumonia, Decubal
Lobor
(Duration) yrs mos ds

Contributory

(SECONDARY)

(Duration) yrs mos ds

(Signed)

12 - 12 - 1914 (Address) Houstonia

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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

DATE OF BURIAL

UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(ADDRESS)

Filed

3 - 3 - 1914

REGISTRAR

Original file, date

FEB 24 1914

Information called for must be written on this Supplementary Certificate.

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