

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

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1909
1834
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STATE OF DEATH
County Westland
Township Hondells
Village Rutledge
City _____ (NO. _____ St.: _____ Ward _____)

Registration District No. 811 File No. 7037
Primary Registration District No. 4489 Registered No. 2

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

FULL NAME Cornelius Reynolds

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS 3 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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

DATE OF BIRTH Sept 26, 1834
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 79 yrs. 4 mos. 29 ds. If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.?

OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Farmer
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) Ransom

BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) West Virginia

PARENTS
NAME OF FATHER William Reynolds
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) West Virginia
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Jeremiah Plummer
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) West Virginia

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) Mrs. M. E. McMasson
(ADDRESS) Rutledge, Mo.

Filed Feb 26 1914 J. A. Clark REGISTRAR

DATE OF DEATH Feb 26th, 1914
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Feb 16th, 1914, to Feb 26th, 1914, that I last saw him alive on Feb 26th, 1914, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 8 a. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Uræmia Nephritis
131
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137 B (Duration) yrs. _____ mos. 9 ds.

Contributory enlarged prostate
(SECONDARY) (Duration) yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
(Signed) W. S. Ketter M. D.
Feb 26th 1914 (Address) Rutledge, 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 Harmony Grove DATE OF BURIAL Feb 27, 1914
UNDERTAKER J. A. Conley ADDRESS Rutledge, Mo.

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 "Asthemia," "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 Sentroud
 Township _____
 or _____
 Village Rutledge
 or _____
 City _____ (NO. _____ St.: _____ Ward _____)

REGISTRARS SHALL NOT RECEIVE A FEE FOR CERTIFICATED UNTIL THEY ARE COMPLETED AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW.

Registration District No. 811 File No. _____
 Primary Registration District No. 4489 Registered No. 2

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

FULL NAME Coculus Reynolds

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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

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

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

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

PARENTS
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 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 2/26 1914 J. A. Shackelford
 REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH 2/25, 1914
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Satisfactory information supplied, to _____, 1914, that I last saw h _____ alive on _____, 1914, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 8:00 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Artemia nephritis
120 (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory Chronic Nephritis
(SECONDARY) (Duration) yrs. mos. ds. 6
136 1914 (Address) Rutledge, Mo.

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LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)
 At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. 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 _____ 1914

UNDERTAKER _____ ADDRESS _____

Satisfactory Information Supplied. SUPPLEMENTARY

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