

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

PLACE OF DEATH
County Bartholomew
Township 3
or
Village
or
City St. Joseph (NO. 117 Texas St. 9 Ward)

Registration District No. 03 File No. 21879
Primary Registration District No. 10011 Registered No. 655

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

FULL NAME Lou Pozornich

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Male COLOR OF RACE White SINGLE single MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word)
DATE OF BIRTH Nov. 18, 1903
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 10 yrs. 7 mos. 25 ds. If LESS than 1 day, ___ hrs. or ___ min.?

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work none
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

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

PARENTS:
NAME OF FATHER Mike Pozornich
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Hungary
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Eva Jonas
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Hungary

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) M. Pozornich
(ADDRESS) 117 Texas Av.

Filed July 15, 1914 W. E. Harrington REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH July 13, 1914
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from July 14, 1914, to July 14, 1914,
that I last saw him alive on July 14, 1914,

and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 11 a. m.
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

accidental drowning

(Duration) 110 min. yrs. Immediate mos. 0 ds. 0

Contributory (SECONDARY) No facts
(Duration) No facts yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds. 0

(Signer) Thos. J. Ryan M. D. (Address) Bartholomew Co.

*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 Mt. Olivet Cem. DATE OF BURIAL July 15, 1914
UNDERTAKER ROCK & CLARK ADDRESS 5025 King Hill Av.

N. B.—Every item of information should be stated EXACTLY. PH. Cause of Death in plain terms, not merely "state" "died." AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PH. Cause of Death in plain terms, not merely "state" "died." Exact statement of OCCUPATION.

Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death

[Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association]

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Compositor, Architect, Locomotive engineer, Civil engineer, Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Farmer*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification, as *Day laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework, or At home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school or At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus: *Farmer (retired, 6 yrs.)* For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

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," "Uræmia," "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.)

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.

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

PLACE OF DEATH
County Buchanan
Township St Joseph
Village _____
City _____ (NO. _____ St.: _____ Ward _____)

Registration District No. 85 File No. _____
Primary Registration District No. 1001 Registered No. 6555

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FULL NAME Tom Pozzovich

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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

DATE OF DEATH July 13, 1914
(Month) (Day) (Year)

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

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from _____, 191____, to _____, 191____, that I last saw him _____, 191____, and that death occurred, on the _____ stated above, at _____ m.

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

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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 Aug 31, 1914 4 W. Harrison St
REGISTRAR _____

Contributory (SECONDARY) _____
(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

(Signed) _____ M. D.
_____ 191____ (Address) _____

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At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the _____ 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 McClintock Cem DATE OF BURIAL July 15, 1914

UNDERTAKER River & Clark ADDRESS 5025 N. 11th
M. S. R.

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