

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

PLACE OF DEATH

County Cedar

Township _____

or

Village _____

or

City Eldorado (NO. _____)

Registration District No. 168

File No. 22082

Primary Registration District No. 4095

Registered No. 39

St.; _____ Ward)

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

FULL NAME Benjamin A. Baker

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX male COLOR OR RACE white SINGLE MARRIED married
WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH April 13, 1898
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 66 yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.?

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

BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) Harmon, Ohio

PARENTS
NAME OF FATHER Not known
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Not known
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Not known
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Not known

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) W. J. B. Henderson

(ADDRESS) Ladysburg

Filed 7 23 1914 W. E. Dawson REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH July 21, 1914
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from July 18, 1914, to July 21, 1914, that I last saw him alive on July 21, 1914, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 8:15 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Epileptiform seizure

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

Contributory sun stroke
(SECONDARY)

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

(Signed) L. T. Dunaway M. D.

191 (Address)

*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

DATE OF BURIAL

ADDRESS

UNDER TAKER W. E. Dawson

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]

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) *Foreman*, (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

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UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

L. H. Harris - Kans
W. H. Siders7-23-1914
Eldorado

Original file, date

JUL 29 1914

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

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