

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

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Gentry  
Township.....  
or  
Village.....  
or  
City Albany (NO..... St. 38 Ward)

Registration District No. 309  
Primary Registration District No. 4155

File No. 12244  
Registered No. 20

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

2 FULL NAME Olof E. Anderson

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED married (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH 3 9 1847  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 68 yrs. 1 mos. 14 ds. IF LESS than 1 day.....hrs. or.....min.?

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

9 BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) Sweden

PARENTS 10 NAME OF FATHER Anders Bengtson 11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Sweden 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Do not know 13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Sweden

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mrs. J. W. Peirce  
(Address) Albany Mo

15 Filed Apr 26 1915 W. H. Martin  
Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH April 23 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from April 2 1915, to April 23 1915, that I last saw him alive on April 23 1915, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 3:30 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Tuberculosis  
130  
130 (Duration) 6 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

CONTRIBUTORY Nervous (Secondary) (Duration) 0 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

(Signed) J. W. Peirce M. D. April 26 1915 (Address) Albany Mo.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 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.....

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Jennings Cem. DATE OF BURIAL April 27 1915

20 UNDERTAKER W. H. Bare ADDRESS Albany Mo.

N. H. - Every statement 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]

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

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St. Ward

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FULL NAME

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SEX

COLOR OR RACE

SINGLE  
MARRIED  
WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

1915

DATE OF BIRTH

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AGE

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(Secondary)

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(Address)

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UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(ADDRESS)

Filed

May 31

1915

REGISTRAR

Original file, date

APR - 1915

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

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