

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

PLACE OF DEATH
County St. Francois
Township Caudolph
or
Village _____
or
City _____ (NO. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)

Registration District No. 33 File No. 13895
Primary Registration District No. 6024B Registered No. 9

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

FULL NAME Howard Hughes

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Male COLOR OR RACE White SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Single
(If write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH Dec. 1, 1914
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 4 yrs. 8 mos. 8 ds. IF LESS than 1 day, ___ hrs. or ___ min.?

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

BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) St. Francois Co., Mo.

PARENTS
NAME OF FATHER E. Wayne Hughes
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Mo.
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Abbie Gentry
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Mo.

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) James Gentry
(ADDRESS) Leadwood Mo

Filed Apr 5 - 1915 R. Applebaum REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Mar. 9, 1915
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Jan. 16, 1915, to Mar 8, 1915, that I last saw him alive on Mar. 8, 1915, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 6 a.m.
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Malnutrition
1060
158 (Duration) 2 yrs. 1 mos. 1 ds.
Contributory Bronchitis
(SECONDARY) (Duration) 1 yrs. 1 mos. 1 ds.
(Signed) J. H. Dubuehon M. D.
319 (Address) Franklay, 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 Mitchell Co. DATE OF BURIAL 3-10-1915
UNDERTAKER J. B. Boyer ADDRESS Leadwood

N. B.—Every item of info. CAUSE OF DEATH

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*, *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 "Asthena," "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*, *jetanus*) 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.)

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

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COLOR OR RACE

SINGLE
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(Write the word)

M

W

S

DATE OF DEATH

May 9, 19*15*
(Month) (Day) (Year)

DATE OF BIRTH

(Month) (Day) (Year)

HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from

Supplementary Information Supplied, 191*5*, to
that I last saw h. *6 a.m.* alive on *6 a.m.*, 191*5*

AGE

If LESS than
1 day, hrs
or min

and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at *6 a.m.*

OCCUPATION

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The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Malnutrition

BIRTHPLACE

(City or town, State or foreign country)

NAME OF FATHER

Contributory

(Duration) *90* yrs. *2* mos. ds.

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(City or town, State or foreign country)

(SECONDARY)

(Duration) *9* yrs. *9* mos. ds.

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

(Signed)

W. E. Aulsebrook

M. D.

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(City or town, State or foreign country)

319, 19*15* (Address)

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(Informant)

(ADDRESS)

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Mitchell Cem. Supplied, *May 3*, 191*5*

Filed

4/5

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REGISTRAR

UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Original file, date

APR

1915

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

CAUSE OF DEATH information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH as fully as possible. If cause of death is unknown, state "UNKNOWN". If cause of death is "SUICIDE", state "SUICIDE". If cause of death is "HOMICIDE", state "HOMICIDE". If cause of death is "ACCIDENTAL", state "ACCIDENTAL". If cause of death is "NATURAL", state "NATURAL". If cause of death is "OTHER", state "OTHER".

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SUPPLIED

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