

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

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Jackson

Township Blue

Village Independence

City Independence

Registration District No. 398

File No. 16008

Primary Registration District No. 5557

Registered No. 106

St. Washington Road Ward

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

2. FULL NAME

Maggie J. Zimmewalt

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Married
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Sep 20 1860
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 55 yrs. 7 mos. 7 ds. If LESS than 1 day... hrs. or... min.?

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

9 BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) Mt Vernon Mo

10 NAME OF FATHER J. H. Ward

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Don't know

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Ophelia Anderson

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Pike Co. Mo.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) Sam Sadler

(Address) Independence Mo

15 Filed May 3 1915 F. L. Cook Registrar

3. MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 2 1915
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from March 15 1915 to April 16 1915 that I last saw h. alive on April 16 1915 and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 7:30 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Cerebral Hemorrhage
87 H.
47
97 (Duration) — yrs. — mos. 50 ds.

CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) none (Duration) — yrs. — mos. — ds.

(Signed) Chas. S. Sims M. D. May 3rd 1915 (Address) 2705 Chubbard Ave

*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 Int Washington County DATE OF BURIAL May 4 1915

20 UNDERTAKER J. L. ... ADDRESS

N. B.—Every item of information should be supplied EXACTLY as stated. EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in full. 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 organ; "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

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Township

Village

City

2 FULL NAME

Registration District No.

File No.

Primary Registration District No.

Registered No.

(NO.

St.

Ward)

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PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX *F* 4 COLOR OR RACE *W* 5 SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) *M*

6 DATE OF BIRTH *1* (Day) *1* (Year)

7 AGE *50* yrs. *0* mos. *0* ds. If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.?

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

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

10 NAME OF FATHER
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12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) (Address)

15 Filed *June 28, 1915* *F. L. Cook* Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH *May 2* 191*5* (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from *Satisfactory Information Supplied* 191*5* to *1915* that I last saw *Satisfactory Information Supplied* on *1915* and that death occurred, on the *2* day of *May* 191*5* at *50* m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: *Cerebral Hemorrhage followed by Hemiplegia*

CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) *None* (Duration) *0* mos. *0* ds. (Signed) *Condition of Heart* M.D. (Address) *Texas City, Mo. 705*

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place of death *50* yrs. *0* mos. *0* ds. In the State *50* yrs. *0* mos. *0* ds.

Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL STATE OF BURIAL *50* 191*5*

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

Original file, date *MAY 3* 1915

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

ENRADING LINK IS PERMANENT RECORD

Satisfactory Information Supplied

SUPPLEMENTARY

Satisfactory Information Supplied

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2 FULL NAME

3 SEX

6 DATE OF BIRTH

7 AGE

8 OCCUPATION

9 BIRTHPLACE

10 NAME OF FATHER

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

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