

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

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County *Putnam*
Township *Union*
or
Village
or
City *Unionville* (NO. St. Ward)

Registration District No. *714* File No. *19769*
Primary Registration District No. *4430* Registered No. *21*

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

2 FULL NAME *Emeline Davis*

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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

6 DATE OF BIRTH *Dec. 1st 1846*
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE *68 yrs. 6 mos. 12 ds.* If LESS than 1 day... hrs. or... min.?

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

9 BIRTHPLACE *Brookville Ind.*
(City or town, State or foreign country)

PARENTS
10 NAME OF FATHER *Oliver Haulstead*
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER *Brookville Ind.*
(City or town, State or foreign country)
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER *Lucinda Allie*
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER *Brookville Ind.*
(City or town, State or foreign country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) *Geo. Summers,*
Unionville Mo.
(Address)

15 Filed *June 15 1915* *J. W. Halman*
Registrar

3 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH *June 13 1915*
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from *June 1 1915* to *June 13 1915* that I last saw her alive on *June 13 1915* and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at *9 P. m.*

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Cerebral Embolism following Abdominal operation

55 F
8 2 5 (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

18 CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary)
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.
(Signed) *Carl H. Canyon* M. D.
June 15 1915 (Address) *Unionville*

*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 *Unionville Mo.* DATE OF BURIAL *June 16 1915*

20 UNDERTAKER *W. W. Comstock* ADDRESS *Unionville Mo.*

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, Composer, 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, 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 "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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A FEE FOR CERTIFICATES UNTIL THEY ARE COMPLETED AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW

County Putnam Registration District No. 118 File No. _____
 Township _____ or Village _____ or City Unionville (NO. _____) St. _____ Ward _____
 Primary Registration District No. 4430 Registered No. 21

2 FULL NAME Emeline Davis

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

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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

6 DATE OF BIRTH _____ (Day) _____ (Year) _____

7 AGE _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ If LESS than 1 day _____ hrs. _____ 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) _____

16 DATE OF DEATH June 13 19115
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

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

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Cerebral Embolism following Abdominal operation for tumor of Caecum - variety unknown
 (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

10 NAME OF FATHER _____

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) _____

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER _____

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) _____

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

(Signed) Earl C. Camp M. D.
June 15 19115 (Address) Unionville, Ind.

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

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 Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? _____

Former or usual residence _____

15 Filed Aug. 10 19115 J. H. Johnson Registrar

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL _____ DATE OF BURIAL _____ 191____
 20 UNDERTAKER _____ ADDRESS _____

Satisfactory Information Supplied.
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