

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.

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

PLACE OF DEATH
County Pulaski
Township Rambidoux Registration District No. 715-714 File No. 25572
Village _____ Primary Registration District No. 6744 Registered No. _____
City _____ (NO. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)

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

FULL NAME Paul Bailey Davis

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS
SEX male COLOR OR RACE white SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Single
(Write the word)
DATE OF BIRTH June 26, 1910
(Month) (Day) (Year)
AGE 5 yrs. 1 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) Mo.

PARENTS
NAME OF FATHER J. A. Davis
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Mo.
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Jennie E. Bailey
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Mo.

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) J. A. Davis
(ADDRESS) Waynesville, Mo.

Filed 8-5 1915 R. C. Howard
REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
DATE OF DEATH Aug 3, 1915
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from June 22, 1915, to Aug 3, 1915, that I last saw him alive on Aug 7, 1915, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 3:45 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Cerebro-spinal meningitis
18

(Duration) _____ yrs. 1 mos. 12 ds.

Contributory no
(SECONDARY) (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
(Signed) C. Wallcut M. D.
Aug 15 1915 (Address) Bloodland, 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 Bloodland, Mo. DATE OF BURIAL Aug 4, 1915

UNDERTAKER Jos. W. Quinn ADDRESS Cookville, Mo.

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.)

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Pulaski

Township

or

Village

or

City

REGISTRARS SHALL NOT RECEIVE
A FEE FOR CERTIFICATES UNTIL THEY
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Registration District No.

715

File No.

Primary Registration District No.

5944

Registered No.

(NO.

St.

Ward)

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2 FULL NAME

Paul Bailey Davis

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OF FATHER
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OF MOTHER13 BIRTHPLACE
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(City or town, State or foreign country)

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(Informant)

(Address)

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Filed

8/5

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R. O. Nowlett

Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

1915

(Year)

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1915, to

1915,

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Cerebral spinal Meningitis

Epidemic

(Duration)

yrs.

mos.

da.

CONTRIBUTORY

(Secondary)

(Duration)

yrs.

mos.

da.

(Signed)

C. Mallette

M.D.

Aug 4, 1915 (Address)

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usual residence.....

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

1915

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Original file, date.

AUG -- 1915.

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