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

1 PLACE OF DEATH
County Jackson
Township Kau
Village Maumee City
City Maumee City (NO. Swedish Hop St. Ward)

Registration District No. 399 File No. 27642
Primary Registration District No. 1002 Registered No. 2898

2 FULL NAME Aurelia S. Hess

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

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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

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

7 AGE about 47 yrs. mos. ds. IF LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.?

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

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

10 NAME OF FATHER Austin

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

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Dora Kuentz

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

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept 9 1915
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Sept 6 1915 to Sept 9 1915
that I last saw her alive on Sept 19 1915
and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 12:45 p.m.
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Intestinal obstruction following cholecystectomy

18 CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) Cholecystitis
(Duration) 15 yrs. 2 mos. 2 ds.
(Signed) Loyou C. D. Rump, D.
Sept 9 1915 (Address) 1025 Beale

*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 4 yrs. 4 mos. 4 ds. In the State 4 yrs. 4 mos. 4 ds.
Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?
Former or usual residence Boicourt Kas.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Amoret Mo DATE OF BURIAL 9-11 1915

20 UNDERTAKER Freeman Mosdale ADDRESS 3156 Main

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) Henry Hess
(Address) Boicourt Kas.

15 Filed SEP 10 1915 Registrar Chas. Pagen

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 of terminal conditions, such as "Asihemia," "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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County
 Township
 or
 Village
 or
 City
H. P.

Registration District No. *399* File No. *27642*
 Primary Registration District No. *1002* Registered No. *2898*
 (NO *Swedish Hosp* St. *Ward*)

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

2 FULL NAME

Aurilia S. Hess 2898

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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

6 DATE OF BIRTH 1 191.....
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE yrs mos 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)

PARENTS
 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)

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

15 Filed 191..... *Paul Pagen* Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH *Sept 9* 191.....
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

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

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Intestinal Obstruction following Colicectomy
 (Duration) yrs mos ds. *2 1/2*

CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) *Empyema of the gallbladder*
 (Duration) *doubtful* yrs mos ds.
 (Signed) *Logan Cleudring* M. D.
May 19, 1916 (Address) *Kansas City*

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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 DATE OF BURIAL 191.....
 20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

SUPPLEMENTARY

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