

PLACE OF DEATH

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHCounty WadeWardship WashingtonRegistration District No. 239File No. 14001

Age _____

Primary Registration District No. 4446
5329Registered No. 2

City (NO. _____)

St.: _____ Ward) _____

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

FULL NAME Webster Nance

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Male COLOR OF RACE White MARRIED married
UNMARRIED OR DIVORCED (If so, when)DATE OF BIRTH May 16, 1861
(Month) (Day) (Year)AGE 54 yrs. 3 mos. 9 ds. If LESS than 1 day, ___ hrs. or ___ min.?OCCUPATION Mail Carrier
Trade, profession, or particular kind of work
General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)BIRTHPLACE Waynes Co Iowa
City or town, State or foreign countryNAME OF FATHER Joe NanceBIRTHPLACE OF FATHER North Carolina
(City or town, State or foreign country)MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Margaret PaytonBIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Ky
(City or town, State or foreign country)

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

Informant) Joe NanceADDRESS) 50 Greenfield MoDate Aug 26 1915

REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Aug 25, 1915
(Month) (Day) (Year)I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Aug 20, 1914, to Aug 25, 1915, that I last saw him alive on Aug 1, 1915, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 2:30 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Hemorrhage of Lungs
19A
2:30
(Duration) ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.Contributory Pulmonary Tuberculosis
(SECONDARY) (Duration) one yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.(Signed) J. S. Combs M. D.
Date Aug 25, 1915 (Address) 50 Greenfield

*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 Greenfield Mo DATE OF BURIAL 8-26, 1915UNDERTAKER E. H. Furman ADDRESS 50 Greenfield Mo

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, 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.)