

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

1 PLACE OF DEATH Colo
County Jefferson
Township Clark
Village Clark
City Clark (NO. St. Ward)
Registration District No. 213- File No. 20808
Primary Registration District No. 5293- Registered No. 104-
2 FULL NAME Fred Frank (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS
3 SEX Male
4 COLOR OR RACE White
5 SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single
6 DATE OF BIRTH May 29 1916
7 AGE 9 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) Colo Mo
10 NAME OF FATHER Walter Frank
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Colo Mo
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Jan Becken
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Colo Mo

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
16 DATE OF DEATH June 1 1916
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from 5-24 1916, to 6-1 1916, that I last saw him alive on 5-29 1916, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at m.
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Premature Birth
159
151
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.
CONTRIBUTORY none
(Secondary)
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.
(Signed) F. W. Gillham M. D.
6-1 1916 (Address) Jefferson City, Mo.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) Dear Sullivan
(Address) Colo Mo
15 Filed June 2, 1916
Registrar

*State the Disease Causing Death, or in deaths from Violent Causes, state 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 E. Doney Creek DATE OF BURIAL 6-2 1916
20 UNDERTAKER Willard Mymorey ADDRESS

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*; *Broncho-pneumonia* ("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), *20 ds.*; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthma," "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 W. Jefferson Registration District No. 213 File No. _____
 Township _____ or _____ Village _____ or _____ Primary Registration District No. 5293 Registered No. 104
 City _____ (NO. _____) St. _____ Ward _____

REGISTRARS SHALL NOT RECEIVE
A FEE FOR CERTIFICATES UNTIL THEY
ARE COMPLETED AS PRESCRIBED BY
LAW

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

2 FULL NAME Fred Rank

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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

6 DATE OF BIRTH _____ 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 _____
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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 June 2, 1916 Audrey Jones Deputy Registrar

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16 DATE OF DEATH _____ 191____
(Month) June (Day) 1 (Year) 16

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:

(Duration) _____ mos. _____ ds.

CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) _____
(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
(Signed) _____ M. D.
_____, 191____ (Address)

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20 UNDERTAKER _____ ADDRESS _____

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. MLY. PHYSICIANS should state OCCUPATION in very important terms, so that it may be properly classified.

SATISFACTORY INFORMATION SUPPLIED

SUPPLEMENTARY

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Original file, date JUN 1916

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

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