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

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PLACE OF DEATH.

County Pettis

Township _____

or Village Houstonia

or City _____

(NO. _____)

St. _____

Ward _____

Registration District No. 665

File No. 50

Primary Registration District No. 4398

Registered No. 50

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

FULL NAME Lora Alma Josephine Weathers

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX

F

COLOR OR RACE

W

SINGLE
MARRIED
WIDOWED
OR DIVORCED
(Write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH

November 2, 1915
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE

7 yrs. 29 mos. 29 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) Houstonia, Mo

PARENTS

NAME OF FATHER

Jos. A. Weathers

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

Pettis Co.

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Olive C. Webb

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

Warrensburg, Mo

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mrs Joe Weathers

(ADDRESS) Houstonia Mo.

Filed _____, 191____

REGISTRAR

4 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH

June 29, 191____
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from May 29, 1916, to June 29, 1916, that I last saw her alive on June 29, 1916, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at _____ m. The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Toxæmic Convulsions

(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. 1/2 ds.
Contributory Whooping Cough - Measles
(SECONDARY)

(Duration) _____ yrs. one mos. _____ ds.

(Signed) C. L. Posthumus M. D.

June 30, 1916 (Address) Houstonia

*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

Houstonia

DATE OF BURIAL

July 1, 1916

UNDERTAKER

H. C. Vaughn

ADDRESS

Houstonia, Mo.

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PLACE OF DEATH

County _____

Township _____

or

Village _____

or

City _____ (NO. _____)

Registration District No. _____

File No. _____

Primary Registration District No. _____

Registered No. _____

St. _____

Ward _____

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

FULL NAME _____

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX _____ COLOR OR RACE _____ SINGLE _____ MARRIED _____ WIDOWED _____ OR DIVORCED _____ (If file the word)

DATE OF BIRTH _____ (Month) _____, 191____ (Day) _____, 191____ (Year) _____

AGE _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.?

OCCUPATION _____ (a) Trade, profession, or business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) _____ (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) _____

BIRTHPLACE _____ (City or town, State or foreign country)

NAME OF FATHER _____

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

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER _____

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

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) _____

(ADDRESS) _____

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REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH _____ (Month) _____, 191____ (Day) _____, 191____ (Year) _____

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from _____, 191____, to _____, 191____, that I last saw h _____ alive on _____, 191____, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at _____ m. The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: _____

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

Contributory

(SECONDARY)

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

(Signed) _____

(Address) _____

M. D. _____

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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 _____

DATE OF BURIAL _____, 191____

UNDERTAKER _____

ADDRESS _____

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Township

or

Village

or

City

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

Registration District No.

Primary Registration District No.

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

File No.

Registered No.

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

2 FULL NAME

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

4 COLOR OR RACE

5 SINGLE
MARRIED
WIDOWED
OR DIVORCED
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

7 AGE

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)

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)

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Filed

1916

Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from

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:

CONTRIBUTORY

(Secondary)

(Signed)

191..... (Address)

*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

DATE OF BURIAL

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Original file, date.....JUN.....1916.....19.....

All information called for must be written on this Supplementary Certificate

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*; *Broncho-pneumonia* ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite);

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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), 29ds.; *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 septicæmia," "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.)