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

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Shelby
Township Tigerfork
or
Village
or
City

Registration District No. 1024
Primary Registration District No. 6088

File No. 27485
Registered No. 6

2 FULL NAME George Whitlock (NO. St. Ward)

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

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX M. 4 COLOR OR RACE W 5 SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Married
(Write the word)
6 DATE OF BIRTH March 11 1844
(Month) (Day) (Year)
7 AGE 73 yrs. 4 mos. 15 ds.
If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.?

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

9 BIRTHPLACE
(City or town, State or foreign country) MO

PARENTS
10 NAME OF FATHER Samuel Whitlock
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER Don't know
(City or town, State or foreign country)
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Eliza Coulberson
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Don't know
(City or town, State or foreign country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Ed Murray
(Address) Bethel mo

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH July 26 1917
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from May 25, 1917, to July 26, 1917, that I last saw him alive on July 25, 1917, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 11:45 P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Pyemia
36 (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

CONTRIBUTORY abscess of left lung
(Secondary) (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) M. D.
July 26 1917 (Address) Newark Mo

*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 Shiloh Church cemetery DATE OF BURIAL July 28 1917

20 UNDERTAKER John Brothers ADDRESS Bethel mo

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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 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.)

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

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PLACE OF DEATH
County Shelby
Township Best Fork or Village _____ or City _____ (NO. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)
Registration District No. 1024 File No. _____
Primary Registration District No. 6088 Registered No. _____
FULL NAME George W. Whitlock (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX <u>Male</u>	COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED <u>Married</u> (Write the word)
DATE OF BIRTH <u>April</u> — <u>11th</u> , <u>1844</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)		
AGE <u>73</u> yrs. <u>3</u> mos. <u>10^{ds.}</u> If LESS than 1 day, ___ hrs. or ___ min.?		
OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>Farmer</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) <u>Farming</u>		
BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Mo. S.W.</u>		
PARENTS	NAME OF FATHER <u>Samuel Whitlock</u>	
	BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Do not know.</u>	
	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Eliza Culberson</u>	
	BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) <u>Do not know.</u>	

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Pyemia
Supplementary
abscess of left lung
(Duration) ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.
(SECONDARY) (Duration) ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.

(Signed) J. McKim M. D.
July 25, 1917 (Address) Newark Mo.

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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 _____

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(ADDRESS) Bethel Mo.
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PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL _____ DATE OF BURIAL _____ 1917
UNDERTAKER _____ ADDRESS _____

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