

County WashingtonTownship UnionRegistration District No. 887File No. 30834Village TiffPrimary Registration District No. 6182Registered No. 87

City (NO. St. Ward)

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

2 FULL NAME Ralph Skiles

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED single
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH March 20th 1916
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 1 yrs. 5 mos. 10 ds. If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.?

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work none
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE Tiff Mo
(City or town, State or foreign country)

10 NAME OF FATHER Joseph Skiles

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER Washington Co Mo
(City or town, State or foreign country)

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Clara Golden

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Washington Co Mo
(City or town, State or foreign country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) Jole of Skiles
(Address) Tiff Mo

15 Filed Aug 31st 1917 J. Steinhilber
Registrar

2 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH August 30th 1917
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from August 24 1917, to Aug 30th 1917, that I last saw him alive on Aug 30th 1917, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 6:30 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Cerebral-Meningitis
11917
77777 61
(Duration) 2 yrs. 2 mos. 2 ds.
CONTRIBUTORY Cholera Infantum
(Secondary) (Duration) 12 yrs. 4 mos. 4 ds.
(Signed) J. Steinhilber M. D.
8131 1917 (Address) B. Beckwell 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 Soul Chapel - Paloski DATE OF BURIAL 8/31 191720 UNDERTAKER John Pashea ADDRESS Tiff Mo

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 or terminal conditions, such as "Asthénia," "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.)

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Washington
 Township Union
 or
 Village
 or
 City

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 CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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 (NO. _____ St. _____ Ward)

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6 DATE OF BIRTH _____ 1 _____ 191____
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

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 If LESS than 1 day _____ hrs. or _____ min.?

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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)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH July 30 1917
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 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.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Central Nervous Terminal Cerebral Infarction not epidemic
 (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

CONTRIBUTOR Chorea Infarction
 (Signed) J.R. Stensvold M. D.
Oct 4, 1917 (Address) Blackburn

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)
 At place of death 3 1/2 yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?
 Former or usual residence _____

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

15 Filed Oct 4 1917 E.T. Thurman
 Registrar

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL _____ DATE OF BURIAL _____ 191____
 20 UNDERTAKER _____ ADDRESS _____

Satisfactory Information Supplied

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