

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

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

*Benton Camden*

118

File No.

40769

Township

Registration District No.

File No.

Village

Primary Registration District No.

Registered No.

City

(NO

St.

Ward)

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

2 FULL NAME

*Carrol Jenkins*

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX *Boy* 4 COLOR OR RACE *N.* 5 SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word)  *✓*

6 DATE OF BIRTH *June 15 1914*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE *3 yrs. 5 mos. 15 ds.* 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) *Missouri*

PARENTS

10 NAME OF FATHER *Frank Jenkins*

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

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER *M. A. Wainman*

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

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
(Informant) *W. H. Wainman*  
(Address) *Edwards, Mo*

15 Filed..... 191..... Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH *Dec 1st 1917*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from *11-25-1917* to *Dec 1st 1917*, that I last saw ~~him~~ *her* alive on *Nov 30th*, 1917, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at *3 a.* m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:  
*Fire Burns in a burning house*  
*180*  
(Duration) *✓* yrs..... mos. *7* ds.

CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) *Lee Hurt*  
(Signed) *Lee Hurt* M. D.  
*Dec 1, 1917* (Address) *Olinax Spgs Mo*

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in death 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..... 191.....

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

# 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 "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.)

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County Cass  
 Township Barton  
 or  
 Village  
 or  
 City

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

Registration District No. 118 File No.  
 Primary Registration District No. 5169 Registered No.  
 St. Ward

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17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from 191 to 191, that I last saw deceased alive on 191, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows: supplied

Working Beam in a firing line  
accidental

(Duration) yrs. mos. 7 ds.

CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) Reedus M. D. (Address) Cass Co. Mo.

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Satisfactory Information Supplied  
 SUPPLEMENTARY CERTIFICATE

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

15 Filed Dec 1 1917 Registrar Reedus

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Nelson Bend. Mo. DATE OF BURIAL 191

20 UNDERTAKER J. S. Kainer ADDRESS Cass Co. Mo.

Information should be supplied, AGE should be stated, SEX should be stated, RACE should be stated, OCCUPATION should be stated, PLACE OF DEATH in plain language, so that it may be properly classified.

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