

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

1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Franklin  
Township \_\_\_\_\_  
or \_\_\_\_\_  
Village \_\_\_\_\_  
or \_\_\_\_\_  
City Pacific (NO. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_)

Registration District No. 293 File No. 4773  
Primary Registration District No. 4177 Registered No. 9

2 FULL NAME Eliza Green

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

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX F 4 COLOR OR RACE B 5 SINGLE MARRIED widowed  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Do not know  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE about 58 If LESS than 1 day.....hrs. or.....min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Housework  
(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 Do not know  
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Not known  
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Judy Woodfork  
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Kentucky

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
(Informant) Cornelius Stanley  
(Address) Pacific Mo

15 Filed Feb 25 1918 H.A. Booth  
Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Feb 23 1918  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Dec 8 1918 to Feb 23 1918  
that I last saw h. alive on Feb 22 1918  
and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 7:15 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Cancer of the Stomach

CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) W.A. Booth M. D.  
Feb 29 1918 (Address) Pacific 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 Pacific City Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL 2/25 1918

20 UNDERTAKER Jno. A. Thurber ADDRESS Pacific 2110

# 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, peritonacum*, 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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 Village Pacific  
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PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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 (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Sometime in the Spring 1846  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE About 72 years If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.?  
 yrs. mos. ds.

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work  
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14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
 (Informant) Jura Lane  
 (Address) Pacific Mo.

15 Filed April 30, 1918 H. H. Root  
 Registrar

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 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from           , 1918, to           , 1918, that I last saw him            alive on           , 1918, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at            m.  
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Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

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 (Signed)            M. D.  
 1918 (Address)           

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SUPPLEMENTARY  
 Factory Information Supplied

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