

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

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Ralls Co Registration District No. 229 File No. 20421
 Township New London Primary Registration District No. 4432 Registered No. 23
 City New London (No.) St. (Ward)

2. FULL NAME Martha Ann Nolley

(a) Residence. No. St. Ward.
 (Usual place of abode) (If nonresident give city or town and State)
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Female 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word) Married

5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF Harvey Massey

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Nov 24 - 1851

7. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
67 7 6 19

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Housewife
 (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer).
 (c) Name of employer

9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) Mo

10. NAME OF FATHER John Wilson

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) Mo

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Elizabeth Poland

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) Mo.

14. INFORMANT Harvey Massey
 (Address) New London Mo.

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2 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) June 13 1919

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Oct 10 - 1918 to June 13, 1919, that I last saw her alive on Jan 2, 1919, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at m.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

St. Barbara
97A
 (duration) to yrs. 10 mos. ds.
 CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) Aortic dilatation
 (duration) yrs. 8 mos. ds.

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED

IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH:

19. DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? No DATE OF

20. WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? No

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS? Observation
 (Signed) S. Kugan, M. D.

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19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Bassley DATE OF BURIAL 6/14 1919
 ADDRESS New London Mo.

20. UNDERTAKER Huskins

Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death

[Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association.]

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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS
BY PHYSICIAN.

Ragan
London mo.

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County Ralls
Township
City New London

Registration District No. 729
Primary Registration District No. 4432

File No. 20421
Registered No.
St. Ward

2. FULL NAME

Martha Ann Mosely

(a) Residence No. St. Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

(If nonresident give city or town and State)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

F

4. COLOR OR RACE

W

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word)

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5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF

John A Mosely

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR)

07 5

7. AGE

YEARS

MONTHS

DAYS

If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

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housewife

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Pike Co Mo

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John Wilson

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(STATE OR COUNTRY)

Sk. Y.

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Elizabeth Beland

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN)

(STATE OR COUNTRY)

Pike Co Mo

14. INFORMANT

(Address)

John A Mosely
New London Mo

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Register

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) June 13 1919

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Nov 9th 1918 to June 12 1919, that I last saw John A Mosely on July 2 1919, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at London Mo.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

Caner of bowels and parable with some other troubles

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY)

Parable and arteriosclerosis

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED

IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH?

Port Keno

DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? DATE OF

WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY?

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS?

(Signed) John A Mosely, M. D.

, 19 (Address) London Mo

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19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Portly cemetery New London Mo 15 1919

20. UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

H M Ryan

ALL INFORMATION CALLED FOR MUST BE WRITTEN ON THIS SUPPLEMENTARY.

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