

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

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1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Monroe Registration District No. 582 File No. _____
 Township _____ Primary Registration District No. 4344 Registered No. 54
 City Paris (No. _____) St. _____ Ward _____

2. FULL NAME

Charles Edgar Armstrong
 (a) Residence. No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____
 (Usual place of abode) near Stouteville, Mo. (If nonresident give city or town and State)
 Length of residence in city or town, where death occurred 23 yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

3. SEX <u>male</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>white</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>married</u>		
5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF <u>Mary Armstrong</u>				
6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) <u>Jan. 17, 1851</u>				
7. AGE	YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
	<u>74</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>10</u>	
8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED				
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>farmer</u>				
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)				
(c) Name of employer				

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16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Dec. 27 1925

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from _____, 19____, to Dec. 27, 1925 (that I last saw _____ alive on Dec. 27, 1925 and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 4:00 A. M.)

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:
No. _____
to _____
about 45 yrs (prob.)
 (duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. 017

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) _____ (duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) _____ (STATE OR COUNTRY) New York

10. NAME OF FATHER John Armstrong

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN) _____ (STATE OR COUNTRY) New York

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Brouch

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN) _____ (STATE OR COUNTRY) New York

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED _____ IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH, _____

DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? no DATE OF _____

WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? no

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS? _____ (Signed) M. C. Payne, M. D. Dec. 28, 1925 (Address) Paris, Mo.

*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS AND NATURE OF INJURY, and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL. (See reverse side for additional space.)

14. INFORMANT Mrs. Monroe Seach (Address) Paris, Mo.

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19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Stouteville, Mo. DATE OF BURIAL Dec. 29, 1925

20. UNDERTAKER Speed & Blakey ADDRESS Paris, Mo.

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important.

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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 neoplasma); *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," "Anemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age," "Shock," "Uremia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage, as "PUERPERAL septicemia," "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.)

NOTE.—Individual offices may add to above list of undesirable terms and refuse to accept certificates containing them. Thus the form in use in New York City states: "Certificates will be returned for additional information which give any of the following diseases, without explanation, as the sole cause of death: Abortion, cellulitis, childbirth, convulsions, hemorrhage, gangrene, gastritis, erysipelas, meningitis, miscarriage, necrosis, peritonitis, phlebitis, pyemia, septicemia, tetanus." But general adoption of the minimum list suggested will work vast improvement, and its scope can be extended at a later date.

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS
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6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR)

7. AGE Years Months Days If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:
Strangulation of bowels due to perforation from an old injury to abdomen. Tree fell out.

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15. FILED 12 27 19 25 N. C. Payne REGISTRAR

20. UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

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

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