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

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1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Callaway
Township Jackson
City Jackson (No.) St. Ward

Registration District No. 102
Primary Registration District No. 5-150

File No.
Registered No.

2. FULL NAME

Merl Sallee

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

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

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Oct 11, 1901

7. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min. 24 5 26

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)

9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) Callaway Co., Mo.
(STATE OR COUNTRY)

10. NAME OF FATHER Jackson Vaughn

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

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Martha Vaughn

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

14. INFORMANT (Address) Jackson Vaughn
McCredie P.M.O.

15. FILED Apr. 8, 1926 Mrs. H. G. Thomas, Opt.
REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) April 7 1926

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from March 29, 1926, to March 29, 1926, that I last saw h. or alive on March 29, 1926, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 7 a.m.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

Pyemia
(duration) yrs. mos. 8 ds.

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) Abuse of return
(duration) yrs. mos. 15 ds.

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? Symptoms found

(Signed) H. R. Hicks, M.D.
, 19 (Address) Cent. Vauxe, Mo.

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

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Old Richland Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL Apr 8 1926

20. UNDERTAKER Hughes & Marple

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.

Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association.)

Statement of Occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer*, or *Planter*, *Physician*, *Composer*, *Architect*, *Locomotive Engineer*, *Civil Engineer*, *Stationary Fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*, (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*, (a) *Foreman* (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification, as *Day laborer*, *Farm laborer*, *Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife*, *Housework* or *At home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school* or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant*, *Cook*, *Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus: *Farmer, (retired, 6 yrs.)* For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

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 neoplasm); *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 date.

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENT
BY _____

requested to make every effort to obtain the following information, indicated by check marks, lacking from the death certificate:

Name: Merl Sallee

Who died at: Callaway Co. on April 7, 1926,

Residence: No. _____ St. _____
(If nonresident, city or town)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred: Years _____ Months _____ Days _____

Sex: _____ Color or race: _____ Single, married, widowed or divorced: _____

Date of birth: _____ Age: Years _____ Months _____ Days _____

Occupation: (a) Trade _____ (b) Industry: _____

Birthplace (State or country) _____

Birthplace of father (State or country) _____

Birthplace of mother (State or country) _____

CAUSE OF DEATH: Pyemia
Supposed Tuberculosis

Contributory: Abscess of Rectum.

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H. G. THOMAS
Druggist
AUXVASSE, MO.

11/3/26

Dr Gas Stewart

Dear Sir -

The Certificate sent state
that form of Tuberculosis. and Dr
Wills has left and I have no way
of getting this information, I
will try to get his address & have
him put an Certificate forwarded
you.

Yours Truly

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H. G. Thomas