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

OCT 29 1927

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Texas Registration District No. 11 32 File No.
Township Pierce Primary Registration District No. 3 2 50 Registered No.
City Guild (No.) St. Ward)

2. FULL NAME

William Jones
(a) Residence. No. Guild St. Ward.
(Usual place of abode) (If nonresident give city or town and State)
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 8 yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX male 4. COLOR OR RACE white 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word) widowed

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

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

7. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS IF LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
64 2 20

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Farmer
(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) Boonville Mo

10. NAME OF FATHER Joe Jones

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

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Decker

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

14. INFORMANT John Jones (Address) Guild MO

15. FILED W. S. ... 19 27 REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) 19

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 19, that I last saw him alive on 19, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at
No attending physician

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

Measels

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) (duration) yrs. mos. ds. 7

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH... at home

DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? no DATE OF

WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? no

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS? breaking out

(Signed) M. D. , 19 (Address) Guild

*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.)

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Rowe Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL 8-9 1927

20. UNDERTAKER C. W. Hailey ADDRESS Guild 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.

THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

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*, *Compositor*, *Architect*, *Mechanical 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, 8 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 neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Examples: *Measles* (disease causing death), *29 ds.*; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary); *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthma," "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 pneumonia," 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 freight way 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 BY PHYSICIAN.

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ALL INFORMATION CALLED FOR MUST BE WRITTEN ON THIS SUPPLEMENTARY.

9-27

1. PLACE OF DEATH
 County Texas Registration District No. 1032 File No. _____
 Township Pierce Primary Registration District No. 6144 Registered No. 10-
 City _____ (No. _____) St. _____ Ward _____

2. FULL NAME William Jones
 (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. da. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. da.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX M 4. COLOR OR RACE W 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word) wid

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

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) 1868-7-10

7. AGE	YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	IF LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
<u>64</u>		<u>2</u>	<u>20</u>	

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED
 (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work _____
 (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) _____

10. NAME OF FATHER _____

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

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER _____

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

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) 19-12-27 X 19 27

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from _____, 19____, to _____, 19____, that I last saw him _____, 19____, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at _____.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

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

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED
 IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH, _____
 DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH, _____ DATE OF _____
 WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY, _____
 WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS, _____
 (Signed) _____, M. D.
 _____, 19____ (Address)

*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.

14. INFORMANT _____ (Address) _____

15. FILED 10-1-27 Paul H. Brown REGISTRAR

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL	DATE OF BURIAL
	19
20. UNDERTAKER	ADDRESS

ACCURATELY. PHYSICIANS should state OCCUPATION is very important. A FEE FOR CERTIFICATES UNTIL THE REGISTRARS SHALL NO BE CAREFULLY SUPPLIED. AGE should be properly classified. A FEE FOR CERTIFICATES UNTIL THE REGISTRARS SHALL NO BE CAREFULLY SUPPLIED. AGE should be properly classified. A FEE FOR CERTIFICATES UNTIL THE REGISTRARS SHALL NO BE CAREFULLY SUPPLIED. AGE should be properly classified.

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