

ST 22 1928

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

29585

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Adair

Registration District No. 2

File No. _____

Township _____

Primary Registration District No. 4004

Registered No. 16

City Nowinger (No. _____ St. _____ Ward)

2. FULL NAME Sylvia Clifton

(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

female

4. COLOR OR RACE

white

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

single

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

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

March 30 1906

7. AGE

YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
<u>22</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>14</u>	

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work at home
 (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) Missouri

10. NAME OF FATHER

C. H. Clifton

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN)

(STATE OR COUNTRY) Missouri

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Nancy Smith

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN)

(STATE OR COUNTRY) Kennessee

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INFORMANT C. W. Clifton
 (Address) Wassellville Mo

15.

FILED 9/13/28 95 Gashwells
 REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Sept 13 1928

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from Sept 10 1928 to Sept 13 1928 that I last saw him alive on Sept 10 1928 and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 2 a.m.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

Chronic Interstitial nephritis
131 (duration) 1 yrs. mos. da.

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY)

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED

IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH? no

19. DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? no DATE OF _____

WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? no

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS? urine

(Signed) H. Garrison, M. D.

(Address) Nowinger 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.)

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Nowinger Cemetery

DATE OF BURIAL

Sept 14 1928

20. UNDERTAKER

Levellin Son

ADDRESS

Nowinger 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.

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

RETURN IN FIVE DAYS TO
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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 occu-
pation at beginning of illness. If retired from busi-
ness, that fact may be indicated thus: *Farmer (re-
tired, 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*; *Broncho-
pneumonia* ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite);
Tuberculosis of lungs, meninges, peritoneum, etc.,
Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc., of (name ori-
gin; "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 in-
tercurrent) affection need not be stated unless im-
portant. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death),
29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds.
Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions,
such as "Asthenia," "Anemia" (merely symptom-
atic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convul-
sions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.).
"Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hem-
orrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age,"
"Shock," "Uremia," "Weakness," etc., when a
definite disease can be ascertained as the cause.
Always qualify all diseases resulting from child-
birth 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 rail-
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 undesir-
able 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, hemor-
rhage, 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.