

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

29116

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Osceola Registration District No. 1034 File No. 29116
Township Osceola Primary Registration District No. 3547 Registered No. 85
City Osceola (No. St. Ward)

2. FULL NAME

Robert Ardell Dunn
(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 M 4. COLOR OR RACE W 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (or the word) single

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

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) July 26 1934

7. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min. 1 2

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) Osceola Mo
(STATE OR COUNTRY)

10. NAME OF FATHER John Henry Dunn

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

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Edna Conway

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

14. INFORMANT Levie Jordan
(Address) Osceola Mo

15. FILED Aug 7 1934 Miss Mary H. Brecken
REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Aug 6 1934

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 19 , to 19 , and that I last saw h. alive on 19 , and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 6:30 P m.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

Proneural Biotic

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) 159

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?

X (Signed) Seymour Stepan M.D.
, 19 (Address) Osceola 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 Covered Creek Mo DATE OF BURIAL Aug 7 1934

20. UNDERTAKER Issie Suttall ADDRESS Osceola 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.

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—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*, *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 neoplasms); *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
BY PHYSICIAN.

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ALL INFORMATION CALLED
FOR MUST BE WRITTEN ON
THIS SUPPLEMENTARY.

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Iron
Township Liberty
City (No. _____) _____

Registration District No. 1034
Primary Registration District No. 3547

File No. 29116
Registered No. 85
St. _____ Ward _____

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence, No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____
(Usual place of abode)

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. (If nonresident, give city or town and State)

Robert Gedell Dunn

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

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

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) July 26 1934

7. AGE	YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
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8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, sawyer, bookkeeper, etc. _____
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as silk mill, saw mill, bank, etc. _____
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) _____ 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation _____

12. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) Sabula Mo

FATHER 13. NAME John Henry Dunn

14. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) Sabula Mo

MOTHER 15. MAIDEN NAME Silvia Orin

16. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) Saginaw Co Mo

17. INFORMANT (ADDRESS) Leslie Cochran Sabula Mo

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL PLACE Carver Care DATE _____ 19.

19. UNDERTAKER (ADDRESS) Jessie Sutton daughter Sabula Mo

20. FILED Aug 7 1934 Mrs Mary Heaton Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) Aug 6 1934

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from _____ to _____, 19____
I last saw him _____ alive on _____, 19____. Death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at _____ m.
The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Preterm Birth Date of onset _____

Other contributory causes of importance: _____

Name of operation _____ Date of _____
What test confirmed diagnosis? _____ Was there an autopsy? _____

23. If death was due to external causes (violence), fill in also the following:
Accident, suicide, or homicide? _____ Date of injury _____, 19____
Where did injury occur? _____ (Specify city or town, county, and State)
Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place.

Manner of injury _____
Nature of injury _____

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? _____
If so, specify _____

(Signed) Weta Strand, M.D.
(Address) New Mans. Heaton, Ia

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SUPPLEMENTARY

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