

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.

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

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SEP 14 1934

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County RandolphRegistration District No. 733Township HuntsvillePrimary Registration District No. 4438City Huntsville (No. _____)

File No. _____

Registered No. _____

St. _____ Ward _____

2. FULL NAME William P. Aschom(a) Residence. No. County Sanatorium 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

Male

4. COLOR OR RACE

White

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

married

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

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Sept 23, 1872

7. AGE

YEARS

MONTHS

DAYS

If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.

61115

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work

No Occupation

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

(c) Name of employer

9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) St. Louis

(STATE OR COUNTRY)

10. NAME OF FATHER William T. Aschom

PARENTS

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN)

(STATE OR COUNTRY) Missouri12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Unknown

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN)

(STATE OR COUNTRY) Unknown

14.

INFORMANT

(Address) Mrs. Maud Tieman

15.

FILED

Aug 28, 1934D. A. Greenleaf

REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Aug 27 1934

17.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Aug 1 1934, to Aug 27 1934, that I last saw alive on Aug 26 1934, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 3 a.m.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

Bright's Disease
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CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY)

(duration) 2 yrs. 0 mos. 0 da.

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED

IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH: noDID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? no DATE OF _____WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? no

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS

(Signed) H. G. Pragg

M. D.

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(Address) Huntsville

*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

DATE OF BURIAL

Renick, MoAug 29 1934

20. UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Tom B. PattonHuntsville

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; Broncho-pneumonia* ("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.; *Broncho-pneumonia* (secondary), 10ds. 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.

WASHINGTON

Randolph

Dear Sir:

It is essential that death certificates be complete in every particular in order that proper classification may be made. You are therefore requested to make every effort to obtain the following information, indicated by check marks, lacking from the death certificate.

Name: Wm P Aschorn
 Who died at _____ on Aug 27 - 1934 ✓
 Residence: No. _____ St. _____
 (If nonresident, city or town)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred: Years _____ Months _____ Days _____
 Sex M Color or race W Single, married, widowed or divorced: _____

Date of birth _____ Age: Years 61 Months 11 Days 5

Occupation: (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, sawyer, bookkeeper, etc. (b) Industry or business in which work was done, as silk mill, saw mill, bank, etc.

Bright Disease Chronic
 Date deceased last worked at this occupation: Month _____ Year _____
 Birthplace (State or country) _____
 Birthplace of father (State or country) _____
 Birthplace of mother (State or country) _____
 Principal cause of death: Cystitis 731 A

Other contributory causes of importance _____
 Name of operation _____ Date of _____
 What test confirmed diagnosis? _____ Was there an autopsy? _____
 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 _____
 Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? _____
 If so, specify _____
 Name of physician A G Murray
 Address of physician Humboldt
 Signature of Registrar W. D. A. Benchoat Date filed Feb-10-1934

This information is sought for statistical purposes only and in order that the official report may be complete and correct. Please reply promptly using the enclosed official envelope which requires no postage.

Reg. Dist. No. 733

Very truly yours,

Primary Reg. Dist. No. 4438

E. T. McGaugh
 Special Agent

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