

SEP 29 1936

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

32093

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County St Charles
Township Portage
City Portage

Registration District No. 756
Primary Registration District No. 5997

File No. 32093
Registered No. _____
St. _____ Ward _____

2. FULL NAME

Agusta Mollie Gummaldt

(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 33 yrs. — mos. — ds. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? 75 yrs. — mos. — ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

3. SEX Female
4. COLOR OR RACE White
5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word) Widowed

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Aug 18 1936

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

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 1932 to Aug 18 1936 that I last saw her alive on Aug 10 1936, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 10 a. m.

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Oct 4 - 1842
7. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS If LESS than I day, hrs. or min.
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THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

General Arterio Sclerosis
Chronic Myocardial degeneration
(duration) 10 yrs. — mos. — ds.

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Housework
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) at home
(c) Name of employer _____

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) Excessiv Heat
(duration) _____ yrs. — mos. — ds.

9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) Saarbrücken
(STATE OR COUNTRY) Germany

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED
IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH: 930

10. NAME OF FATHER George Gusemberger

DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? No. DATE OF _____

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

WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? No.

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Unknown

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS? Clinical
(Signed) C. A. Barnard, M. D.

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

Aug 20, 1936 (Address)

14. INFORMANT Mrs D H Harlow
(Address) West Alton Md

*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.)

15. Filed Aug 20 1936 C. A. Barnard
REGISTRAR

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Ebenezer Cem.
DATE OF BURIAL Aug 20 1936

20. UNDERTAKER Wm H Bauer
ADDRESS Alton 211

N. B.—Every item of information 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. In many cases, especially in industrial employment, 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 later date.

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS
BY PHYSICIAN.