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

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1. PLACE OF DEATH

County *Lafayette*
Township *Madison*
City *Haverly*

Registration District No. *465*
Primary Registration District No. *4078*

File No.
Registered No. *13*
St. Ward)

2. FULL NAME

Fannie Elizabeth Thomas

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

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. (If nonresident give city or town and State)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Female

4. COLOR OR RACE

White

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

Widow

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

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

Jan. 16th - 1855

7. AGE

83

YEARS

MONTHS

8

DAYS

10

If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED

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

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

(c) Name of employer

9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN)

Haverly Mo

(STATE OR COUNTRY)

10. NAME OF FATHER

William Bellamy

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN)

Virginia

(STATE OR COUNTRY)

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Sarah Keene

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN)

Kentucky

(STATE OR COUNTRY)

14. INFORMANT (Address) *Mrs. Geo. Kelling*

15. FILED *Oct 4, 1937* *Elizabeth Cordes* REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) *Oct 2nd* 19 *37*

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from *Sept 27*, 19*37*, to *Oct 2nd*, 19 *37* (that I last saw her alive on *Oct 2nd*, 19*37*, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at *11:20 P.* m.)

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

Intestinal obstruction
Carcinoma of Small
intestines. (duration) yrs. mos. *6* da.

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY)

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED

IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH.....

DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH..... DATE OF.....

WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? *1*

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS?

(Signed) *Geo A Kelling*, M. D. *10-3, 1937* (Address) *Haverly Mo*

*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or in deaths from TOXIC 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

Haverly Cemetery

DATE OF BURIAL

Oct 4 1937

20. UNDERTAKER

Willie Funeral Home

ADDRESS

Carrollton

CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. AGES should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state any necessary supplies.

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 neoplasma); *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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FILL IN ANSWERS TO ALL SPACES
CHECKED IN RED PENCIL.

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Do not use this space.

1. PLACE OF DEATH
 (a) County Lafayette Registration District No.
 (b) Township Primary Registration District No. Registered No.
 (c) City Waverly (d) Street No. St.
 (If death occurred in Hospital or Institution, write its name instead of street and number)
 (e) Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. (f) How long in U. S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

2. PRINT FULL NAME Fannie Elizabeth Thomas
 (a) Residence, No. St. (If nonresident, give city or town and State)
 (Usual place of abode, if no street address, write county or city)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

3. SEX 7 4. COLOR OR RACE W 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) Wed

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

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

7. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
83 8 16

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as sawyer, bookkeeper, etc.
 9. Industry or business in which work was done, as 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)

FATHER
 13. NAME
 14. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY)

MOTHER
 15. MAIDEN NAME
 16. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY)

17. INFORMANT (ADDRESS)
 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL PLACE Waverly Cem DATE Oct 4 1937
 19. FUNERAL DIRECTOR (ADDRESS)
 20. FILED Oct 20 1937 Elizabeth Combs Local Registrar.

21. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) Oct 2 1937

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 19... to 19... 19...

I last saw h. 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:

Intestinal obstruction Date of onset 9. 27. 1937

Other contributory causes of importance
Carcinoma of small Intestine

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) Geo. A. Kelling M. D.

(Address) Waverly Mo

REGISTRARS SHALL NOT RECEIVE A FEE FOR CERTIFICATES UNTIL THEY ARE COMPLETED AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW.

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