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

29621

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Madaway Registration District No. 629 File No. 29621
Towship Jack Haddy Primary Registration District No. 4379 Registered No. _____
City Ravenwood (No. _____) St. _____ Ward _____

2. FULL NAME Kennery Coffelt

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

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 62 yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Aug 8 1938

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

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from March 2, 1938 to Aug 8, 1938 that I last saw him alive on Aug 15, 1938, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 2:15 a.m.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:
Chronic Valvular Heart 950

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

7. AGE	YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	IF LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
<u>86</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>		

(duration) yrs. mos. ds.

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

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) old age
(duration) yrs. mos. ds.

9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) Ohio
(STATE OR COUNTRY)

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

10. NAME OF FATHER Mose Coffelt

DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? No. DATE OF _____

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

WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? no

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Smith

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS.
(Signed) R. G. Garten M. D.
, 19 Ravenwood, Mo. (Address)

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

*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.)

14. INFORMANT Ms. V. Chambers
(Address) Ravenwood Mo.

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Oak Hill Cemetery, 6 mi. W. of Ravenwood, Mo.

DATE OF BURIAL Aug. 9 1938
ADDRESS Ravenwood Mo.

15. FILED Aug 9 1938 Grace Bukholt REGISTRAR

20. UNDERTAKER S. P. Ross

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*, *Compositor*, *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 organ); "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), *19 da.*; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary). 10 *da.* 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*; *Roadster 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 understandable 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, cholitis, 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.

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 Nodaway Registration District No. 629
 (b) Township _____ Primary Registration District No. 4399 Registered No. _____
 (c) City Rainwood (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 Kenney Coffelt

(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

3. SEX <u>m</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>w</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED <u>wid</u>
5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) <u>Feb 7 - 1852</u>		
7. AGE	YEARS <u>86</u>	MONTHS <u>6</u>
	DAYS <u>1</u>	IF LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
OCCUPATION	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	DATE	
19. FUNERAL DIRECTOR (ADDRESS)		
20. FILED <u>Aug 9, 1938</u> <u>Grace Buholtz</u> Local Registrar		

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) aug 8, 1938

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from _____ to _____, 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:

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) R. G. Garter M.D.
 (Address) Rainwood mo

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

SUPPLEMENTARY

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