

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

34539  
Do not use this space.

1. PLACE OF DEATH

(a) County... **Jackson** .....  
 (b) Township... **Kaw** .....  
 (c) City... **Kansas** .....  
 (d) Street No. **River & Charlotte** ..... 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

**421** **Percy A. Gillespie**  
 (a) Residence, No. **1702 So. 22nd. St. K.C.K.** ..... St.  .....  
 (Usual place of abode, if no street address, write county or city) (If nonresident, give city or town and State)

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 **Mattie Gillespie**  
 6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) **May 18, 1884**  
 7. AGE YEARS **54** MONTHS **4** DAYS **15** 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. **Railroad**  
 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) **Missouri**

FATHER 13. NAME **Albert Gillespie**

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

MOTHER 15. MAIDEN NAME **Ana Alexander**

16. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) **Ireland**

17. INFORMANT (ADDRESS) **William A. Gillespie**  
**1710 So. 22nd. St. K.C.K.**

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL PLACE **Nelson, Mo.** DATE **Oct. 6, 38**

19. FUNERAL DIRECTOR (NAME) (ADDRESS) **Peter B. Lapetina**  
**Kansas City, Mo.**

20. FILED **Oct 5 1938 M. M. Crow**  
Local Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) **10-3-38**, 19...  
 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from **1938**, 19...  
 I last saw him on the date stated above, at **9:00 P.M.**  
 The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

**Death by drowning**  
**183'**  
 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, town, or village and State)  
 Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place.  
**Also not known**

Manner of injury.....  
 Nature of injury.....  
 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? **U**  
 If so, specify.....  
 (Signed) **Walter B. Smith**, M. D.  
 (Address) **New York, H. C. Ma**

**STATEMENT BY LICENSED EMBALMER**

I hereby certify that the body whose name is recorded on the reverse side of this certificate was embalmed by me, .....

....., or by .....

Registered Apprentice No....., working under my personal supervision.

Signed.....

Licensed Embalmer No.....

P. O. Address.....

**Note: The above MUST BE SIGNED BY THE LICENSED EMBALMER in his OWN HANDWRITING. (Failure to comply with the above constitutes grounds for revocation of license.)**

**If this body is not embalmed, above space should be left blank.**