

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

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REC'D FEB 10 1939

**1. PLACE OF DEATH**

(a) County..... Registration District No. **701**  
 (b) Township..... Primary Registration District No. **1003**  
 (c) City **St. Louis Missouri.** (d) Street No. **Missouri Baptist Hospital** 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. da. (f) How long in U. S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. da.

**2. PRINT FULL NAME** **Joseph J. Beekman**

(a) Residence, No. .... St. **NR** **Herculanum Missouri.**  
 (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) **Widowed**

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

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) **Jan. 22, 1878**

7. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS If LESS than 1 day, ..... hrs. or ..... min.  
**60 11 29**

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. **Lead Mill.**  
 10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) .....  
 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation .....

12. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) **Trenton**  
 (STATE OR COUNTRY) **Missouri**

FATHER 13. NAME **Isaac Newton Beekman**

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

MOTHER 15. MAIDEN NAME **Eliza Loretto Barrickman**

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

17. INFORMANT **Alma Bischoff**  
 (ADDRESS) **Herculanum Missouri**

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL  
 PLACE **Herculanum Mo.** DATE **Jan. 23, 38**

19. FUNERAL DIRECTOR (NAME) **Albert H. Hoppe Inc.**  
 (ADDRESS) **4700 Washington Blyd.**

20. FILED **Jan 23 1939** 19 **J. B. Brudick**  
 Local Registrar.

**MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

21. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) **Jan. 21, 1939**

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from **Jan 15th**, 1939, to **Jan 21st**, 1939  
 I last saw him alive on **Jan 20th**, 1939. Death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at **5:25 AM**  
 The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

**Myocarditis - decompensation**

Date of onset

**1-1-39**

Other contributory causes of importance:

**Pleural effusion - left side**  
**Malignant neoplasm of lung** **12-15-38**

Name of operation ..... Date of .....  
 What test confirmed diagnosis? **X Ray** Was there an autopsy? **No**

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? **No**  
 If so, specify .....

(Signed) **E. B. Walters**, M. D.  
 (Address) **Kirkwood, Mo.**

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.

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**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.....

*Albert S. Hopper*

Licensed Embalmer No..... *2971*

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.**