

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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# MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

## BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

### CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

26488  
Do not use this space.

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

(a) County PETTIS Registration District No. 668  
 (b) Township \_\_\_\_\_ Primary Registration District No. 6689032 Registered No. 228  
 (c) City Sedalia (d) Street No. Bottwell 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. / ds. (f) How long in U. S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

## 2. PRINT FULL NAME

H. LOUISE O'BELL WELLS.  
 (a) Residence, No. WARSAW, Mo. 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 Female 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 William S. Wells  
 6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) April 20 1917  
 7. AGE YEARS 22 MONTHS 3 DAYS 27 If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

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) Florin Missouri

13. NAME Earl J. O'Bell

14. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) Missouri

15. MAIDEN NAME Stella Piles

16. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) Missouri

17. INFORMANT (ADDRESS) William S. Wells  
Warsaw, Mo.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL PLACE Platte City, Mo. DATE 7/19, 1939

19. FUNERAL DIRECTOR (NAME) (ADDRESS) Mr. Laughlin  
Sedalia, Mo.

20. FILED July 18, 1939 Miss Harry Snee Local Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) July 17, 1939

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from July 17, 1939 to July 18, 1939  
 I last saw him alive on July 18, 1939. Death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 7:30 p.m.  
 The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

diabetic coma

Date of onset

Other contributory causes of importance: 54

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_  
 What test confirmed diagnosis? laboratory 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) Mr. P. Shy, M. D.

(Address) Sedalia, Mo.

RECEIVED  
District Health Officer No. 8,  
District File Number 7039  
Date Filed

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, .....

Robert H Reed

, or by .....

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

Signed Robert H Reed

Licensed Embalmer No. 3745

P. O. Address Sedalia Mo

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.