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THE DIVISION OF HEALTH OF MISSOURI
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

State File No. 7165

BIRTH NO. _____ REG. DIST. NO. 318 PRIMARY REG. DIST. NO. 1003 Registrar's No. 688

WRITE PLAINLY—USING UNFADING BLACK INK—MAKE A PERMANENT RECORD

1. PLACE OF DEATH
a. COUNTY
b. CITY OR TOWN (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give township): St. Louis
c. LENGTH OF STAY (in this place)
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION (If not in hospital or institution, give street address or location): St. Mary's Infirmary

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission).
a. STATE: Missouri
b. COUNTY
c. CITY OR TOWN: St. Louis
d. Is Residence within limits of a city or incorporated town? Yes ☐ No ☐
e. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location): 3725 Cottage Avenue 211 ?

3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print)
a. (First): Benjamin
b. (Middle):
c. (Last): Saunders

4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) 1 (Day) 18 (Year) 56

5. SEX: Male
6. COLOR OR RACE: Colored
7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify): Married
8. DATE OF BIRTH: 11-17-1889
9. AGE (In years last birthday): 66 — IF UNDER 1 YEAR: Months / Days — IF UNDER 24 HRS.: Hours / Min.

10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired): Post Office
10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY: None
11. BIRTHPLACE (City and State or Foreign Country): Mississippi
12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? USA

13a. FATHER'S NAME: Eliza Saunders
13b. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME: Annie Frazier
14. NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE: Carrie Saunders

15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) No (If yes, give war or dates of service)
16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO.: ?
17. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE OR NAME: Carrie Saunders — ADDRESS: 3725 Cottage Avenue

18. CAUSE OF DEATH
Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c)

This does not mean the mode of dying, such as heart failure, asthenia, etc. It means the disease, injury, or complication which caused death.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATION

I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) Acute Gangrenous Appendicitis — INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH: 6 days

ANTECEDENT CAUSES
Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (a) stating the underlying cause last.
DUE TO (b) _____
DUE TO (c) _____

II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS
Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death. _____ 550.1

19a. DATE OF OPERATION: 1-16-56
19b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION: Generalized peritonitis, Gangrenous Appendicitis
20. AUTOPSY? YES ☑ NO ☐

21a. ACCIDENT SUICIDE HOMICIDE (Specify)
21b. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.)
21c. (CITY, TOWN, OR TOWNSHIP) (COUNTY) (STATE)

21d. TIME OF INJURY (Month) (Day) (Year) (Hour) m.
21e. INJURY OCCURRED: WHILE AT WORK ☐ NOT WHILE AT WORK ☐
21f. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR?

22. *I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from* 1-6-, 1956, *to* 1-18-, 1956, *that I last saw the deceased alive on* 1-18-, 1956, *and that death occurred at* 10 a. *m., from the causes and on the date stated above.*

23a. SIGNATURE (Degree or title): A. H. Vaughn M.D.
23b. ADDRESS: 11 N. Jefferson St. Louis
23c. DATE SIGNED: 1-20-56

24a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify): Removal
24b. DATE: 1-23-56
24c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY: Washington Park
24d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State): St. Louis County, Missouri

DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REG.: JAN 20 1956
REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE: J. Earl Smith M.D. I.P.
25. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE: Ellis Funeral Home, Inc. — ADDRESS: 2820 Stoddard St.

(Licensed Embalmer's Statement on Reverse Side)

STATEMENT BY LICENSED EMBALMER

I hereby certify that the body whose name is recorded on the reverse side of this certificate was embal

by me, or by ....., Student Embalmer No.....

working under my personal supervision..

Student.....
Signature of Student Embalmer

Signed Fulton E. Culk

Licensed Embalmer No. 419

P. O. Address [illegible]

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

If embalmed by a STUDENT, he also shall sign in his OWN handwriting.

If this body is not embalmed, fact should be so stated above.