

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD.

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.

PLACE OF DEATH

Bajin

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

County *Jasper*
Township *Madison*
or
Village
or
City (NO. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)

Registration District No. *408* File No. *1512*
Primary Registration District No. *5564* Registered No. *13*

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

FULL NAME *Edward Solomon Pike*

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

SEX *Male* COLOR OF RACE *White* SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED
(Write the word) *Married*
DATE OF BIRTH *March 13, 1846*
(Month) (Day) (Year)
AGE *66 yrs 9 mos 2 ds.* IF LESS than 1 day, ___ hrs. or ___ min.?

DATE OF DEATH *Jan 15, 1912*
(Month) (Day) (Year)

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work *Gardener*
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) *1-53*

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from *Aug*, 191*1*, to *Jan 15*, 191*2*, that I last saw him alive on *Jan 14*, 191*2*, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at *3:06* p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Trauma

BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) *Highland Illinois*

(Duration) *131* yrs. *132* mos. *10* ds.

NAME OF FATHER *Mr. Pike*

Contributory (SECONDARY) (Duration) *131* yrs. *132* mos. *10* ds.

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) *Unobtainable*

(Signed) *J. E. Baker* M. D.
Jan 15, 1912 (Address) *Carthage Mo.*

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER *Sarah Bean*

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) *Unobtainable*

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)
At place of death ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds. In the State ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

Where was disease contracted If not at place of death?

(Informant) *Ed Cunningham*
(ADDRESS) *Carthage, Mo.*

Former or usual residence *Jasper County, Mo.*

Filed *January 15, 1912* *James B. Loyd* REGISTRAR

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL *Park Cemetery* DATE OF BURIAL *Jan 17, 1912*

UNDERTAKER *Snell Und. Co.* ADDRESS *Carthage, Mo.*

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*, *Sar-*

coma, etc., of _____ (name origin; "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), *29 ds.*; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age," "Shock," "Uraemia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage, as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "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*; *Revolver 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.)



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

PLACE OF DEATH
County Jasper
Township Madison
or
Village
or
City (NO. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)

Registration District No. 408 File No. _____
Primary Registration District No. 5564 Registered No. 13

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number].

FULL NAME Edward Solomon Pike

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH.

SEX male COLOR OR RACE white SINGLE MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED married
(Write the word)

DATE OF DEATH Jan. 15 1912
(Month) (Day) (Year)

DATE OF BIRTH March 13 1846
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Jan. 1, 1912, to Jan. 15, 1912, that I last saw him alive on Jan. 14, 1912, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 3:30 a.m.

AGE 65 yrs. 9 mos. 2 ds. If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Chronic Nephritis

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Gardener
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

(Duration) yrs. 6 mos. ds.
Contributory (SECONDARY)
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) Highland, Ill.

PARENTS
NAME OF FATHER Mr. Pike
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Unobtainable
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Sarah Bean
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Unobtainable

(Signed) H. B. Baker M. D.
Jan. 15, 1912. (Address) Carthage, Mo.
*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) Ed. A. Cunningham
(ADDRESS) Carthage, Mo.

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)
At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.
Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?
Former or usual residence Jasper Co., Mo.

Filed Jan 4 1913. James Boyd REGISTRAR

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Park Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL Jan. 17 1912
UNDERTAKER Krull Und. Co. ADDRESS Carthage, Mo.

Original file, date Jan 15, 1912 All information called for must be written on this Supplementary Certificate.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

No. 2. N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. OCCUPATION should be stated EXACTLY. CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. 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*, *Composer*, *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, Sar-*

coma, etc., of _____ (name origin; "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), *29 ds.*; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age," "Shock," "Uraemia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage, as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "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*; *Revolver 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.)