

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

PLACE OF DEATH

County Bremer

Township North Campbell

Village

City

Springfield, Mo. (NO. 1803) Grant St.

St. 7 Ward

FULL NAME Louis L. Pierce

Registration District No. 318

File No. 19157

Primary Registration District No. 2001

Registered No. 401

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

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX

COLOR OR RACE

SINGLE
MARRIED
WIDOWED
OR DIVORCED
(Write the word)

Male White Married

DATE OF BIRTH

Oct. 4th 1847
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE

66 yrs. 8 mos. 26 ds.

IF LESS than
1 day, ___ hrs.
or ___ min.?

OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work

Retired

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

BIRTHPLACE

(City or town, State or foreign country)

New York

NAME OF FATHER

Louis L. Pierce

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(City or town, State or foreign country) Stuben County

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Elmira

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(City or town, State or foreign country) Unknown

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Harry Morgan
Springfield Mo

Filed

June 30 1914 Edward G. Lane
REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH

Jun 30 1914
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from 22 May, 1914, to Jun 30, 1914, that I last saw him alive on May 31, 1914, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 3:20 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Glycemia

(Duration) ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.

Contributory

(SECONDARY) (Duration) ___ yrs. ___ mos. ___ ds.

(Signed) J. J. Evans M. D.

1914 (Address) 222 E. Commercial St

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

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

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Newburg Mo July 1 1914

UNDERTAKER

Paul C. Stader Springfield Mo

DATE OF BURIAL

ADDRESS

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*, *Sarcoma*, 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.)

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 BIRTH

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

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County St. Louis Registration District No. 318 File No. _____
 or _____
 Village _____ Primary Registration District No. 2001 Registered No. 1401
 or _____
 City Springfield (City) 1803 N Grant St.: _____ Ward) [If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number]
 FULL NAME Louis L Pierce

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX M COLOR OR RACE W SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED M
(Write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH _____ 191____
(Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE _____
If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min. or _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

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

BIRTHPLACE
 (City or town, State or foreign country) _____

PARENTS

NAME OF FATHER	_____
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country)	_____
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER	_____
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country)	_____

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
 (Informant) _____
 (ADDRESS) _____

Filed June 30 1914 Edw J. Jones REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH June 30, 1914
(Month) (Day) (Year)

HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from _____, 191____, to _____, 191____, that I last saw him alive on _____, 191____, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 3:30 p. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Glycaemia
Diabetes 50
(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Contributory _____
(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

(Signed) J. J. Evans M. D.
 _____, 191____ (Address) 2223 Grand St

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 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 _____

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL _____ DATE OF BURIAL _____, 191____

UNDERTAKER _____ ADDRESS _____

SUPPLEMENTARY Information Supplied.

Original file, date JUN 1914 All information called for must be written on this Supplementary Certificate.

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