

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

1 PLACE OF DEATH,

County Audrain

Township _____

or _____

Village _____

or _____

City Mexico

Registration District No. 26

File No. 23938

Primary Registration District No. 3000

Registered No. 71

(NO. R. Clark Ave St. 2 Ward)

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

2 FULL NAME Matilda Ann Davis

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Widow
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb 14 1898
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 77 yrs. 5 mos. 1 ds. If LESS than 1 day... hrs. or... min.?

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work. none
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) Middletown Montgomer

PARENTS
10 NAME OF FATHER Wm. Hughes
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Don't know
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Don't know
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Don't know

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) Cordelia E. Waples
(Address) Mexico Mo

15 Filed Aug 7 1915 Nellae Registrar

16 DATE OF DEATH Aug 6 1915
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Aug 6, 1915, to Aug 6, 1915, that I last saw her alive on not at all, 1915, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 6:30 P m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Ch Cerebral Hemorrhage
DLA
8713 coroner case
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds. 64

CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) (Duration) yrs. mos. ds. 64
(Signed) Port G. Shode M. D.
Aug 7, 1915 (Address) Mexico Mo

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

18 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.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Farber Mo DATE OF BURIAL Aug 7, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER R. S. Spector ADDRESS Mexico Mo

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[Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health
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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 of 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.)

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1 PLACE OF DEATH *Dubraue*
 County *Dubraue* REGISTRARS SHALL NOT RECEIVE A FEE FOR CERTIFICATES UNTIL THEY ARE COMPLETED AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW
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 Township *Mexico* Registration District No. *3002* File No. *71*
 or *Mexico* Primary Registration District No. *3002* Registered No. *71*
 or *Mexico* City (NO. *3002* St. *3002* Ward *3002*)
 City *Mexico* (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)
 2 FULL NAME *Matilda Ann Daves*

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX *F* 4 COLOR OF RACE *W* 5 SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) *W*
 6 DATE OF BIRTH *Satisfactory Information Supplied.* (Month) *1* (Day) *1* (Year)
 7 AGE *Satisfactory Information Supplied.* yrs. *1* mos. *1* ds. If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.?
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MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH *Aug. 6* 191*5*
 (Month) (Day) (Year)
 17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from *Satisfactory Information Supplied.* 191*5* to *1915*, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at *Satisfactory Information Supplied.* The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Cerebral Hemorrhage
Pressure from blood clot
20 minutes (Duration) 64 yrs. 4 mos. 4 ds.
 CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) *64 minutes*
 (Signed) *Robert H. ...* M. D.
8-7 191*5* (Address) *Mexico*
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 Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?
 Former or usual residence
 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL *Satisfactory Information Supplied.* 191*5*
 20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) *Satisfactory Information Supplied.* (Address)
 15 Filed *Oct 9 1915* *Wallas, Texas* Registrar

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