

LOCAL REGISTRAR'S RECORD—DO NOT TEAR LEAF OUT

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

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1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Lamar
Township Lamar
City Lamar

Registration District No. 469
Primary Registration District No. 469

File No. 6
Registered No. 6
St. 6 Ward

2. FULL NAME

Mary Melina Wood

(a) Residence No. St. Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. da. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. da. (If nonresident give city or town and State)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX F 4. COLOR OR RACE W 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word)

5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF Born Sept. 8 - 1929

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Sept 8 - 1929

7. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS IF LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min. 6 6

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work 0
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) 0
(c) Name of employer

9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN)

(STATE OR COUNTRY) Lamar Mo

10. NAME OF FATHER Albert Wood

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) Mo

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Sebastian

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) Tenn

14. INFORMANT Albert Wood (Address) Miller Mo

15. FILED Mar 14 1924 W. S. Burney REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Mar 13 1924

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from , 1924 to , 1924 that I last saw h. alive on , 1924 and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

Probably Pneumonia

1077 (duration) yrs. mos. da.

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY)

(duration) yrs. mos. da.

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED

IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH,

DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? DATE OF

WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY?

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS?

(Signed) W. S. Burney, M. D.

, 19 24 (Address) Miller Mo

*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS AND NATURE OF INJURY, and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL. (See reverse side for additional space.)

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Campbell

DATE OF BURIAL

3/14 1924

20. UNDERTAKER

J. W. Morris

ADDRESS

Miller Mo

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1. PLACE OF DEATH

County..... Registration District No. File No.
 Township..... Primary Registration District No. Registered No.
 City..... (No.) St. Ward.....

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence. No. St. Ward.....
 (Usual place of abode) (If nonresident give city or town and State)
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. da. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. da.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX | 4. COLOR OR RACE | 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word)

5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND or (or) WIFE OF

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR)

7. AGE	YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS
			IF LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED

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

9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY)

10. NAME OF FATHER (STATE OR COUNTRY)

PARENTS

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY)

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER (STATE OR COUNTRY)

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY)

14. INFORMANT (Address)

15. FILED 19..... REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) 19.....

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from that I last saw h..... alive on....., 19....., to....., 19....., and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at.....
 The CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY)
 (duration)..... yrs. mos. da.
 (duration)..... yrs. mos. da.

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED
 IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH..... DATE OF.....
 DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH..... DATE OF.....
 WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY.....
 WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS.....

(Signed)....., M. D.
 , 19 (Address)

*State the Disease Causing Death, or in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means and Nature of Injury, and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal. (See reverse side for additional space.)

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL | DATE OF BURIAL
 | 19

20. UNDERTAKER | ADDRESS

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

The enclosed certificate is defective for the reason that
Pneumonia is indefinite. State whether Lobar or Broncho-Pneumonia

Please correct, sign and return.

*I do not know. Had no physician
sent medicine*
P. CORTEZ F. ENLOF.

State Registrar.

Had no physician
~~J. A. B. ADCOCK, M. D.~~

~~State Registrar~~

W. S. Burrely

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BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Lawrence Registration District No. 469 File No. _____
 Township Lincoln Primary Registration District No. 5630 Registered No. 6
 City _____ No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____

2. FULL NAME

Mary Melvina Hood
 (a) Residence. No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____
 (Usual place of abode) (If nonresident give city or town and State)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. da. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. da.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX ♀ 4. COLOR OR RACE W 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word)

5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF

DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Sept 8 - 1923

YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	IF LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
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OCCUPATION OF DECEASED

Trade, profession, or other kind of work _____
 General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) _____
 I am _____
 (CITY OR TOWN) _____
 (COUNTRY) _____
 FATHER _____

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN) _____
 (STATE OR COUNTRY) _____

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER _____

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN) _____
 (STATE OR COUNTRY) _____

14. INFORMANT (Address) _____

15. File - Ed. S. Boney
 1924 REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Mar 13 1924

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from _____ to _____, 19____, that I last saw him _____ (alive or dead), 19____, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at _____ m.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH WAS AS FOLLOWS:

Probably pneumonia
70 physician
I sent medicine once
 CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) Ed. S. Boney
 (duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ da.

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED _____

IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH? 905

DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? _____ DATE OF _____

WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? _____

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS? _____

(Signed) _____, M. D.
 _____, 19____ (Address)

*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS and NATURE of INJURY, and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL. (See reverse side for additional space.)

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL _____ DATE OF BURIAL _____

20. UNDERTAKER _____ ADDRESS _____

ALL INFORMATION CALLED FOR MUST BE WRITTEN ON THIS SUPPLEMENTARY.

SUPPLEMENTARY

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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) *Colton 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 neoplasm); *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," "Anemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age," "Shock," "Uremia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage, as "PUERPERAL septicemia," "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.)

NOTE.—Individual offices may add to above list of undesirable terms and refuse to accept certificates containing them. Thus the form in use in New York City states: "Certificates will be returned for additional information which give any of the following diseases, without explanation, as the sole cause of death: Abortion, cellulitis, childbirth, convulsions, hemorrhage, gangrene, gastritis, erysipelas, meningitis, miscarriage, necrosis, peritonitis, phlebitis, pyemia, septicaemia, tetanus." But general adoption of the minimum list suggested will work vast improvement, and its scope can be extended at a later date.

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS
BY PHYSICIAN.