

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

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1. PLACE OF DEATH
 County Pettis Registration District No. 715 File No. B 1
 Township Elm Primary Registration District No. 5950 Registered No. 88
 City Stoll (No. _____) St. _____ Ward _____

2. FULL NAME Mrs E. J. Turnmire
 (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. ds. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Dec 18 1925
 17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Nov 25, 1925, to Dec 18, 1925
 that I last saw him alive on Nov 25, 1925, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 10:30 P.M.

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

THE CAUSE OF DEATH* WAS AS FOLLOWS:
Chronic Bright's Disease

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) _____
 7. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
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 1290
 CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) _____ (duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED
 (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work at home
 (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) _____
 (c) Name of employer _____

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED
 IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH _____
 DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? _____ DATE OF _____
 WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? _____

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

10. NAME OF FATHER William Jackson Bradshaw
 11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN) _____ (STATE OR COUNTRY) _____
 12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Rachel Bray
 13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN) _____ (STATE OR COUNTRY) _____

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS _____
 (Signed) W. H. Hinton M.D. M. D.
 , 19 _____ (Address) Green Bay, Mo.

14. INFORMANT Doc Gemetry
 (Address) George Hammond

*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.)

15. FILED Dec 25 1925 Chas. Barnhouse REGISTRAR

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL G. E. Guiles DATE OF BURIAL Dec 21 1925
 20. UNDERTAKER _____ ADDRESS _____

N. B.—Every item on this form 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.

Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association.)

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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 neoplasma); *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.)

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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS
BY PHYSICIAN.

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ALL INFORMATION CALLED
FOR MUST BE WRITTEN ON
THIS SUPPLEMENTARY.

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Putnam Registration District No. 719 File No.
Township elm Primary Registration District No. 39.52 Registered No. 88
City (No. St. Ward)

2. FULL NAME

Mrs. E. J. Turnmire
(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. ds. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Dec 18 1925

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

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from to 19....., 19....., and that that I last saw h..... alive on....., 19....., and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at.....
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CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) (duration) yrs. mos. ds.

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

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), M. D. , 19 (Address)

10. NAME OF FATHER

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

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

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

15. FILED Feb 28 1926 Chas. Barnhart REGISTRAR

20. UNDERTAKER ADDRESS 19
G E miles Center Green 1116

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