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Registration District No. **318**

Primary Registration District No. **1003**

WRITE PLAINLY—USE UNFADING BLACK INK—MAKE A PERMANENT RECORD

1. PLACE OF DEATH:
(a) County.....
(b) City or town..... **St. Louis**
(If outside city or town limits, write "RURAL" and name of township)
(c) Name of hospital or institution:
Homer G. Phillips Hospital
(If not in hospital or institution, write street number or location)
(d) Length of stay: In hospital or institution..... **7 Days 5 Hrs.**
(Specify whether
In this community.....
years, months or days)

2. USUAL RESIDENCE OF DECEASED:
(a) State..... **Missouri** (b) County.....
(c) City or town..... **St. Louis**
(If outside city or town limits, write "RURAL")
(d) Street No. **4334 St. Louis Ave.**
(If rural, give location)
(e) Citizen of foreign country?..... (Yes or No)
If yes, name country.....

3. (a) PRINT FULL NAME **Robert Nathaniel Ruffins**

3. (b) If veteran, name war..... **3. (c)** Social Security No.....

4. Sex **Male** **5. Color or Race** **Negro** **6. (a)** Single, widowed, married, divorced.....

6. (b) Name of husband or wife..... **6. (c)** Age of husband or wife if alive..... years..... months..... days.....

7. Birth date of deceased **4 26 43**
(Month) (Day) (Year)

8. AGE: Years Months Days If less than one day
NB 7 5 hr. 03 min.

9. Birthplace **St. Louis Missouri**
(City, town, or county) (State or foreign country)

10. Usual occupation.....

11. Industry or business.....

MOTHER, FATHER

12. Name **Eugene Ruffins**

13. Birthplace **St. Louis Missouri**
(City, town, or county) (State or foreign country)

14. Maiden name **Thelma Jackson**

15. Birthplace **St. Louis Missouri**
(City, town, or county) (State or foreign country)

16. (a) Informant **Arthur M. Howard R.R.D.**

(b) Address **2601 N. Whittier Street**

17. (a) **Burial** (Burial, cremation, or removal) **(b) Date thereof** **MAY 21 1943**
(Month) (Day) (Year)

(c) Place: burial or cremation **CITY CEMETERY**

18. (a) Signature of funeral director **H. Merz...**

(b) Address **City Health Dept**

19. (a) **MAY 21 1943** (Date received by Registrar) **(b)** **J. P. ...** (Registrar's signature)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATION

20. DATE OF DEATH: Month **5** day **3**
year **43** hour **2** minute **59** p. M.

21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from
4 - 26 19**43**, to **5 - 3** 19**43**.
that I last saw him alive on **5 - 3** 19**43**
and that death occurred on the date and hour stated above.

Immediate cause of death.....
Prematurity
Jaundice
Unknown

Due to.....
Unknown

Other conditions.....
(Include pregnancy within 3 months of death)

Major findings:
Of operations.....
Of autopsy..... **As Above**

Duration

PHYSICIAN

Underline the cause to which death should be charged statistically.

22. If death was due to external causes, fill in the following:

(a) Accident, suicide, or homicide (specify).....

(b) Date of occurrence.....

(c) Where did injury occur?..... (City or town) (County) (State)

(d) Did injury occur in or about home, on farm, in industrial place, in public place?.....

While at work?..... (Specify type of place) **(e)** Means of injury.....

23. Signature **E. P. Dickson MD** (M. D. or other).....

Address **2601 N. Whittier St** **Date signed** **5-24-43**

STATEMENT BY LICENSED EMBALMER

I hereby certify that the body whose name is recorded on the reverse side of this certificate was embalmed by me, or by.....
....., Registered Apprentice No.....
working under my personal supervision.

Signed.....

Licensed Embalmer No.....

P. O. Address.....

Note: The above MUST BE SIGNED BY THE LICENSED EMBALMER in his OWN HANDWRITING. (Failure to comply with the above constitutes grounds for revocation of license.)

If this body is not embalmed, fact should be so stated above.