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STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

State File No. **31311**

BIRTH NO. _____ REG. DIST. NO. 245 PRIMARY REG. DIST. NO. 3047 Registrar's No. 101

1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY <u>Newton</u>		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission) a. STATE <u>Missouri</u> b. COUNTY <u>Newton</u>	
b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give township) <u>Neosho</u>		c. CITY OR TOWN <u>Neosho</u>	d. Is Residence within limits of a city or incorporated town? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
c. LENGTH OF STAY (in this place) <u>2 days</u>		e. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) <u>Route # 1</u>	
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION <u>Sales Memorial Hosp.</u>			

3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print) a. (First) <u>James</u> b. (Middle) <u>Walter</u> c. (Last) <u>Buzzard</u>			4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) <u>Sept. 24 54</u>			
5. SEX <u>Male</u>	6. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) <u>Married</u>	8. DATE OF BIRTH <u>2-8-1882</u>	9. AGE (In years last birthday) <u>72</u>	IF UNDER 1 YEAR Months <u>7</u> Days <u>16</u>	IF UNDER 24 HRS. Hours _____ Min. _____
10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work during most of working life, even if retired) <u>Farmer</u>		10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY <u>Farming</u>		11. BIRTHPLACE (City and State or Foreign Country) <u>Newton County</u>		12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? <u>U.S.A.</u>

13a. FATHER'S NAME <u>J.K.P. Buzzard</u>		13b. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <u>Missouri Ann Carlin</u>		14. NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE <u>Myrtle Buzzard</u>	
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service) <u>No</u>		16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. <u>None</u>		17. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE OR NAME <u>Myrtle Buzzard</u> ADDRESS <u>Neosho, Mo.</u>	

18. CAUSE OF DEATH Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c) *This does not mean the mode of dying, such as heart failure, asthma, etc. It means the disease, injury, or complication which caused death.	MEDICAL CERTIFICATION		INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH <u>8 mo.</u>
	I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) <u>Malignant Melanoma (From hand)</u>		
	ANTECEDENT CAUSES Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (a) stating the underlying cause last. DUE TO (b) _____ DUE TO (c) _____		
II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death.			

19a. DATE OF OPERATION		19b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION <u>190 X</u>		20. AUTOPSY? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
21a. ACCIDENT SUICIDE HOMICIDE (Specify)		21b. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.)		21c. (CITY, TOWN, OR TOWNSHIP) (COUNTY) (STATE)	
21d. TIME (Month) (Day) (Year) (Hour) OF INJURY		21e. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/> NOT WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/>		21f. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR?	

22. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from 8-20, 1954 to 9-24, 1954, that I last saw the deceased alive on 9-24, 1954, and that death occurred at 3 a. m., from the causes and on the date stated above.

23a. SIGNATURE <u>Harold C. Pent</u> (Degree or title) <u>MD</u>		23b. ADDRESS <u>Neosho Mo.</u>		23c. DATE SIGNED <u>9-28-54</u>	
24a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) <u>Burial</u>		24b. DATE <u>9-26-54</u>		24c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <u>Buzzard Cemetery</u>	
		24d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) <u>Racine, Missouri</u>			

DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REG. <u>9-28-54</u>		REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <u>Melvin C. Bowman</u>		25. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE <u>Clark-Bigham Mortuary</u> ADDRESS <u>Neosho, Mo.</u>	
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District Health Officer No. NEWTON COUNTY HEALTH UNIT

District File Number 1054-2A3

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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, Student Embalmer No. working under my personal supervision..

Student.....
Signature of Student Embalmer

Signed Jesse O. Sullivan, Jr.

Licensed Embalmer No. 464

P. O. Address Neosho, Mo.

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 embalmed by a STUDENT, he also shall sign in his OWN handwriting.
If this body is not embalmed, fact should be so stated above.