

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

N. B.—Every item of information 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. See instructions on back of certificate.

1 PLACE OF DEATH
 County: Jackson
 Civil Dist. 1
 or
 Village _____
 or
 City Gainesboro (No. _____, St.; _____ Ward)

STATE OF TENNESSEE

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
 Bureau of Vital Statistics

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration District No. 441
 Primary Registration District No. 244a1

File No. 4

Registered No. _____

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

2 FULL NAME Mary Ellen Porter

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED single
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH April 24, 1844
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 73 yrs. 5 mos. 28 ds. If LESS than 1 day, ---hrs. or ---min.?

8 OCCUPATION
 (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Cook. 75"
 (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) _____

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Kentucky

10 NAME OF FATHER Dan Porter

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) North Carolina

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Nancy Spruce

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Kentucky

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) _____

(Address) _____

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Nov. 14, 1917
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from _____, 191____, to _____, 191____,

that I last saw h_____ alive on _____, 191____,

and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at _____ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: 119

abscess of bowels and heart failure

(Duration)-----yrs.-----mos.-----ds.

Contributory (SECONDARY) _____

(Duration)-----yrs.-----mos.-----ds.

(Signed) W. H. McLean M. D.

_____ 191____ (Address) Gainesboro

*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 Stafford Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL Nov. 15, 1917

20 UNDERTAKER _____ ADDRESS _____