

1 PLACE OF DEATH

BOROUGH OF Manhattan

STATE OF NEW YORK
Department of Health of The City of New York
BUREAU OF RECORDS
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

No. St.
Character of premises, whether tenement, private, hotel, hospital or other place, etc. Steamship Pennsylvania at Sea Registered No.

2 FULL NAME Thomas Frederick Ellis

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married
(Write the word)

15 DATE OF DEATH Jan. 20, 1935
(Month) (Day) (Year)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Aug 31, 1877
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 57 yrs. 4 mos. 4 ds. If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.?

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Physician
(b) General nature of industry, business or establishment in which employed (or employer) practice of medicine

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) N.Y. U.S.A

(9) How long in (A) U. S. (if of foreign birth) (B) How long resident in City of New York 57 years

PARENTS OF DECEASED
10 NAME OF FATHER Unknown
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Unknown
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Unknown
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Unknown

14 Special INFORMATION required in deaths in hospitals and institutions and in deaths of non-residents and recent residents.

Former or usual Residence } State St. Brooklyn, N.Y.

16 I hereby certify that the foregoing particulars (Nos. 1 to 14 inclusive) are correct as near as the same can be ascertained, and I further certify that I attended the deceased from Jan 20 1935 to Jan 20 1935, that I last saw him alive on the 20th day of Jan 1935, that death occurred on the date stated above at 7:30 P.M., and that the cause of death was as follows:

Hypertension
Myocarditis

duration 2 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.
Contributory (Secondary) Cerebral Haemorrhage
(left hemiplegia)
Oedema of Lungs.

duration 1 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.
Witness my hand this 22^d day of Jan 1935

Signature William T. Curran M. D.

Address 104 Norfolk St. Dorchester, Mass

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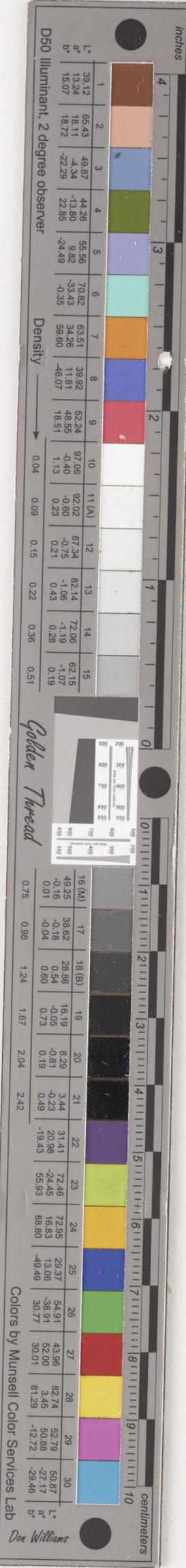
17 PLACE OF BURIAL Buried at Sea

DATE OF BURIAL Jan 23, 1935

18 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING
NO MUTILATED CERTIFICATE WILL BE RECEIVED



TO PHYSICIANS

1. The attending physician must furnish a certificate to the Department of Health within 36 hours after death, and where death has resulted from infectious or contagious disease a certificate must be furnished by him **forthwith** (Sanitary Code, Sections 33 and 90).
2. All physicians practicing in The City of New York (including those in public institutions) must be registered in the Bureau of Records (Sanitary Code, Section 218).
3. If a person dies from **criminal violence** or **by a casualty** or **by suicide**, or **suddenly while in apparent health**, or when **unattended by a physician** or **in prison**, or in any **suspicious or unusual manner**, it shall be the duty of any citizen who may become aware of the death of any such person to report such death forthwith to the office of the chief medical examiner, and to a police officer who shall forthwith notify the officer in charge of the station house in the police precinct in which such person died. Any person who shall wilfully neglect or refuse to report such death or who without written order from a medical examiner shall wilfully touch, remove or disturb the body of any such person, or wilfully touch, remove, or disturb the clothing, or any article upon or near such body, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. (Inserted by Laws 1915, Chapter 284, Section 2. In effect January 1, 1918.)

4. Certificates will be returned for additional information which give any of the following diseases, without explanation, as the sole cause of death:

Abortion,	Hemorrhage,	Meningitis,	Phlebitis,
Cellulitis,	Gangrene,	Metritis,	Pyæmia,
Childbirth,	Gastritis,	Miscarriage,	Septicæmia,
Convulsions,	Erysipelas,	Peritonitis,	Tetanus.

(Any one of these may be the result of an injury, and thus be a subject for investigation by a Medical Examiner. If it is not, the certificate should make that fact plain.)

5. No certificate giving "Heart failure," "Dropsy," or other mere symptom as the sole cause of death will be accepted, unless accompanied by a satisfactory written explanation.

6. **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, Compositor, 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) *Cotton Mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile Factory*.

TO UNDERTAKERS

1. No burial permit can be obtained without a proper certificate.
2. Certificates must be written throughout in black ink.
3. No certificate will be accepted which is **mutilated, illegible, inaccurate**, or any portion of which has been **erased, interlined, corrected or altered**, as all such changes impair its value as a public record.

I hereby certify that I have been employed as undertaker by _____ (NAME)
the _____ of deceased. This statement is made to obtain a permit
(RELATIONSHIP)
for the burial or cremation of the remains of deceased _____

Signature _____

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