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PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS	MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
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DATE OF BIRTH (Write the word)	(Month) (Day) (Year)
march 24 833	FEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from
(Month) (Day) (Year)	, 191/, to // / (, 191/,
AGE If LESS th	
78 yrs. 7 mos. 2 2ds. or might	and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at // v. m.
OCCUPATION 7/	The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work	Mrome Valvular Heart disease
(b) General nature of Industry. business, or establishment in	
which employed (or employer)	
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MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER AND MOTHER	*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, Clate (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.
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