

Robert Julius Rombauer (elected 1868)



Robert Julius Rombauer was one of four Hungarian-American brothers to serve the Union during the war. Fleeing into exile following the failed 1848 Hungarian Revolution, Rombauer settled in St. Louis in the 1850s.

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On May 7, 1861, Lieutenant-Colonel Robert J. Rombauer was appointed second-in-command of the First Regiment, United States Reserve Corps in St. Louis, Missouri. Three days later Rombauer's Regiment was part of the Federal force to surround and capture the Missouri State Guard at Camp Jackson. The soldiers of the First Regiment, USRC were 90-day volunteers and mustered out on August 20, 1861. In September 1861, the regiment reenlisted for 3 years, at which time, Robert J. Rombauer served as its Colonel. In July 1862, a large portion of Rombauer's regiment mutinied, refusing to leave the State of Missouri after being ordered into Arkansas. In July 1862, Rombauer was in command of

the Second Brigade, Third Division in Major-General Samuel R. Curtis's Army of the Southwest. His brigade participated in the Army of the Southwest's operations in Arkansas following the Battle of Pea Ridge. The regiment was mustered out of service on October 6, 1862. [\[185\]](#)

Robert J. Rombauer was the author of the book, [The Union Cause In St. Louis In 1861: An Historical Sketch](#), which was published in 1909.

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CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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1. PLACE OF DEATH

County: _____ Registration District No. 791
 City: St. Louis Primary Registration District No. 1603 File No. _____
 No. 4359 East Ave Registered No. 9065
 St. _____ Ward _____

2. FULL NAME

Col. Robert J. Bombauer
 (a) Residence No. 3646 - Plaza Bl. 2nd (If nonresident give city or town and State)
 (Usual place of abode)
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Male 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word) Married
 5a. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND or (or) WIFE of Emilie Bombauer
 6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Jan 10 - 1830
 7. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS 95 8 15 11 LESS (See 1 day, hrs. or min.)
 8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED
 (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Retired
 (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) Accountant
 (c) Name of employer _____
 9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) Munkacs
 (STATE OR COUNTRY) Hungary
 10. NAME OF FATHER Produce Bombauer
 11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN) Munkacs
 (STATE OR COUNTRY) Hungary
 12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Bertha Bombauer
 13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN) _____
 (STATE OR COUNTRY) Hungary
 14. INFORMANT Ernst Bombauer
 (Address) 3646 - Plaza Bl
 15. FILED 26 1925 Mr. C. Starkoff

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Sept 25 1925
 17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from August 1916 to Sept 25 1925 that I last saw him alive on Sept 25 1925 and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 10:23 A.M.
 THE CAUSE OF DEATH WAS AS FOLLOWS:
Arterio Sclerosis
97 913
15% Cerebral arteries
 CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) Sclerosis
 18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED _____
 IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH: _____
 DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? no DATE of _____
 WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? no
 WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS?
 (Signed) W. B. Mandorf, M. D.
1925 (Address) 736 Grand Bl.
 *State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or in death from VIOLENCE CAUSES, state (1) MEANS and NATURE OF INJURY, and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL. (See reverse side for additional space.)
 19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Collefontaine DATE OF BURIAL 9-27 1925
 20. UNDERTAKER Wacker-Haldorle ADDRESS 2331 S. Broadway