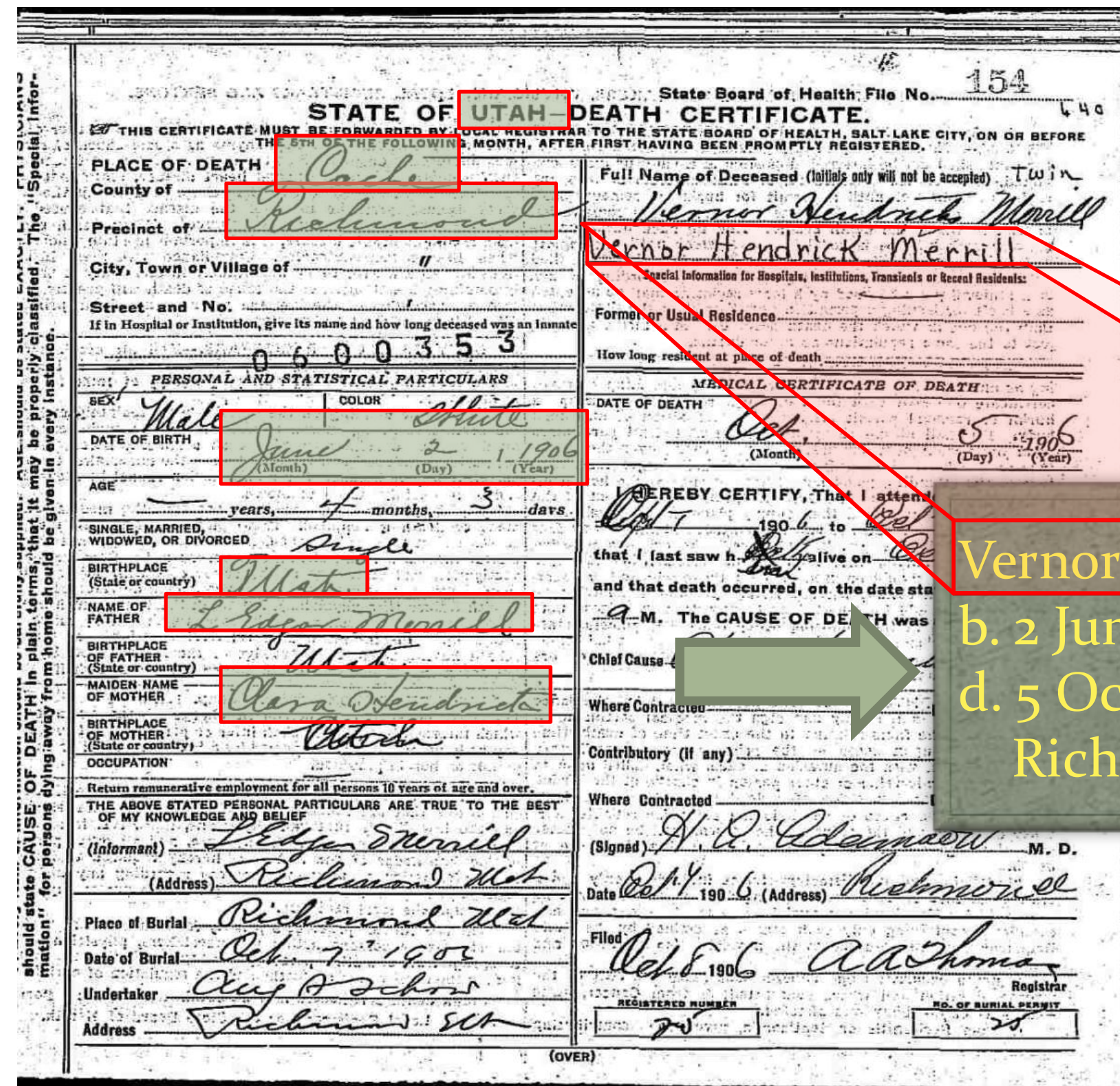


Beyond GEDCOM: Modeling Genealogical Source Record Data

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What is "record data?"

Structured data that allows the computer to understand what the record says about the people that it mentions.



L. Edgar Merrill

Vernor Hendrick Merrill
b. 2 June 1906, Utah
d. 5 Oct 1906
Richmond, Cache, Utah

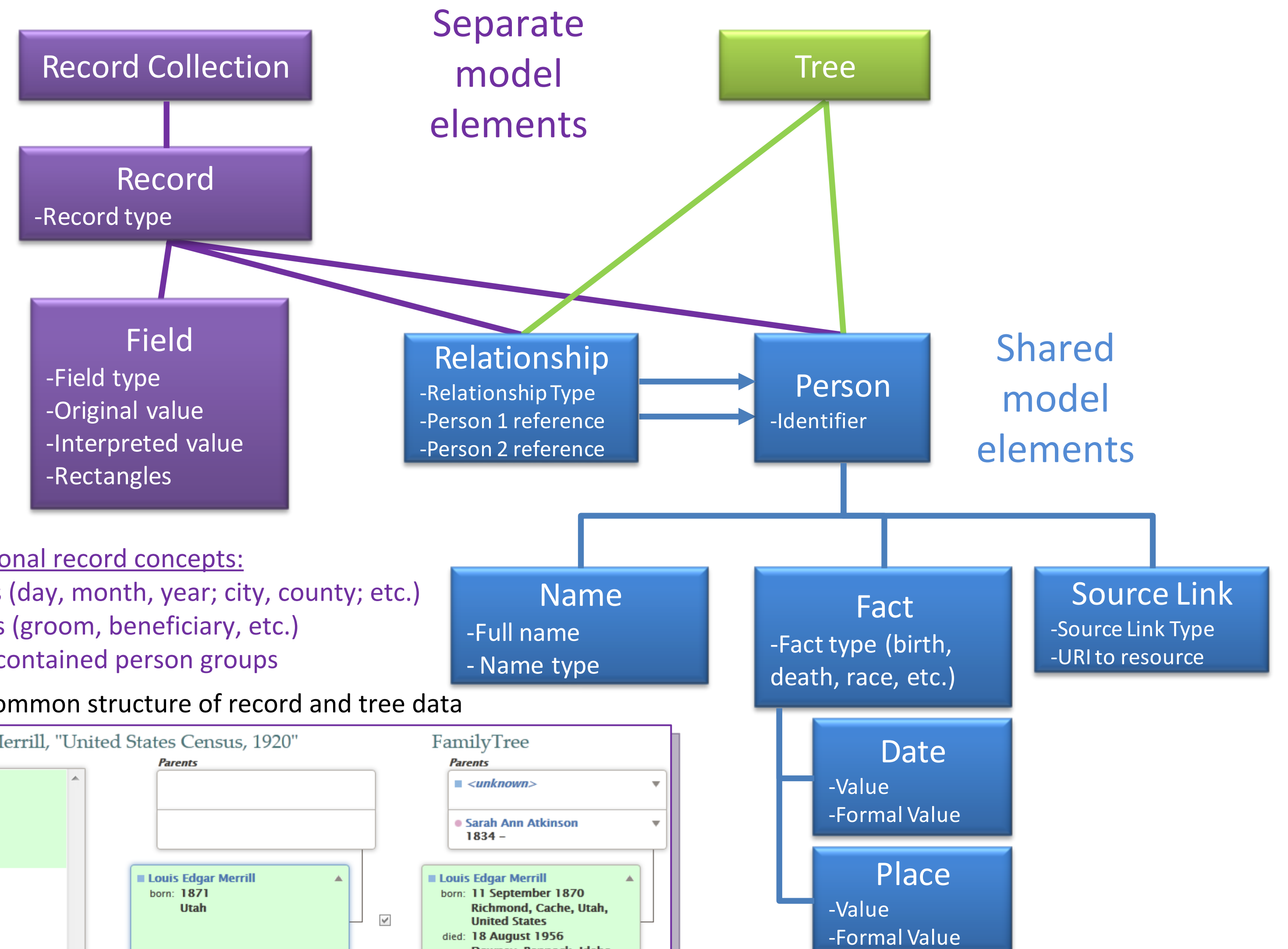
Clara Hendricks

Record data:

What we believe the record says about the people it mentions, or what it strongly implies

Tree data:

What we believe is true about the people in the tree



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NAME	RELATION	SEX	AGE	PERSONAL DESCRIPTION
Basis Ellen	Son	M	49	Utah 1871
Spencer	Son	M	46	Utah 1874
Johnnie Rudd	Wife	F	42	Utah 1878
Bessie J.	Wife	F	33	Utah 1887
Walt Joseph	Head	M	20	Utah 1900
Erna	Wife	F	18	Utah 1902
Alta E.	Daughter	F	16	Utah 1904
Samuel Milton	Son	M	17	Utah 1903
Vedra E.	Daughter	F	14	Utah 1906
Belma H.	Son	M	14	Utah 1906
Bylida W.	Daughter	F	13	Utah 1907
Merrill Louis Edgar	Head	M	49	Utah 1871
Clara H.	Wife	F	46	Utah 1874
Norma	Daughter	F	20	Utah 1900
Audene C.	Daughter	F	19	Utah 1901
Malcolm H.	Son	M	16	Utah 1904
Thais A.	Son	M	11	Utah 1909
Theola C.	Daughter	F	7	Utah 1913

Record details view

Louis Edgar Merrill, "United States Census, 1920"

Name: Louis Edgar Merrill
Residence: Cache, Utah
Estimated Birth Year: 1871
Age: 49
Birthplace: Utah
Gender: Male
Race: White
Marital Status: Married
Father's Birthplace: 1821861
Mother's Birthplace: 4390330
Film Number: 01051
Digital Folder Number: 4390330
Image Number: 01051
Sheet Number: 3

Household	Gender	Age	Birthplace
SELF	Male	49y	Utah
WIFE	Female	46y	Utah
DAU	Female	20y	Utah
DAU	Female	19y	Utah
SON	Male	16y	Utah
SON	Male	11y	Utah
DAU	Female	7y1m	Utah

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Using the common structure of record and tree data

Louis Edgar Merrill, "United States Census, 1920"

Parents:
Louis Edgar Merrill
born: 1871
Utah

Children:
Norma Merrill
1900 -
Audene C Merrill
1901 -
Thais A Merrill
1909 -
Theola C Merrill
1913 -

FamilyTree

Parents:
<unknown>
Sarah Ann Atkinson
1834 -

Children:
Louis Edgar Merrill
born: 11 September 1870
Richmond, Cache, Utah,
United States
died: 18 August 1956
Downey, Bannock, Idaho,
United States

Clara Hendricks
1872 -

Clara Hendricks Merrill
1874 -

Norma Merrill
1899 - 1967

Clarissa Audene Merrill
1900 - 1988

Malcolm Hendricks Merrill
1903 - 1987

Thais Abia Merrill
1908 -

Clara Theola Merrill
1912 - 1988

Edgar Lionel Merrill
1894 - 1981

Vernor Hendricks Merrill
1906 - 1906

Virgil Merrill (Twin)
1906 - 1906

Orval Hendricks Merrill
1896 - 1918

Virgil Merrill
1906 - 1906