

NATIONAL ORGANIZATION
SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR

CIVIL WAR MEMORIAL ASSESSMENT FORM

PLEASE:

1. Type or print, using a ball-point pen, when filling out this form. Legibility is critical.
2. Do not guess at the information. An answer of, "Unknown," is more helpful. Include a photograph of each viewable side and label it with name & direction of view.

- Thank You.

Type of Memorial

- Monument with Sculpture
 Monument without Sculpture
 Other (flag pole, G.A.R. buildings, stained glass windows, etc.)
- Monument with Cannon
 Historical Marker Plaque

Affiliation

- G.A.R. (Post Name & No. _____) M.O.L.L.U.S.
 SUVCW (Camp Name & No. _____) (Please describe below)
 WRC (Corps Name & No. _____)
 ASUVCW (Aux Name & No. 2 _____)
 DUVCW (Tent Name & No. _____)
 LGAR (Circle Name & No. _____)
 Other SCV General Robert P. Newton Camp 197, SCU, Little Rock

Original Dedication Date June 6 2019 Please consult any/all newspaper archives for a local paper's article that would have information on the first dedication ceremony and/or other facts on the memorial. Please submit a copy of your findings with full identification of the paper & date of publication. Thank you.

Location

The Memorial is currently located at:
 Street/Road address or site location VETERANS MEMORIAL HALL, Noah Hodson
 City/Village MARSHALL Township BEAR CREEK County SEARCY Memorial Dr. W
 State AR

The front of the Memorial faces: North South East West

Government Body, Agency, or Individual Owner (of private cemetery that Memorial is located in)

Name SCV
 Dept./Div. _____
 Street Address _____ City _____
 _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Contact Person _____
 _____ Telephone () _____

If the Memorial has been moved, please list former location(s).

No

Physical Details

Material of Monument or base under a Sculpture or Cannon = Stone Concrete Metal Undetermined If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.) _____

SUVCW - CIVIL WAR

Material of the Sculpture = Stone Concrete Metal Undetermined
If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.) GRAY GRANITE
If the Sculpture is of metal, is it solid cast or "hollow?" _____

Material of Plaque or Historical Marker / Tablet = _____

Material of Cannon = Bronze Iron - Consult known Ordnance Listing to confirm
Markings on muzzle = _____
Markings on Left Trunion _____ Right Trunion _____
Is inert ammunition a part of the Memorial? If so, describe _____

Approximate Dimensions (indicate unit of measure) - taken from tallest / widest points
Monument or Base: Height 38" Width 30" Depth 12" or Diameter _____
Sculpture: Height _____ Width _____ Depth _____ or Diameter _____

For Memorials with multiple Sculptures, please record this information on a separate sheet of paper for each statue and attach to this form. Please describe the "pose" of each statue and any weapons/implements involved (in case your photos become separated from this form). Thank you!

Markings/Inscriptions (on stone-work / metal-work of monument, base, sculpture)
Maker or Fabricator mark / name? If so, give name & location found _____

The "Dedication Text" is formed: cut into material raised up from material face

Record the text (indicate any separation if on different sides) Please use additional sheet if necessary.
In grateful remembrance to the sons of Sevier County who answered the call of Arkansas in faithful service to the Confederate cause, their noble sacrifice is forever etched on the pages of time history and the memories of those who represent strength and steadfastness on the battlefield with the difficult tasks left to them during the horrible war of 1861-1865

Environmental Setting

(The general vicinity and immediate locale surrounding a memorial can play a major role in its overall condition.)

Type of Location

- Cemetery
- "Town Square"
- Municipal Building
- Courthouse
- Traffic Circle
- Park
- Post Office
- State Capitol
- College Campus
- Library
- Plaza/Courtyard
- School
- Other: VETERAN'S MEMORIAL HALL

General Vicinity

Rural (low population, open land)
 Town

Suburban (residential, near city)
 Urban / Metropolitan

Immediate Locale (check as many as may apply)

Industrial Commercial
 Street/Roadside within 20 feet Tree Covered (overhanging branches)
 Protected from the elements (canopy or enclosure, indoors)
 Protected from the public (fence or other barrier)

Any other significant environmental factor IN OPEN NEAR
MEMORIAL HALL

Condition Information

Structural Condition (check as many as may apply)

The following section applies to Monuments *with* Sculpture, and Monuments *without* Sculpture - including the base for Monuments *with* Cannon. Instability in the sculpture and its base can be detected by a number of factors. Indicators may be obvious or subtle. Visually examine the sculpture and its base.

	Sculpture	Base
If hollow, is the internal support unstable/exposed? (Look for signs of exterior rust)	<u>OK</u>	___
Any evidence of structural instability? (Look for cracked joints, missing mortar or caulking or plant growth)	<u>OK</u>	___
Any broken or missing parts? (Look for elements (i.e., sword, musket, hands, arms, etc. - missing due to vandalism, fluctuating weather conditions, etc.)	<u>OK</u>	___
Any cracks, splits, breaks or holes? (Also look for signs of uneven stress & weakness in the material)	<u>OK</u>	___

Surface Appearance (check as many as may apply)

	Sculpture	Base
Black crusting	___	___
White crusting	___	___
Etched, pitted, or otherwise corroded (on metal)	___	___
Metallic staining (run-off from copper, iron, etc.)	___	___
Organic growth (moss, algae, lichen or vines)	___	___
Chalky or powdery stone	___	___
Granular eroding of stone	___	___
Spalling of stone (surface splitting off)	___	___
Droppings (bird, animal, insect remains)	___	___
Other (e.g., spray paint graffiti) - Please describe...	___	___
<u>In good condition</u>		

Does water collect in recessed areas of the Memorial? ___ Yes No ___ Unable to tell

Surface Coating

Does there appear to be a coating? ___ Yes No ___ Unable to determine
If known, identify type of coating.

___ Gilded ___ Painted ___ Varnished ___ Waxed ___ Unable to determine
Is the coating in good condition? ___ Yes ___ No ___ Unable to determine

Basic Surface Condition Assessment (check one)

In your opinion, what is the general appearance or condition of the Memorial? Good Well maintained
Would benefit from treatment ___ In urgent need of treatment ___ Unable to determine

Overall Description

Briefly describe the Memorial (affiliation / overall condition & any concern not already touched on) .

Supplemental Background Information

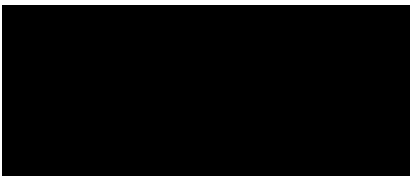
In addition to your on-site survey, any additional information you can provide on the described Memorial will be welcomed. Please label each account with its source (author, title, publisher, date, pages). Topics include any reference to the points listed on this questionnaire, plus any previous conservation treatments - or efforts to raise money for treatment. Thank you.

Inspector Identification

Date of On-site Survey 12 Aug 2022
Your Name James Johnson
Address 333 N. EBSTDAKES PR City FAYETTEVILLE
State AR Zip Code 72703 Telephone [REDACTED]
What Order or Organization is submitter a member of? CWV

Please send this completed form to

Walt Busch, PDC, Chair



Thank you for your help, and attention to detail. SONS OF UNION V
CIVIL WAR VETERANS OF THE National Civil War Memorials Committee



IN GRATEFUL REMEMBRANCE TO THE SONS OF
SEARCY COUNTY WHO ANSWERED THE CALL OF
ARKANSAS IN FAITHFUL SERVICE TO THE
CONFEDERATE CAUSE. THEIR NOBLE SACRIFICES ARE
FOREVER ETCHED ON THE PAGES OF TRUE HISTORY.
AND TO THE DAUGHTERS WHO REMAINED STRONG AND
STEADFAST ON THE HOMEFRONT WITH THE
DIFFICULT TASKS LEFT TO THEM DURING
THE HORRIBLE WAR OF 1861-1865

"TRUTH CROSSED TO THE EARTH IS TRUTH STILL AND
LIKE A SEED WILL RISE AGAIN" JEFFERSON DAVIS

"I HEARD THE PEOPLE SHOUT 'HURRAH FOR JEFF DAVIS'
AND SAW THE FIRST VOLUNTEER COMPANY OF CONFEDERATES
MARCH OUT OF SEARCY COUNTY UNDER COMMAND OF
CAPT. WASH CAMPBELL IN AUGUST OF 1861."

W.T. GRAY, CITIZEN

THIS MARKER PLACED FOR OUR ANCESTORS AND HEROES BY
THE CITIZENS OF SEARCY COUNTY AND THE
GENERAL ROBERT C. NEWTON CAMP 197
SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS

LITTLE ROCK