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NATIONAL ORGANIZATION SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR

CIVIL WAR MEMORIAL ASSESSMENT FORM

PLEASE:

- Type or print, using a ball-point pen, when filling out this form. Legibility is critical.
- 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

Monument with *Cannon*
 Historical Marker Plaque

Affiliation

G.A.R. (Post Name & No. _____) M.O.L.L.U.S.
 W.R.C. (Corps Name & No. _____) Other Allied Order
 SUVCW (Camp Name & No. _____) (Please describe below)
 DUVCW (Tent Name & No. _____)
 Other: Monument erected by The Citizens of Livermore

Original Dedication Date _____ 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: Rose Lawn Cemetery
 Street/Road address or site location 1214 North Livermore Ave - Livermore, CA 94550
 City/Village CITY Township _____ County Alameda state CA

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 Art Monument Co Inc. Dept./Div. _____
 Street Address 26295 Mission Blvd.
 City Hayward State CA Zip Code 94544
 Contact Person Dave McBenan Telephone (510) 581-1206

If the Memorial has been moved, please list former location(s).
 _____ Unknown No not moved

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.) Gray - Granite

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

Material of Plaque or Historical Marker / Tablet = Marker Carved in base of Stone
IT IS ALL IN ONE.

Material of Cannon = Bronze Iron - Consult known Ordnance Listing to confirm
Markings on muzzle = _____
Markings on Left Trunion NA 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 53 1/2" Width 42 1/8" Depth 15 3/4" or Diameter _____
Sculpture: Height 20 1/4" Width 20 3/4" Depth 2 3/4" 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 G.A.R. 1861-1865
Erected by The Citizens of Livermore - (Monument Appears to be rather new)

The "Dedication Text" is formed: cut into material raised up from material face
And Cannon Tubes Are all cut into the Stone

Record the text (indicate any separation if on different sides. Please use additional sheet if necessary)
ONE side ONLY. The side Facing EAST -
G.A.R. 1861 - 1865 Erected by The Citizens of Livermore

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: _____

General Vicinity

- Rural (low population, open land)
- Town

- Suburban (residential, near city)
- Urban / Metropolitan

Immediate Locale (check as many as may apply)

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

Any other significant environmental factor Note! The GAR Monument is located in a Commercial Cemetery privately run and operated by Art Monument Co. Inc

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>NA</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>NO</u>
Any evidence of structural instability? (look for cracked joints, missing mortar or caulking or plant growth) <u>NO</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>NO</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>NO</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>NO</u>
*Any cracks, splits, breaks or holes? (also look for signs of uneven stress & weakness in the material) <u>NO</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>NO</u>

*NO
The concrete slab that the monument sets on is old and cracked.

Surface Appearance (check as many as may apply)

- 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.

Surface is like new in very good condition

Does water collect in recessed areas of the Memorial?

- Yes
- No
- Unable to tell

See picture of Memorial - base around Memorial will collect some water during wet weather

See photos

Surface Coating

Does there appear to be a coating? ___ Yes No *NATURAL STONE SURFACE* 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?

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).

MEMORIAL IS SITTING ON A CONCRETE SLAB WHICH IS 10'8" X 40'2" CIVIL WAR SOLDIERS GRAVES (5) Ave under slab

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 *9-25-01*

Your Name *Lynn R. Owens*

Address *467 JACKSON AVE*

City *Livermore*

State *CA*

Zip Code *94552*

Telephone *[REDACTED]*

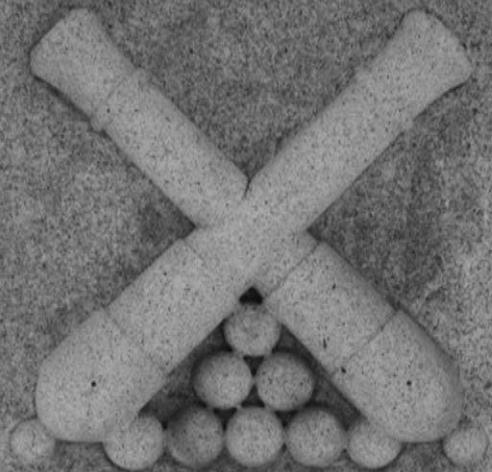
*GENERAL ALFRED PLEASANTON CAMP 24
DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA & PACIFIC*

Please send this completed form to:

Thank you for your help, and attention to detail

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