## 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 with Ca	annon
XXX	Monument without Sculpture	Historical Marker	Plaque
	Other (flag pole, G.A.R. buildings, stained glass windows,	etc.)	

### 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)	
DUVCW (Tent Name & No	)
LGAR (Circle Name & No	)
Other	_

#### **Original Dedication Date 2008**

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

City/Village Hempstead State New York	_ Township	County <u>Nassau</u>	
The front of the Memorial fa	aces: North	South ENE East West	
	r Individual Owner	(of private cemetery that Memorial	is located in)
Government Body, Agency, o Name St George Episcopal Church	r Individual Owner	(of private cemetery that Memorial	is located in)
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Name <u>St George Episcopal Church</u> Dept./Div.		(of private cemetery that Memorial ate NY Zip Code <sup>11550</sup>	·

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
SUVCW CIVIL WAR
Material of the Sculpture = StoneConcrete Metal Undetermined If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.) If the Sculpture is of metal, is it solid cast or "hollow?"
Material of Plaque or Historical Marker / Tablet =
Material of Cannon =BronzeIron - 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
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Approximate Dimensions (indicate unit of measure) - taken from tallest / widest points         Monument or Base: Height 12"       Width 25"       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!
<b>Markings/Inscriptions</b> (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: <u>xxx</u> cut into material raised up from material face
Record the text (indicate any separation if on different sides) Please use additional sheet if necessary.
AMERICAN CIVIL WAR DIED IN BATTLE SEPTEMBER 29, 1864 BORN IN THE VILLAGE OF HEMPSTEAD 1831
Environmental Setting (The general vicinity and immediate locale surrounding a memorial can play a major role in its overall condition.)
Type of Location

xxx\_ Cemetery

- \_\_\_\_ "Town Square"
- \_\_\_\_ Municipal Building
- \_\_\_\_ Courthouse
  - \_\_\_\_ Traffic Circle

Park
Post Office
State Capitol
College Campus
Library

Plaza/Courtyard
School
Other:

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General Vicinity Rural (low population, open land) xxx Town	Suburban (residential, near city) Urban / Metropolitan
Immediate Locale (check as many as magination in the second se	ree Covered (overhanging branches) or enclosure, indoors) ther barrier)

### **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)		
Any evidence of structural instability?		
(Look for cracked joints, missing mortar or caulking or plant grow	wth)	
Any broken or missing parts? (Look for elements (i.e., sword, musket, hands, arms, etc mis		
due to vandalism, fluctuating weather conditions, etc.)	Sing	
Any cracks, splits, breaks or holes?		
(Also look for signs of uneven stress & weakness in the materia	al)	
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		
It appears that an imitation Medal of Honor had been removed from the monument. Th	he ribbon and eagle are engraved ir	the stone.
But there is adhesive residue in the shape of a five pointed star directly underneath the	e eagle.	
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Does water collect in recessed areas of the Memorial? \_\_\_\_ Yes xxx\_ No \_\_\_\_ Unable to tell

#### **Surface Coating**

Does there appear to be a coating? \_\_\_ Yes <u>××</u> 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? XXX Well maintained \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Well maintained \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Well maintained \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

## **Overall Description**

Briefly describe the Memorial (affiliation / overall condition & any concern not already touched on). The stone is in excellent shape, as it is only 10 years old. However, it is apparent that a star (imitation Medal of Honor) had been removed

from the stone.

# **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
 May 4, 2018

 Your Name
 Christopher Shand

 Address
 1854 Old Mill Road

 State
 NY

 Zip Code
 11566

 What Order or Organization is submitter a member of?
 Moses A. Baldwin Camp #544, SUVCW

Please send this completed form to

Walt Busch, PDC, Chair	
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Thank you for your help, and attention to detail. SONS OF UNION V

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