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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 with *Cannon*
 Monument *without* Sculpture Historical Marker Plaque

Affiliation

G.A.R. (Post Name & No. BEN BUTTERFIELD POST 77) 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: _____

Original Dedication Date BY GEN SHERMAN IN 1882 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.

THEN AGAIN NOV 11, 1967

Location

The Memorial is *currently* located at:
 Street/Road address or site location TOWN ON BROAD ST
 City/Village LANCASTER Township _____ County FAIRFIELD

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 FAIRFIELD HERITAGE ASSO Dept./Div. _____
 Street Address 105 WHEELING ST
 City LANCASTER State OH Zip Code 43130
 Contact Person MARY LOU McCANDISH Telephone (740) 654-9923

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

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.) _____

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?

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).

Canvas is in of paint & repair. It has not been maintained for a few years, and is now showing signs of repair. Full scale paint 10 lbs

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 6-8-02

Your Name DON GRANT

Address 614 FRANKLIN AVE City LANCASTER

State OH Zip Code 43130 Telephone [REDACTED]

Please send this completed form to:

Donald E. Darby



Thank you for your help, and attention to detail.

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National Civil War Memorials Committee

Material of the Sculpture = Stone Concrete 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 = BRONZE

Material of Cannon = Bronze Iron - Consult known Ordnance Listing to confirm
 Markings on muzzle = TO many coats of paint
 Markings on Left Trunion same Right Trunion same
 Is inert ammunition a part of the Memorial? NO If so, describe _____

Approximate Dimensions (indicate unit of measure) - taken from tallest / widest points
 Monument or Base: Height _____ Width _____ Depth _____ 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.
DEDICATED TO THE MEMORY OF LANCASTER'S MOST ILLUSTRIOUS SOLDIER
GENERAL WILLIAM TECUMSEH SHERMAN NOVEMBER 11, 1967 BY
THE AMERICAN LEGION POST # VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS POST 1380,
DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS CHAPTER 40, THE GENERAL SHERMAN
CHAPTER OF THE CIVIL WAR ROUNDTABLE, FAIRFIELD HERITAGE
ASSOCIATION AS PERMANENT CUSTODIAN. THIS CIVIL WAR
CAJUNON WAS PRESENTED TO THE BEN BUTTERFIELD POST OF
THE GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC BY GENERAL
SHERMAN IN 1882

Environmental Setting

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

Type of Location

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cemetery | <input type="checkbox"/> Park | <input type="checkbox"/> Plaza/Courtyard |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> "Town Square" | <input type="checkbox"/> Post Office | <input type="checkbox"/> School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Municipal Building | <input type="checkbox"/> State Capitol | Other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Courthouse | <input type="checkbox"/> College Campus | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Traffic Circle | <input type="checkbox"/> Library | _____ |







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