

**NATIONAL ORGANIZATION
SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR
CIVIL WAR MEMORIAL ASSESSMENT FORM**

Type of Memorial (check all applicable)

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

Affiliation

GAR MOLLUS SUVCW WRC ASUVCW
 LGAR DUVCW Other

If known, record name and number of post, camp, corps, auxiliary, tent, circle or appropriate information of other groups:

Sergeant Richard Enderlin Camp #73, S.U.V.C.W. and the citizens of Pike County

Original Dedication Date October 3, 2009 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 Mc Bee Cemetery West

Between 3261 and 3819 Leeth Creek Rd GPS Coordinates 39.1206 -83.1638

City/Village &/or Township Benton Twp, Waverly

County Pike State Ohio Zip Code 45690

The front of the Memorial faces: North South East West

Government Body, Agency, or Individual Owner

Name Benton Township

Dept./Div. Benton Township Trustees Bruce Baker 740-493-25 Todd J. Montgomery 740-493-3306, and Richard A. McBee 740-493-2633

Street Address 1317 Morgan Fork Road.

City Waverly State Ohio Zip Code 45690

Contact Person See Above Telephone () See Above ext

Is Memorial on the National Register of Historic Places Yes No ID # if known

For Monuments with/without sculpture:**Physical Details**

Material of Monument or base under a Sculpture or Cannon = Stone Concrete Metal Other

If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.) N/A

Material of the Sculpture Stone Concrete Metal Other Is it hollow or solid?

If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.)

For Historic Marker or Plaque:

Material of Plaque or Historical Marker / Tablet = Last Union Veteran of the Civil War Brass Plaque

For Cannons with/without monument:

Material of Cannon = Bronze Iron Type of Cannon (if known) N/A

Rifled YES NO

Markings: Muzzle Base Ring/Breech

Left Trunion Right Trunion

Is inert ammunition a part of the Memorial? Yes No

[For camp/department monuments officer's use: Cannon on list of known ordnance] Yes No

For Other Memorials: (flag pole, G.A.R. buildings, stained glass windows, etc.)

Brass Plaque is mounted on the Veterans Headstone

What best describes the memorial

Materials of the Memorial Gray Granite Headstone set on Concrete Base

Complete for All Memorials

Approximate Dimensions (indicate unit of measure) - taken from tallest / widest points

Plaque Height 8" Width 16" Depth or 3/4" Diameter

For Memorials with multiple Sculptures, please record this information on a separate sheet of paper for each statue (service, pose, etc) 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)

None

Maker or Fabricator mark / name? If so, give name & location found

Please attach legible photographs of all text &/or Record the text in the space below. Please use the addendum – narrative sheet if necessary.

Star with "GAR 1861-1865" inscribed within it.

Here in honored glory rests the Last Union Civil War Veteran of Pike County
Samuel Ake Shattuck
May 31, 1842 - Died November 12, 1940
Pvt., Vo. B, 73rd Ohio Volunteer Infantry
Wounded Battle of Gettysburg July 2, 1863
May their deeds and sacrifices be kept ever Green in our Memory
Placed by Sergeant Richard Enderlin Camp #73, S.U.V.C.W. and the citizens of Pike County
October 3, 2009

Environmental Setting

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

Type of Location

Cemetery Park Plaza/Courtyard "Town Square" Post Office
 School Municipal Building State Capitol Courthouse College Campus
 Traffic Circle Library Other: _____

General Vicinity

Rural (low population, open land) Suburban (residential, near city) Town 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 _____

[To detail the condition of a monument used the addendum form for *Monument's Condition*]

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.

Addendums attached to this electronic file are the *Monument's Condition* and the *Narrative* forms. Only the *Monument's Condition* form is required if you are requesting grant money using form CWM-62 *SUVCW Memorial Grant Application Form and Instructions*.

Thank you.

Inspector Identification _____ Date of On-site Survey 17 Aug 2019
Your Name Don Martin
Address 6025 State Route 772
City Chillicothe State Ohio Zip Code 45601
Telephone 

Are you a member of the Allied Orders of the G.A.R.? If so, which one?
SUVCW

Please send this completed form to:

Walt Busch, PDC, Chair
1240 Konert Valley Dr.
Fenton, MO 63026



Thank you for your help, and attention to detail.

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ADDENDUM – MONUMENT’S CONDITION

Completion of this form is required when requesting grant money using form CWM-62 SUVCW Memorial Grant Application Form and Instructions.

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.

Table with 3 columns: Question, Sculpture, Base. Rows include: If hollow, is the internal support unstable/exposed?; Any evidence of structural instability?; Any broken or missing parts?; Any cracks, splits, breaks or holes?.

Surface Appearance (check as many as may apply)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Sculpture, Base. Rows include: 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...

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?

Well maintained Would benefit from treatment In urgent need of treatment Unable to determine

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

Inspector’s Name Date

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ADDENDUM – NARRATIVE

[Generally used to record the text of monuments, but may be used for any other useful information, such as if the monument has been moved or if you have information about the day of dedication. May repeat use of page as often as necessary.]

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TEXT

Ake Shattuck, Pike's last Civil War vet to be honored by 'Last Soldier Project'

■ *Organization seeks donations to decorate grave*

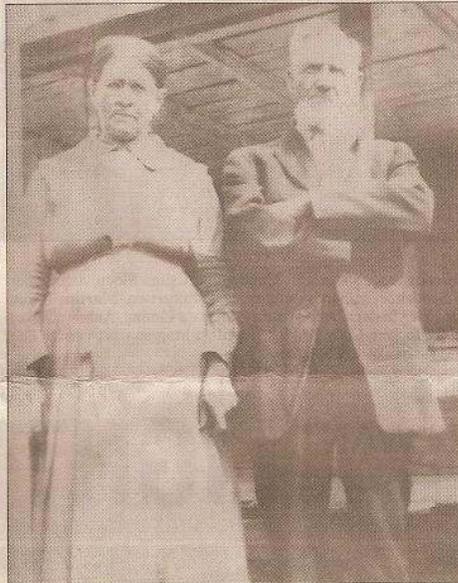
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Ake Shattuck, Pike County's longest-living Civil War veteran, passed away in 1940. The Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War are working on a project to commemorate his service.



Ake Shattuck in later life with his wife Lydia (Walls) Shattuck

with the Army of the Potomac, fighting at Bull Run, marching through Tennessee and Virginia, and taking part in the battles of those regions. On July 2, 1863, he was wounded on the second day of the Battle of Gettysburg. Lewis Weiss, the grandfather of Earl and Paul Weiss, of Waverly, carried him from the battlefield. Two years later on January 24, 1865, he was mustered out in Columbus for expiration of service.

Ake was a member of the Mt. Holy Church of Christ in Christian Union and their Veterans Day booklet of Nov. 6, 2005 states: "In 1870, under the leadership of John Treat, he heard the call of one even greater than Lincoln - who is Jesus Christ. He enlisted in His cause and walked his remaining years with his Lord. He was instrumental in seeing to the building (by donating the lumber) and growth of Mt. Holy Church of Christ in Christian Union where he taught many Sunday School lessons."

The Republican Herald, of Waverly, on June 3, 1937 ran an article about a surprise party for

Ake's 95th birthday. At the party, Ake related the following story: "He (Ake) told the story of their march through Virginia. They had been told that in a short time they would be called into battle.

As they marched along with this solemn thought in mind, an old African-American lady sallied out as they passed by a plantation, shouting 'The good Lord told us you were coming this way'. An Irishman in the ranks with the thought of battle on his mind replied 'When did he say we were coming back?' The combat came and the Irishman never came back."

The article also states that the following people were "seated at the bountiful table at the noon hour": Mr. and Mrs. S.A. Walls, Ellsworth and Alice Walls, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Walls, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest E. Roberts, Juanita Walls, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cyrus, Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Wilson and family, Mrs. Lydia West, Paul and Earl McBee, Florence Parker, Hobert Parker, Marjorie Parker, Henry Hill, Mrs. Jennie Burnett, Cecil Walls, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer, Miss Eleanor Matson, Ora Marshall, Frank, Warren and Eldon Walls, and Russell Shifley.

The Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War wish to install and dedicate a plaque on Samuel Ake Shattuck's grave, recognizing him as the last Union Veteran of Pike County. Six years ago, this national organization began the "Last Soldier Project". The goal of the project is to find and mark the final resting place of the last Union Veteran of each county in all 50 states. Prior to this year, the SAR of Ohio had found the last veteran of each county except for three and Pike County was one of these. Thanks to the efforts of the Pike County Genealogical Society in identifying Ake Shattuck, the SUV Sergeant, Richard Enderlin, Camp 73 of Chillicothe, has been able to begin efforts to recognize him. Shattuck was a member of the local 73rd regiment that Enderlin Camp is named after and they hope to raise \$1,000 to pay for a bronze plaque, its placement and a dedication ceremony.

The project is only partially funded by the national organization, which leaves the local camp to raise money from the local community.

"The local community is essential in helping fund our effort. This is not only to commemorate Ake Shattuck, but all veterans of the Civil War and other conflicts. We are hoping Pike County businesses, organi-

zations and citizens will help," said Don Martin, commander of Enderlin Camp 73.

"We have been able to track down many distant nieces and nephews of Ake Shattuck through his wife, Lydia Walls' family," Martin said. "I've talked to a few in Benton Township, one in Washington Courthouse and the first relative I talked to was in Florida. We highly encourage family members and those interested to contact us so we can keep them abreast of the project's status."

To assist in the project, please call Commander Martin at (740) 663-4961. For more information about the SUV and the Last Soldier Project, go to www.suvcw.org and suvcw.org/last/lastsoldier.htm.



HERE IN HONORED GLORY RESTS THE LAST UNION CIVIL WAR VETERAN OF PIKE COUNTY

SAMUEL AKE SHATTUCK

MAY 31, 1842 - DIED NOVEMBER 12, 1940

PVT., 73RD OHIO VOLUNTEER INFANTRY, CO. B,

WOUNDED BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG JULY 2, 1863

MAY THEIR DEEDS AND SACRIFICES BE KEPT EVER GREEN IN OUR MEMORY
PLACED BY S.U.V.C.W. ENDERLIN CAMP #73 & THE CITIZENS OF PIKE COUNTY

OCTOBER 3, 2009

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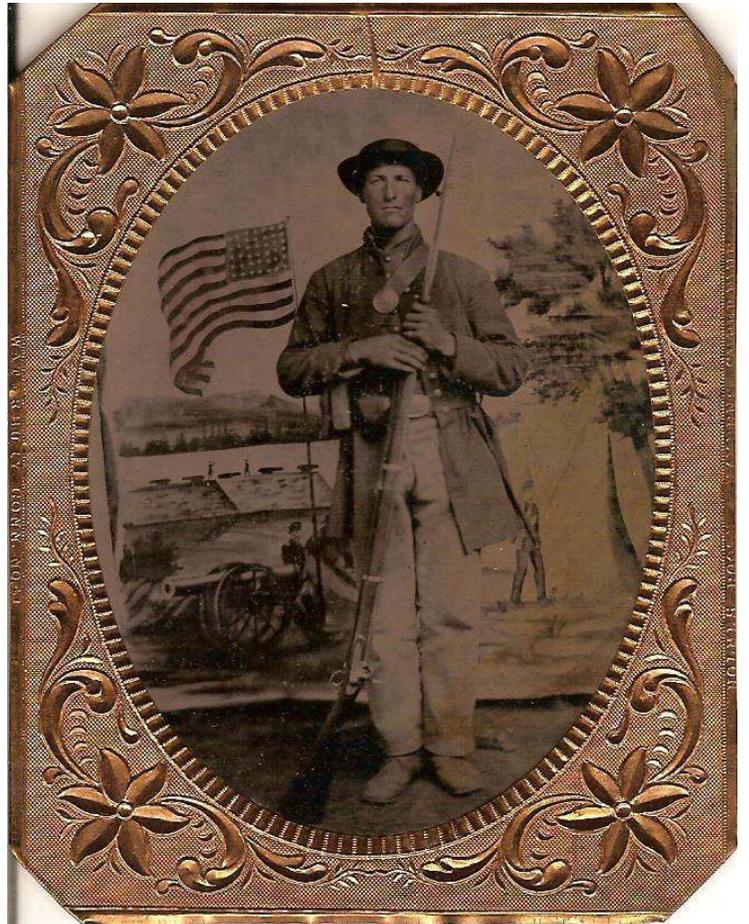


**Enderlin Camp #73 Would Like to Thank the Following
Supporting Organizations & Individuals:**

**Pike County Convention Bureau
Mrs. Reda Perry
Mr. Tom Klinger
Lenoir Taylor
Waverly High School Leo Club
Waverly Lions Club
Pike Genealogical Society**

**The Walls Family
Mr & Mrs Frank Walls
James E. Massie
Chuck & Dixie Leeth
Marion & Nancy Massie, Ean Perkins & Lindsey Smith
Larry & Audra Herman
Stephen Walls
Ricky A. Walls
Gary Walls
Gail Herman
Carlos Herman
Steve & Rosetta Schaeffer
Dwight & Mary Lou Walls
John Joyce Hopper
Everett & Elsie Walls**

Last Union Veteran of Pike County, Ohio



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Samuel Ake Shattuck

Memorial Program
McBee West Cemetery
Benton Township, Pike County, Ohio
Saturday October 3, 2009 1 PM

- Presentation of Colors..... Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War
- Pledge of Allegiance.....Donald L. Martin
Enderlin Camp 73 Commander
- Invocation.....Darby Beekman, Pastor, Mt. Holy Church of Christ in Christian Union
- Welcome.....Camp Commander Martin
- Guest Speaker.....David V. Medert, Past
Commander in Chief SUVCW
- Plaque Unveiling,Mrs. Rita Perry,
Great Granddaughter of
Lt. Col. Thomas Higgins, 73rd OVI
1st Commander Company B
- Laying of Wreath.....Henry Shaw, Colonel
Deputy Commander, SVR
- SUVCW Salute.....63rd Ohio Volunteer Infantry
- Taps.....First Sergeant John Huffman
122nd Army Band, Ohio National Guard
- *Benediction.....Pastor Beekman

*Family members please join us for photographs