

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. _____) ___ 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 _____ 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 Grand River and WASHINGTON BLVD
 City/Village Detroit Township Detroit County WAYNE

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 CITY OF DETROIT Dept./Div. Parks and Rec/DPW
 Street Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
 Contact Person _____ Telephone () _____

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.) gray granite

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

Material of Plaque or Historical Marker / Tablet = gray granite

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 15' Width 6' Depth 6' or Diameter _____
Sculpture: Height 6' Width 3' Depth 3' 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.

- Front : "Macomb"
- Back : "To Major General Alexander Macomb commanding the Army of the United States - Hero of the Battle of Plattsburg.
This monument is erected in the City of his birth. by the Michigan Society of the United States Daughters of 1812.
September 1, 1908"

Environmental Setting

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

Type of Location

- | | | |
|---|---|--|
| <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 | _____ |

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) .

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 11 Nov 2001

Your Name Richard E. Danes

Address 2612 Burns City Dearborn

State MI Zip Code 48124-3204 Telephone [REDACTED]

SUVCW Camp 427 Senior Vice Commander

Please send this completed form to:

Douglas R. Armstrong
Civil War Memorials Officer
Department of Michigan- S.U.V.C.W.
236 E Frederick Ave.
Lansing, MI. 48906-3226

Thank you for your help, and attention to detail.

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National Civil War Memorials Committee

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SOURCES:

Chief of Ordnance Reports
House & Senate Reports
CIS U.S. Serial Set Indices
Registers of Naval Guns
Statutes at Large
Register of Inspections of Cannon
Field Artillery Weapons of the Civil War
Artillery and Ammunition of the Civil War
various commemorative booklets and pamphlets
antique postcards
compiler's files

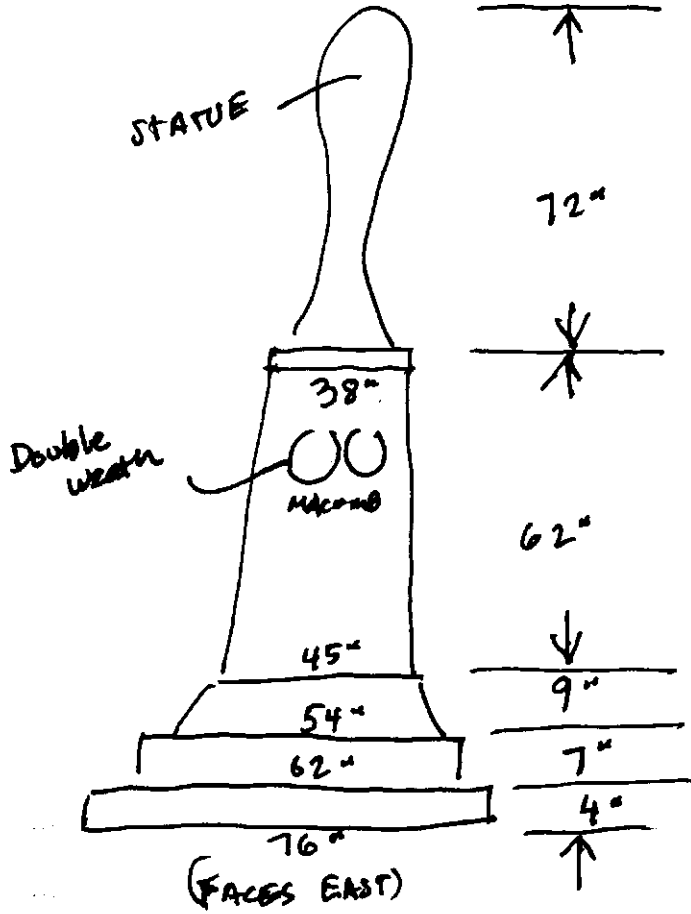
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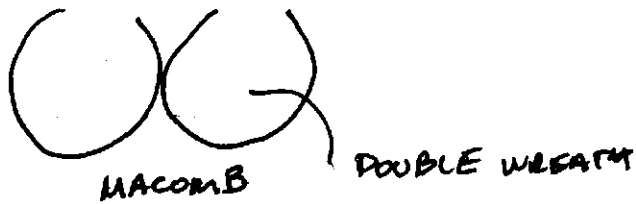
MICHIGAN CANNON LEADS

CODE	+ CITY	DONEE	CANNON	YEAR
43 L	Adrian LePawee	Soldiers' Mon't Assn	4 12-pdr iron guns (2 there)	1870
" "	Albion Calthoun	GAR 21 (at new armory)	1 6.4-in Parrott rifle	1897
" "	Allegan Allegan	Michigan Soldiers' Mon. Assn.	?	?
7N	Ann Arbor Washkennaw	GAR 128	2 3.67-in Parrott rifles	1899
7N	Ann Arbor "	city (U of M Span. War Mon't)	1 br cannon or fldpc (Spanish)	1912
N	+ Bacheaw - ?	private on Neehish Island	cannon in front yard	per R&MH
	Bad Axe - Huron	city	4 bronze cannon or fldpcs	1915
160S	Bancroft - Shiawassee	GAR 11 (once @ high school)	32-pdr of 57 cwt #516	1898
20A	Bangor VAN Buren	GAR 19 (Arlington Cemetery)	XI-in Dahlgren #417	1897
21S	Battle Creek Calthoun	GAR 32 (was in Oak Hill Cem)	XI-in Dahlgren #230	1896
67A/S	Bay City Bay	GAR 67 (how in Pine Ridge Cem)	1 8-in S&G how & 1 4.2-in Parr	1897
67A	Bay City "	GAR 67 (Green Ridge Cem)	1 3-in wrought iron gun	1898
67S	Bay City "	city	IX-in Dahlgrens #230 & 231	1904
67S	+ Bay City "	courthouse	13-in SC mortar	190- postcard
67S	Bay City "	municipality	VIII-in shellguns #326 & 336	1907
67S	Bay City, West "	GAR 67	1 4.2-in Parrott rifle	1897
85A	+ Benton Harbor Berrien	Crystal Springs Cemetery	Alger 24-pdr flank how No.188	?
28N	+ Big Rapids - Mecosta	Mecosta County courthouse	cannon on granite mount	1928 postcard
43A	+ Blissfield LeNapee	cemetery on US Rte 223	1 8-in columbiad M1844	?
14A	+ Boyne City Charlevoix	Front & State Streets	1 8-in Rodman	?
120N	Brighton Livingston	GAR 179	1 6.4-in Parrott rifle	1897
22N	Bronson BLANCH	GAR 185	1 3-in wrought iron gun	1898
85A	Buchanan Berrien	GAR 22 (now in cemetery)	6.4-in navy Parrott rifle #48	1897
145N	Caro TUSCOLA	village	4 bronze cannon or fldpcs	1916
85A	+ Cassopolis CASS	privately owned	4.5" Ord Rfl Reg#51	per JDL
14A	Charlevoix - SAME	GAR 119 (Brookside Cemetery)	1 4.2-in Parrott rifle	1897
17A/D	Charlotte - EATON	GAR 40 (now at courthouse)	1 6.4-in Parrott & 1 8-in clmb	1898
A	Cheboygan - SAME	city (now at courthouse)	IX-in Dahlgren #225	1904
[A]	+ Cheboygan - "	in storage somewhere	CW cannon from park	per GHM
A	Chelsea - Washkennaw	solds' mon. in (Oak Grove) cem	2 30-pdr iron guns	1895
7A	+ Chelsea - "	unspecified	old iron 6-pdr gun	?
	Chesanning - Saginaw	GAR 121	3.67-in navy Parrott rfl #262	1900
	+ Coldwater - Branch	park (Military Park)	3 2.9-in Parrott rifles	?
53A	Coleman - Midland	Town	IX-in Dahlgren #698	1909
A	Constantine St Joseph	GAR 121 (park)	1 4.2-in Parrott rifle	1897
145N	Davison - Genesee	GAR 284	1 42-pdr gun	1898
20A	Decatur - VAN Buren	GAR 27 (now in City Park)	6.4-in navy Parrott rifle #12	1896
17NI	+ Delta Township Eaton	Delta Center Cemetery	replica 10-pdr Parrott	per GHM
101A	+ Detroit - Wayne	Ft. Wayne	2 12-pdr guns	?
101A	+ Detroit "	Ft. Wayne (from Grand Rapids)	2 4.2-in Parrott rifles	?
101A	Detroit "	Mon't to MG McComb(Wash.Blvd.)	2 bronze 12-pdr guns, M1838	1908
101A	Detroit "	Mon't to MG McComb(Wash.Blvd.)	1 French 9-pdr gun	1908
101S	Detroit "	Woodmere Cemetery Assn.	2 4.2-in Parrott rifles	1897
101A	+ Detroit "	fairgrounds	2 3-in Ord Rfls altered to BLs	?
101N	+ Detroit (Belle Isle)	view from Belle Isle	fieldpiece on carriage	old postcard
7A	Dexter - Washkennaw	GAR 339 (now American Legion)	1 4.2-in Parrott rifle	1897
76A	+ Dundee - Monroe	park	1 6.4-in Parrott rifle	?
76A	+ Dundee "	privately owned	3" Ord Rfl R#390 & CA Coeh #11	?
76A	+ Dundee "	privately owned	1 6-pdr M1841 Ames No.286	?
A	+ East Tawas - Iosco	unspecified	6-pdr iron Bellona gun w/o rbs	?
17A	Eaton Rapids - Eaton	GAR 111	1 4.2-in Parrott rifle	1898
17A	+ Eaton Rapids - "	park/island (south)	1 6.4-in Parrott rifle	?
120A	+ Farmington OAKLAND	American Legion Post 346	3.2" converted 3" Ord Rfl-SBF	per R&MH
53A	Farwell - Chare	GAR 386 (now in park)	32-pdr of 4500# #226	1897
145A	Fenton - Genessee	GAR 24 (West Fenton Fire Hall)	2 4.5-in guns	1897
145A	Flint - "	GAR 145 (now at courthouse)	2 4.2-in Parrott rifles (4)	1897
145A	+ Flint - "	McFarland Pk (now 2nd MI Inf)	6-pdr br gun carriage	1907 postcard
145A	+ Flint - "	Sloan Museum	1868 British cannon (500#)	per newspaper
120A	Fowlerville - Livingston	GAR 114 (in cemetery)	1 4.2-in Parrott rifle	1897
147A	+ Frankfort - Benzie	park	1 10-in Rodman	?
28N	Fremont - Newaygo	GAR 182	4.2-in navy Parrott #256 & 258	1902
	Gaylord - otsego	city (now at courthouse)	IX-in Dahlgren #250	1904
4	+ Gibraltar - Wayne	Parsons School	2 10" Rodmans sleeved to 8" rf	?
67A	Gladwin - SAME	GAR 369	12-pdr boat how, small, #7 & 12	1891
67N	Gladwin - "	municipality (crths on pstord)	VIII-in shellguns #325 & 334	1907
1A	+ Grand Haven OTTAWA	City Hall	2 Lyle guns	?
1N	Grand Haven "	city	IX-in Dahlgrens #701 & 702	1908

FIELD NOTES - 2



FRONT



BACK

(Inscribed)

"To Major General Alexander MACOMB
commanding the Army of the United
States - Hero of the Battle of Plattsburg.
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