

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. Phil Kearney Post 19)       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: People of Laclede MO

**Original Dedication Date** 1915 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 Laclede Cemetery (2nd Rd) W of Hwy 5, North of Cole W93°10'30" N39°47'05"  
City/Village Laclede      Township \_\_\_\_\_      County Linn

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 Laclede Cemetery      Dept./Div. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City Laclede      State MO      Zip Code 64651  
Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

If the Memorial has been moved, please list former location(s)...  
N/A  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**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.) Grey Marble over Conrete

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?" Brass

Material of Plaque or Historical Marker / Tablet = \_\_\_\_\_

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 4 ft Width 3 1/2 ft Depth 3 1/2 ft or Diameter \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sculpture: Height 10 ft Width 18 inches Depth 16 inches 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 North side base of sculpture

"Manufactured by "The W.H. Mullins Co., Salem, Ohio, USA" on riveted plate

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.

East side: Base has brass plate with GAH Medal on it.

South Side: Erected by Post and People of Laclede 1915

West Side: Blank

North Side: Musterd 1882 In Memory of Phil Kearny Post No. 19 Dept of Mo. GAR

**Environmental Setting**

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

**Type of Location**

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

General Vicinity

X 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)
Any other significant environmental factor

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 2 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 2 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...

Sword appears to be an original militia type plated over. Plate on the blade is missing causing blade to rust. Otherwise in good condition.

Does water collect in recessed areas of the Memorial? Yes No X 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

**Overall Description**

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

In right had is a copper or brass clad (real) sword. The clading is peeling from the sword blade which is pitted and very rusty.

There is some splitting and cracking on flag pole.

Flower pot in front of Monument

**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**

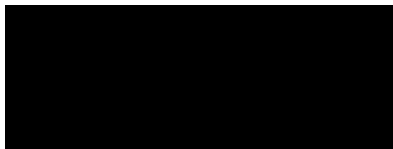
Date of On-site Survey 3 July 2008

Your Name Walter E Busch, US Grant Camp 68



Please send this completed form to:

Todd A. Shillington, PDC



Thank you for your help, and attention to detail.

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National Civil War Memorials Committee





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OUR  
NATION'S DEAD



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**VANDALISM DONE  
IN SUMMER 2021  
APPARENTLY TRUCK  
USING TOW STRAP**







ERECTED BY  
POST  
AND  
PEOPLE  
OF  
LAFAYETTE  
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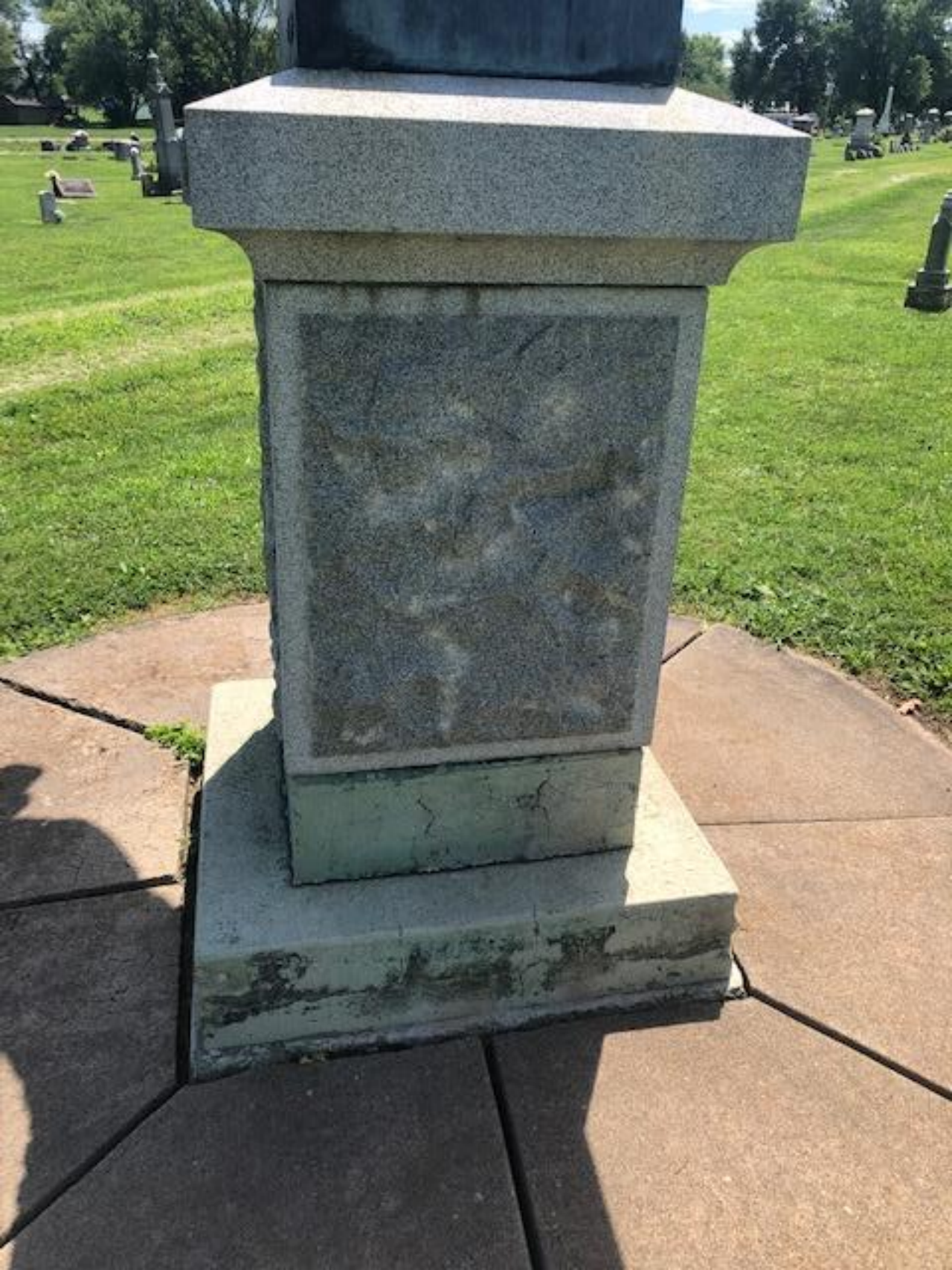




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KEARNEY  
POST  
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**IN STORAGE 2022  
AT LOCAL WELDING  
SCHOOL  
AWAITING REPAIRS**

















