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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 X Historical Marker Plaque Affiliation G.A.R. (Post Name & No._____ M.O.L.L.U.S.) ___ Other Allied Order W.R.C. (Corps Name & No._____ SUVCW (Camp Name & No.) (Please describe below) DUVCW (Tent Name & No._____ XOther: William Quiring Original Dedication Date 1953 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 Forsyth Park N36.685684,W93.100349 City/Village Forsyth Township County Taney The front of the Memorial faces: ___ North __X South East West Government Body, Agency, or Individual Owner (of private cemetery that Memorial is located in)... Name Shadow Rock Park & Campground Dept./Div. Street Address 149 Benton St State MO Zip Code 65653 City Forsyth Contact Person ______ Telephone (417) 546-2876 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 _X Undetermined

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

Material of the Sculpture = If known, name specific material If the Sculpture is of metal, i	al (color of gr	anite, marble, etc	;.)	
Material of Plaque or Histori	ical Marker /	Tablet = Granit	e	
Material of Cannon =Brown Markings on muzzle =				
Markings on Left Trunion		Right	Trunion	
Is inert ammunition a part of	the Memori	al? If so 	, describe _.	
Approximate Dimensions (Monument or Base: Height Sculpture: Height	indicate unit	of measure) - ta dth Dep dth Dep	aken from t oth <u>8 in</u> oth	allest / widest points or Diameter or Diameter
For Memorials with multiple sheet of paper for each state each statue and any wea separated from this form). The	tue and attac pons/implem	ch to this form.	Please de	escribe the "pose" of
Markings/Inscriptions (on Maker or Fabricator mark / n				
The "Dedication Text" is form	ned: <u>×</u> cut	into material	raised u _l	o from material face
Record the text (indicate any sepa See attached	ration if on diff	erent sides) Plea	se use additio	onal sheet if necessary.
Environmental Setting				
(The general vicinity and immediate loc Type of Location	cale surrounding	a memorial can play	a major role in	its overall condition.)
Cemetery	_X P	ark		Plaza/Courtyard
_ "Town Square"		ost Office		School
Municipal Building		State Capitol		ther:
Courthouse Traffic Circle		College Campus ibrary		

General Vicinity Rural (low population, open land) Subt	urban (residential, r	near city)	
Urba	oan / Metropolitan		
Immediate Locale (check as many as may apply) Industrial Commercial Street/Roadside within 20 feet Tree Covered (over the elements (canopy or enclosure, indoor the public (fence or other barrier) Any other significant environmental factor	rs)		
Condition Information			
Structural Condition (check as many as may apply) The following section applies to Monuments <i>with</i> Sculpture, and Mon	uments without Sculpt	ure -	
including the base for Monuments with <i>Cannon</i> . Instability in the set by a number of factors. Indicators may be obvious or subtle. V 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 growth) Any broken or missing parts?			
(look for elements (i.e., sword, musket, hands, arms, etc missing due to vandalism, fluctuating weather conditions, etc.)			
Any cracks, splits, breaks or holes? (also look for signs of uneven stress & weakness in the material)			
Surface Appearance (check as many as may apply)		_	
Black crusting	Sculpture	Base	
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			
Doog water collect in recessed areas of the Marrarial?	(00 X No 1	Inoble to tall	
Does water collect in recessed areas of the Memorial?Y	′es <u>×</u> No l	Jnable to tell	

Surface Coating Does there appear to be a coating? Yes _X No Unable to determine If known, identify type of coating Gilded _X Painted Varnished Waxed _X Unable to determine Is the coating in good condition? Yes NoX Unable to determine				
Basic Surface Condition Assessment (check one)				
In your opinion, what is the general appearance or condition of the Memorial? X 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 11/24/2011 US Grant Camp 68				
Your Name Walt Busch US Grant Camp 68				
Please send this completed form to:				
Bruce B. Butgereit, PDC, Chair				

Thank you for your help, and attention to detail.

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Forsyth Park N36'41.131 W93'06.033'

[Scales of Justice]

For over one hundred years this was the site of three Taney County Court Houses.

The first built by the early pioneers was destroyed during a Civil War battle, July 22, 1861.

The second burned December 19, 1885. The Third, and last was removed in 1952 to permit the building of Bull Shoals Lake.

This historical marker was presented to Taney County by William Quiring, in Memory of his wife, Mary Melissa Quiring, who loved this beautiful hill country. Erected 1953.



