

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:

Original Dedication Date 1917 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 Corner of Thomas Av. & Church St.
Bogarts Park GPS Coordinates 40.764783 -95.371266
City/Village &/or Township Shenandoah
County Page State Iowa Zip Code 51601

The front of the Memorial faces: North South East West

Government Body, Agency, or Individual Owner

Name City of Shenandoah
Dept./Div. Parks and Recreation
Street Address 500 W. Clarinda Ave.
City Shenandoah State Iowa Zip Code 51601
Contact Person _____ Telephone (712) 246-3409 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.) granite

Material of the Sculpture Stone Concrete Metal Other Is it hollow or solid? solid
If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.) granite

For Historic Marker or Plaque:

Material of Plaque or Historical Marker / Tablet = 3 bronze plaques on monument

For Cannons with/without monument:

Material of Cannon = Bronze Iron Type of Cannon (if known) 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.)

What best describes the memorial

Materials of the Memorial

Complete for All Memorials

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

30 ft Height base 8x8 ft- Width Depth or Diameter 39" x 39" where bronze plaques located

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)

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.

see attached
In addition to the 3 bronze plaques listing 175 soldiers from area, there is inscription "Designed and erected by A.B. Frontini 1917"

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 wide area near downtown with churches on each side

[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.

*impressive, unusual monument.
bronz plaques are furnished.*

Inspector Identification _____ Date of On-site Survey 10-15-17
Your Name Tom Gaard

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_____ gaardt@aol.com~~

Are you a member of the Allied Orders of the G.A.R.? If so, which one?
Gen. Grenville Dodge Camp #75

Please send this completed form to:
Walt Busch, PDC, Chair
1240 Konert Valley Dr.
Fenton, MO 63026

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Thank you for your help, and attention to detail.

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Department of Iowa - Civil War Monuments

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Civil War Memorial

This wonderful monument is located in a prominent place with several churches surrounding it on a busy intersection SE of the business district. It has three bronze plaques with about 175 Civil War soldiers listed from the region. The front plaque is shown below. The monument is about 30 feet high. It was dedicated in 1917 by the WRC. There is an inscription "Designed and erected by A. B. Frontini 1917". There are also monuments behind it recognizing veterans from more recent wars. It is on the corner of Thomas Avenue and Church Street. The first photo was taken 5/16/09. The second photo was taken 10/15/17. The final photo is from an old undated postcard provided by Danny Krock.



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