

NATIONAL ORGANIZATION  
SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR

CIVIL WAR MEMORIAL ASSESSMENT FORM

PLEASE:

- 1. Type or print, using a ball-point pen, when filling out this form. Legibility is critical.
- 2. 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 without Sculpture
- Other ( flag pole, G.A.R. buildings, stained glass windows, etc.)
- Monument with *Cannon*
- Historical Marker  Plaque

Affiliation

- G.A.R. (Post Name & No. \_\_\_\_\_)  M.O.L.L.U.S
- SUVCW (Camp Name & No. \_\_\_\_\_) (Please describe below)
- WRC (Corps Name & No. \_\_\_\_\_)
- ASUVCW (Aux Name & No. \_\_\_\_\_)
- DUVCW (Tent Name & No. \_\_\_\_\_)
- LGAR (Circle Name & No. \_\_\_\_\_)
- Other Missouri National Guard

Original Dedication Date unknown 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: N40.357683 and W94.890775  
 Street/Road address or site location 1407 North Country Club Road  
 City/Village Maryville Township Polk County Nodaway  
 State Missouri.

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 Missouri National Guard Armory  
 Dept./Div. Maryville National Guard Armory  
 Street Address 1407 North Country Club Road, Suite 100 City \_\_\_\_\_  
Maryville State MO Zip Code 64468 Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

If the Memorial has been moved, please list former location(s).

Moved from original armory at 303 East Summit Drive location to new armory at 1407 North Country Club Road.  
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### 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.) \_\_\_\_\_

#### SUVCW -- CIVIL WAR

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?" \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phoenix Iron Co 3 Inch Ordnance Rifle M1861

Material of Cannon =  Bronze  Iron - Consult known Ordnance Listing to confirm

Markings on muzzle = JMW N 45 PIC 1862

Markings on Left Trunion  none found Right Trunion  none found

Is inert ammunition a part of the Memorial?  Yes If so, describe  display of four 3" round shots

Phoenix registry number 215, weight 817 pounds

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

Monument or Base: Height \_\_\_\_\_ Width \_\_\_\_\_ Depth \_\_\_\_\_ or Diameter \_\_\_\_\_

Sculpture: Height \_\_\_\_\_ Width \_\_\_\_\_ Depth \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_

Missouri National Guard inventory tag: Rifle Ordnance 843944

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.

see pictures for complete text

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### Environmental Setting

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

#### Type of Location

- Cemetery
- "Town Square"
- Municipal Building
- Courthouse
- Traffic Circle

- Park
- Post Office
- State Capitol
- College Campus
- Library

- Plaza/Courtyard
- School
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
National Guard Amory  
\_\_\_\_\_

**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 Located inside armory lobby

**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.

	<b>Sculpture</b>	<b>Base</b>
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)

	<b>Sculpture</b>	<b>Base</b>
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

**Overall Description**

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

3-inch ordinance raffle mounted on wood carriage at lobby entrance to the Maryville National Guard Armory. Cannon measures 64" long with a 3" barrel. Produced at the JMW arsenal at Piccatinny, New Jersey in 1862; serial number 215.

**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 22 September 2015

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What Order or Organization is submitter a member of? Westport Camp #64

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Thank you for your help, and attention to detail. SONS OF UNION V

CIVIL WAR VETERANS OF THE National Civil War Memorials Committee



Errors: Manufactured by Phoenix Iron Co. 3 inch Rifle - 817 pounds -

CANNON CIVIL WAR  
MANUFACTURED AT PICATINNY ARSENAL  
NEW JERSEY 1862  
TYPE . . . . . MUZZLE LOADING  
CALIBER . . 3 INCH RIFLED BORE  
RECOIL MECHANISM . . NONE JUMP  
IGNITION . . TOUCH HOLE OR FUZE  
CHARGE . . . . BLACK POWDER  
TUBE . . . . STEEL  
BORE . . . . RIFLED  
PROJECTILES . . 3 INCH SHOT  
                    3 INCH SHELL  
                    3 INCH CASE  
RANGE        600-- 1000 YDS APPROX  
RENOVATED STATE MAINT. SHOP  
MO N. G. 1957-1965-1971

# 3" ORDNANCE or RODMAN RIFLE

MFG. JMW-FOUNDER

SER. No. 215

PICATINNY ARSENAL -  
1862

Corrected to Phoenix Iron Works 3 inch Ord Rifel M1861

DESIGN WT: 820 lbs. - ACTUAL WT: 817 lbs.

TUBE LENGTH - 69"

MATERIAL - CAST IRON

PROJECTILE WT: - 9.50 lbs.

CHARGE WT: ONE POUND BLACK POWDER

MUZZLE VELOCITY - 3,235 FT/SEC.



