

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: US War Department _____

Original Dedication Date May 1939 _____ 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.

LocationThe Memorial is *currently* located at:

Street/Road address or site location Jefferson Barracks Section 57 Lot 15009
 City/Village St. Louis Township _____ County St Louis County, MO

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 Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery Dept./Div. _____

Street Address 2900 Sheridan Road _____

City St. Louis State MO Zip Code 65125

Contact Person _____ Telephone (314) 260-8720

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

Wherever Quarantine Station, Mo. use to be.

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.) _____

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

Material of Plaque or Historical Marker / Tablet = N/a

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

Markings on muzzle = N/A

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 8 feet Width 2 1/2 feet Depth 2 1/2 feet 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 none 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.

[East Face] To the Memory of 175 Non Com. Officers & Privates of the 56th U.S.C. Infy.

Died of Cholera in August 1866.

[Brass Plaque] 1863 1866

56th U.S. Colored Infantry. "Their Memory Will Not Perish" Brigadier General N.B. Buford July 27, 1864.

This Monument and Remains were removed from Quarantine Station, Mo., by authority of War Department Collaborating with Citizens Committee, and dedicated May, 1939. Joseph E. Mitchell, Chairman

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: _____

General Vicinity

☐ Rural (low population, open land)
☐ Town

☒ Suburban (residential, near city)
☐ 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 _____

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.

	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)

	Sculpture	Base
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...	___	___

In Good Shape _____

Does water collect in recessed areas of the Memorial? ☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Unable to tell

Surface CoatingDoes there appear to be a coating? ☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Unable to determine

If known, identify type of coating.

☐ Gilded ☐ Painted ☐ Varnished ☐ Waxed ☒ Unable to determineIs 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)

This monument honors US Colored Troops who died in 1866. Although they died in 1866, they should NOT have been in the army. All white troops were allowed to go home after the war. Black troops were forced to serve out their enlistments. Hence these men who entered service in 1863 died of cholera in 1866 as a direct result of their service to the Union.

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 28 August 2006

Your Name Walter E. Busch, US Grant Camp 68

Address PO Box 509

City Pilot Knob

State MO

Zip Code 63663


Telephone (314) 630-8407

Please send this completed form to:

Todd A. Shillington, PDC
15 Park Place
Holley, NY 14470-1022
(585) 638-5929

Thank you for your help, and attention to detail.

SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR
National Civil War Memorials Committee



To the
Memory of
175
Non Com.
OFFICERS
and Privates
of the
56. U.S.C. Inf'ty

Died of Cholera in
August 1866

THIS MONUMENT WAS
ERECTED BY THE
56th U.S.C. INF'TY
AT THE
CAMP OF MARYLAND
IN 1866
AND WAS
REMOVED TO
THIS PLACE
IN 1901
BY THE
U.S. ARMY
ENGINEERS

1863

1866

56TH U.S. COLORED INFANTRY

"THEIR MEMORY WILL NOT PERISH"

BRIGADIER GENERAL N.B. BUFORD

JULY 27, 1864.

THIS MONUMENT AND REMAINS WERE
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In August, 2014, the monument was rededicated with a list of names and plate added



DEDICATED TO THE SOLDIERS OF THE 56TH REGIMENT U.S. COLORED TROOPS WHO DIED OF CHOLERA WHILE IN TRANSPORT ALONG THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND AT ST LOUIS, MISSOURI, IN SUMMER 1866.

IN 1939, THE REMAINS OF MANY OF THESE SOLDIERS, BURIED IN THE KOCH HOSPITAL CEMETERY, WERE REINTERRED HERE. A MARBLE TIBELISK THAT WAS PLACED AT THE HOSPITAL CEMETERY WAS ALSO MOVED HERE. THE SOLDIERS BURIED HERE ARE:

NOBERT ABERNATHY, Pvt., Co. H
WILLIAM T ADAMS, Pvt., Co. B
JAMES ALEXANDER, Corp., Co. H
ALEXANDER ALLCORN, Pvt., Co. E
JUSTUS ALLEN, Pvt., Co. H
ALEXANDER ANDERSON, Corp., Co. F
WARREN ANDERSON, Pvt., Co. A
SAMUEL BEDFORD, Pvt., Co. H
ANTONI BALL, Pvt., Co. D
WILLIAM BIRD, Pvt., Co. F
ELIJAH BOND, Corp., Co. A
BOOKER BOWLES, Pvt., Co. E
JOSEPH BROOKS, Pvt., Co. I
ADAM BROWN, Pvt., Co. F
JOHN BURT, Pvt., Co. D
ALVIN COLWELL, Pvt., Co. D
KIT CALDWELL, Pvt., Co. C
GEORGE CHILDERS, Pvt., Co. H
RODERICK CHILES, Corp., Co. G
SAMUEL COOK, Pvt., Co. G
JAMES CROW, Pvt., Co. B
WILLIAM CURCH, Pvt., Co. H
SHEDRICK DAVIS, Corp., Co. D
WILLIAM DOOLEN, Pvt., Co. I
THOMAS DOWELL, Pvt., Co. I
LEVI J EDWIN, Serg., Co. E
HENRY ELLI, Pvt., Co. B
ALFRED ELLIOTT, Pvt., Co. F
FRANK ENYARD, Pvt., Co. K
HENRY EVERSON, Pvt., Co. F
DENNIS EWING, Pvt., Co. B
EDWARD FIELDS, Pvt., Co. G
JAMES FISHER, Pvt., Co. C
ANDREW FORD, Pvt., Co. D
RICHARD FORT, Pvt., Co. E
CHARLES FOWLER, Pvt., Co. F
JAMES FOYD, Pvt., Co. I
RICHARD GAIBS, Pvt., Co. K
GEORGE GIBBS, Pvt., Co. B

AUGUSTUS GIBSON, Pvt., Co. F
SAMUEL GILBERT, Pvt., Co. A
CHARLES GREEN, Pvt., Co. C
OLIVER C GREGGS, Serg., Co. B
BAKER GRIGGSBY, Pvt., Co. H
CALEB HAMMOND, Pvt., Co. H
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HENRY HARRISON, Pvt., Co. A
JOHN HARRISON, Pvt., Co. C
LEWIS HARTSON, Pvt., Co. G
GEORGE HARVEY, Pvt., Co. D
BAZEL HAWKINS, Pvt., Co. B
WILLIAM HAYES, Pvt., Co. C
DAVID HAYWOOD, Pvt., Co. A
GEORGE HENDERSON, Pvt., Co. E
SAMUEL HENDERSON, Corp., Co. B
SANFORD HILL, Pvt., Co. K
ABNER HOWELL, Pvt., Co. A
DANIEL HUBBARD, Pvt., Co. B
ALEX HUTCHINSON, Pvt., Co. G
JOHN IVES, Pvt., Co. E
PETER J JACKMAN, Pvt., Co. A
JOSHUA JEFF, Pvt., Co. H
MARION JENKINS, Pvt., Co. A
JOSEPH JOHNSON, Pvt., Co. D
SAMUEL JOHNSON, Pvt., Co. D
LEWIS JOHNSTON, Pvt., Co. B
WILLIAM JOHNSTON, Pvt., Co. B
BOBES JONES, Pvt., Co. A
JERRY KAUFMAN, Pvt., Co. C
HENRY KITCHIN, Pvt., Co. H
LUCIAN LEWIS, Pvt., Co. G
PATRICK LYAL, Pvt., Co. B
GEORGE MAGRUDER, Pvt., Co. E
CHARLES MALCOM, Pvt., Co. B
SAMUEL MAUPIN, Pvt., Co. K
LEVI MCCANEY, Pvt., Co. E
FRED MCQUIRE, Pvt., Co. K

NEALUS MILLER, Pvt., Co. G
JOHN MOORE, Pvt., Co. A
ALFRED NORRIS, Pvt., Co. B
ISRAEL PAY, Pvt., Co. D
HENRY PAYTON, Corp., Co. E
SAMUEL PERKINS, Pvt., Co. K
GARRETT PRYOR, Pvt., Co. C
ISRAEL PRYOR, Pvt., Co. A
SPENCER RANDEL, Pvt., Co. C
GILBERT RAY, Pvt., Co. G
JACOB REED, Corp., Co. H
EMANUEL RICHARDSON, Pvt., Co. K
JAMES RUSSELL, Pvt., Co. B
WASHINGTON RUSSELL, Pvt., Co. B
PARIS SEBASTIAN, Pvt., Co. B
THOMAS SIMMS, Pvt., Co. B
GEORGE SINGLETON, Pvt., Co. B
ALEX SMITH, Pvt., Co. I
PHILIP STARKS, Pvt., Co. I
OWEN STARNES, Pvt., Co. F
WYATT STARNES, Pvt., Co. F
JAMES STEWART, Pvt., Co. I
DENNIS STRAWDER, Pvt., Co. E
FRANK SULLIVAN, Pvt., Co. H
DANIEL TAYLOR, Pvt., Co. K
ANDY THOMAS, Pvt., Co. H
WILLIAM J THOMAS, Pvt., Co. A
JOHN TURNER, Pvt., Co. G
ALEXANDER UNDERWOOD, Pvt., Co. H
PARKER WALL, Pvt., Co. G
GEORGE WASHINGTON, Serg., Co. B
GEORGE WASHINGTON, Pvt., Co. I
HENRY WASHINGTON, Pvt., Co. C
JAMES WASHINGTON, Pvt., Co. C
JOSEPH WILLIAMS, Corp., Co. K
THOMAS WILLIAMS, Pvt., Co. K
JESSE WILSON, Pvt., Co. C
OLIVER WILSON, Pvt., Co. B
CHARLES WRIGHT, Pvt., Co. B

OTHER SOLDIERS IN THE SAME REGIMENT WHO DIED WHILE IN TRANSPORT ALONG THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND WHOSE REMAINS ARE UNRECOVERABLE ARE MEMORIALIZED HERE:

WILLIAM ALEXANDER, Pvt., Co. H
RICHARD ALLEN, Pvt., Co. B
GRANVILLE AVINGTON, Pvt., Co. A
PHILLIP BEASLEY, Pvt., Co. E
DREW I BELL, Pvt., Co. B
RICHARD BERRY, Pvt., Co. B
EDGAR BOLES, Pvt., Co. A
THOMAS BOLES, Pvt., Co. A
TECUMSEH BROWN, Pvt., Co. A
JOHN CARTRIGHT, Corp., Co. A
PATRICK CHIESS, Pvt., Co. G
HENRY COLEMAN, Pvt., Co. E
JACKSON COLLINS, Pvt., Co. E
JOSEPH COLLINS, Pvt., Co. A
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SQUIRE COWHERD, Pvt., Co. K
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GEORGE CRIGLER, Pvt., Co. B

ISAAC DAVID, Pvt., Co. K
JUBER DUNLAP, Pvt., Co. B
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EDWARD FERGUSON, Pvt., Co. E
JEFFERSON FORT, Pvt., Co. E
BORACH FOSTER, Pvt., Co. C
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WILLIAM LEWIS, Pvt., Co. A
ALFRED JENDSEY, Corp., Co. A
MACK JEFFER, Pvt., Co. B
ALBERT NICHOLAS, Pvt., Co. E
HEZEKIAH NUCKLES, Pvt., Co. E
SAMUEL PAYNE, Pvt., Co. B
MITER PITTS, Pvt., Co. E

JOHN PITZER, Corp., Co. K
CHITMAN PRYOR, Corp., Co. A
SAMUEL RANDALL, Pvt., Co. A
FELDON ROBINSON, Pvt., Co. G
CHARLES RUSH, Pvt., Co. A
AMOS SAMUELS, Pvt., Co. K
WALKER SCOTT, Pvt., Co. K
WILLIS SMITH, Pvt., Co. A
ALFRED SOMERS, Pvt., Co. E
HARRISON STRAUTHER, Pvt., Co. K
JOHN VENEY, Pvt., Co. A
WILLIAM WALKER, Pvt., Co. K
DARY WASHINGTON, Corp., Co. E
LEWIS WESTOVER, Serg., Co. K
JAMES WILLIS, Pvt., Co. A
MARRON WOODSON, Pvt., Co. B
ISAM WOOTEN, Pvt., Co. E

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE. AUGUST 2014



RECEIVED BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE FBI, WASHINGTON, D. C., 10/10/68, 10:00 AM. FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-388611). SUBJECT: JAMES EARL RAY, AKA; ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN PASSPORT TO TRAVEL TO AFRICA. RE: NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, 10/10/68.

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MORRIS CUMBER, Pvt. Co. E
BARRY CRAIG, Pvt. Co. A
GEORGE CRAWLER, Pvt. Co. B

FRANK KATHIA, Pol. Co. B
JEROME HUNTER, Pol. Co. B
HERBERT ELLIS, Pol. Co. B
EDWARD FRANKTON, Pol. Co. B
JEFFERSON FISK, Pol. Co. B
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SAMUEL FAYNE, Pol. Co. B
JIMMY FITZ, Pol. Co. B

JOHN FITEE, Corp., Co. E
CHRISTIAN FETON, Corp., Co. A
SAMUEL FARDALL, Ptl., Co. A
FELTON ROBINSON, Ptl., Co. G
CHARLES ROSE, Ptl., Co. A
AMOS SAMUEL, Ptl., Co. E
WALKER SCOTT, Ptl., Co. E
WILLIE SMITH, Ptl., Co. A
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