West Virginia Cemetery Inventory Form

NR rating:____

(Revised 26 September 2014)

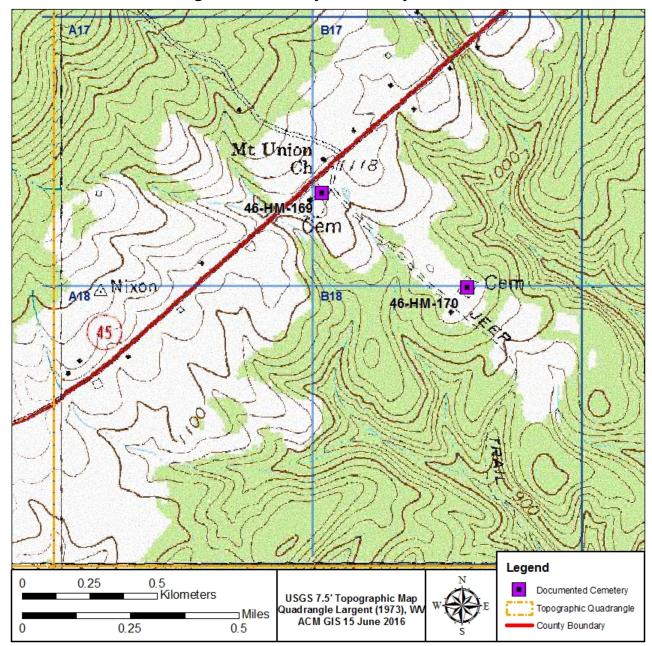
1. Trinomial Number (OFFICE USE ONLY): _46-HM-170F.S. 43
2. Cemetery Name, Historic: Old Mount Union Kidwell Cemetery Cemetery Name, Common:
3. County:Hampshire 4. 7.5' Quadrangle Name:Largent
5. UTM Zone:17 NAD:83 Easting:0716511 Northing:4362204
NW Corner: E0716502 N4362229 NE Corner: E0716541 N4362207 SW Corner: E0716481 N4362190 SE Corner: E0716523 N4362176
6. Location: is located on a private road off of County Route 29/45 and near the Community of Slanesville
. Ownership: Public: Municipalx_ County State Federal
Private: Family Church Denomination
Fraternal Other
8. Burial Population: _ca. 154
9. Predominant Surnames:Kidwell, Betson
10. Mass Grave: Yes Nox Explain:
11. Public Accessibility: Unrestrictedx Restricted For permission to visit, contact
12. Access into cemetery: By foot By carx
13. Terrain: Flat knob
14. Bounded by: Fencex Wall Hedge Other
15. Condition: Well-maintainedx Poorly maintained Overgrown, easily identifiable Overgrown, unidentifiable Unidentifiable, but known to exist through tradition or other means (identify source)
16. Disturbances:N/A
17. Cemetery Size and Orientation (please give dimensions in feet, and indicate compass direction for long and short axis): 180 feet N-S by 80 feet

West Virginia Cemetery Inventory Form NR rating: Trinomial Number: __46-HM-170 Cemetery Name: _ Old Mount Union Kidwell Cemetery 18. Historical Background (use continuation sheet if necessary): See report for this section 19. Gravestones (Please list the number of gravestones that fit in the categories below. If this is guess or an approximation, put "circa" before the number. Include photographs and/or sketches of representative decorative carvings.): Number of headstones ____44___ Number of burials __ca. 154___ Footstones? Yes__x__ No____ Number of gravestones with burial dates from the 18th century 19th century x 20th century_x_ 21th century_x__ Please list the earliest headstone date _____1889_____ Most recent date _____2016_____ Slate____ Marble___ Granite___x__ Number of gravestones of each material: Sandstone____ Fieldstone____ Limestone x other Concrete, iron Number of gravestones that are: Readable___x__ Eroded____ Badly Tilted___ Broken but standing _____ Broken, no longer standing _____ Cracked/Broken Location of stones no longer standing Restoration efforts, if any: 20. Attachments: 1) a copy of the topographic quadrangle map indicating the cemetery's location, 2) general photograph(s) of the cemetery showing its setting and/or location, and 3) a list or copies of any reference information about the cemetery (books, personal communication, etc.). 21. Recorder: ____Jamie Vosvick______Date: ____May 12, 2016_____ Telephone 304-242-3155Number:____ Address: Archaeological Consultants of the Midwest P.O. Box 6005

Please return form to:

Wheeling, WV 26003 _____

WV State Historic Preservation Office The Cultural Center 1900 Kanawha Boulevard, East Charleston, West Virginia 25305-0300





Photograph of 46-HM-170, looking northeast.



Photograph of 46-HM-170, looking west.



Photograph of a headstone documented at 46-HM-170.



Photograph of a double headstone for a husband and wife documented at 46-HM-170.

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Photograph of a marker documented at 46-HM-170.