

## Artillery Monument <sup>[1]</sup>

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Artillery Monument, Raleigh National Cemetery. Photo courtesy Donald Burgess Tilley Jr.

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Description: A large cast-iron seacoast cannon, set upright on a stone base. Upon it rests a shield shaped plaque which lists the number of known and unknown dead at the cemetery. These plaques were placed in National Cemeteries in the 1870s.

Inscription:

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United States / NATIONAL MILITARY CEMETERY / RALEIGH. / ESTABLISHED 1866. / INTERMENTS 1161 / KNOWN 648 / UNKNOWN 513

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Materials & Techniques: A Surplus Cannon

City: Raleigh

County: Wake

Subjects: Civil War

**Latitude:** 35.77433

**Longitude:** -78.62066

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