

STABLE _____

ITEM Confederate 1st National Flag

UNSTABLE X

ACCESSION NO. 16 DATE 2/18/80 EXAMINER Beth Nelson

SIZE: METRIC, FLY 396

ENGLISH, FLY 156"

HOIST 259

HOIST 102"

FIBER IDENTIFICATION: Cotton stars, bunting

COLOR: Red, dark blue and white (pale yellow)

METHOD OF ATTACHMENT: seven (7) whipped eyelets

DESCRIPTION: (FACE) This large flag consists of a field of three horizontal bars: red, white, red. Each bar consists of two pieces. The dark blue canton holds six 10" white cotton inset stars in an ellipse 34 1/4" high by 29" wide around a center star.

(REVERSE)

The reverse is the back of the face.

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CONDITION: (FACE)

General: Poor.

Specific: The bunting is fragile. There are small holes throughout the fabric.

(REVERSE)

General:

Specific:

PREVIOUS RESTORATION: None

PRESENT TREATMENT: Folded with acid-free paper in a box.

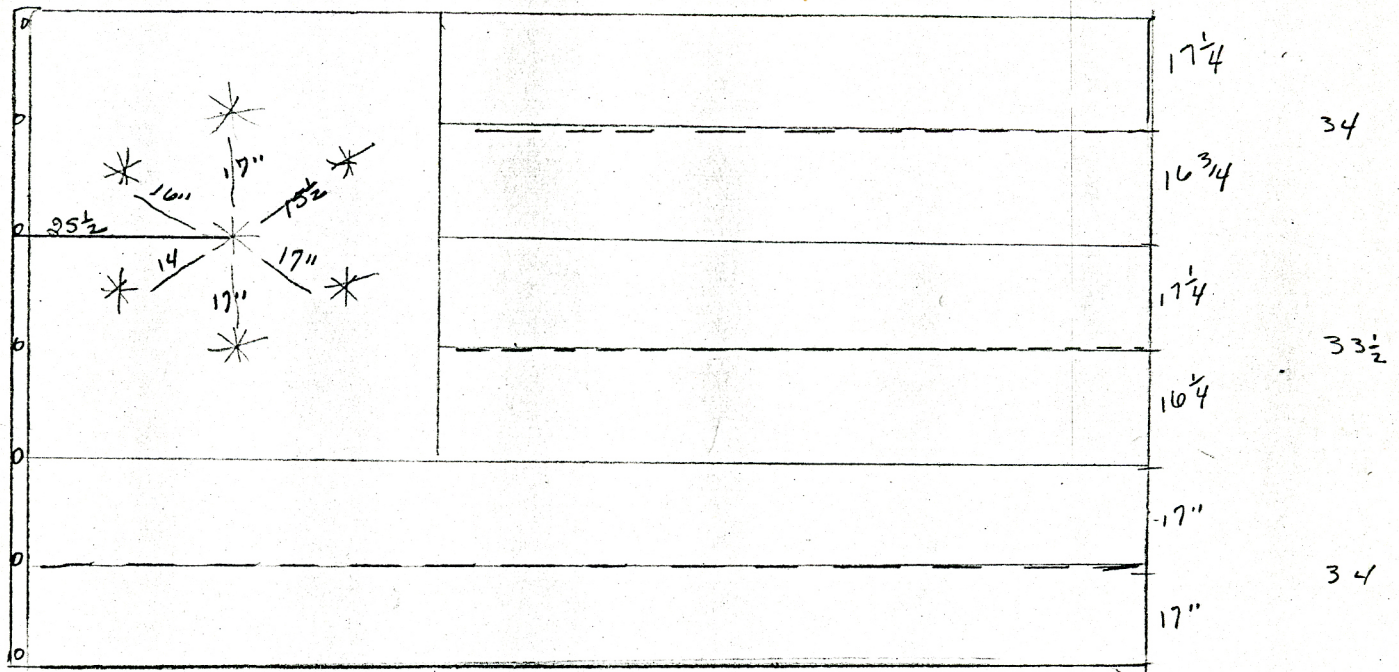
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PROPOSED TREATMENT: Conservation could be achieved, allowing view of both sides. Rusted pins must be cut away and removed.

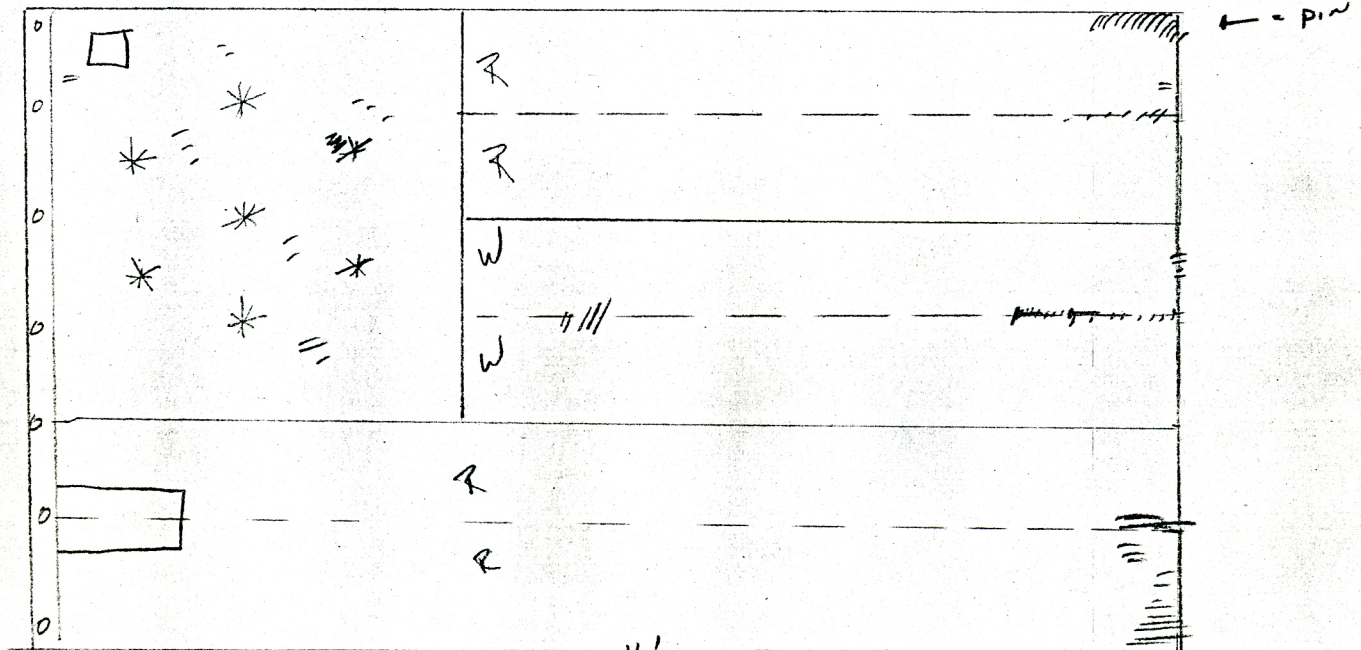
HISTORY:

156" x 102"

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FACE



(7) STARS 10"



120 5/8"