

## 🌟 Photos of Camp Sutton 🌟

THE HERITAGE ROOM collection can be viewed online

at: [www.union.lib.nc.us](http://www.union.lib.nc.us)

Go to “Genealogy Researchers”, then “View Historic Photos”.  
Choose subject, then ‘Camp Sutton’. *Contact The Heritage Room* for quality prints at 704-289-6737 or visit them on the first floor of the Historic Courthouse in Monroe.

**At right: Capt James H Fuller, Sept 1942,** Camp Sutton’s Motor Officer by Kathryn Shute Pearson.



Also visit Julie Ganis’ Genealogy Page for more Camp Sutton photos:  
[http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~jganis/unionco/Camp\\_Sutton/CampSuttonMain.html](http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~jganis/unionco/Camp_Sutton/CampSuttonMain.html)

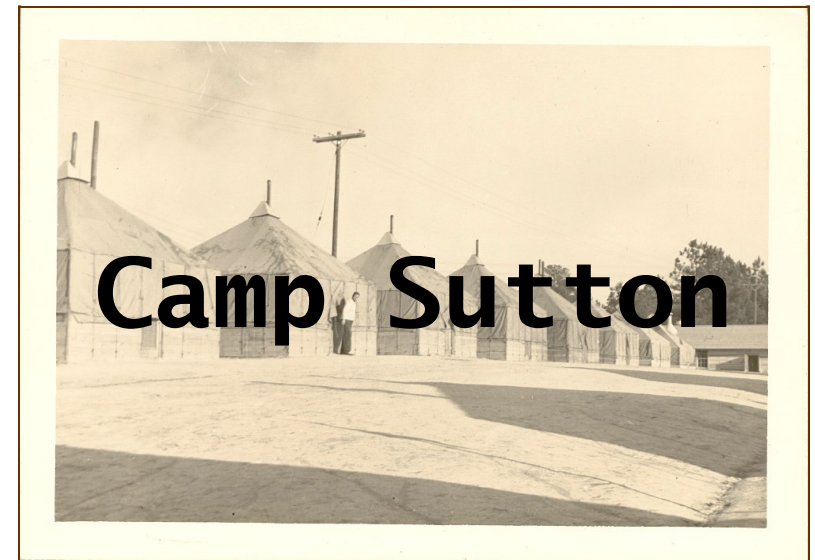


## Finding the German POW Camp

The compound was located near the intersection of Cuthbertson & Stitt Streets (off Walkup Ave.) Below left, the former Perfect Fit Industries at 201 Cuthbertson was the location of the frame buildings for the compound (i.e., Mess Hall, etc.). Below right is the tent area (living quarters) for the prisoners (same intersection across).



**Want to visit a piece of Camp Sutton?** At right is a 2011 photo of a marker made with bricks from one of the Camp Sutton smokestacks that stood many years on Hwy 74. This is located very near the Bojangles at 555 W. Roosevelt Blvd.—erected at/near the site the smokestack stood.(park at the restaurant & walk over).



## A BIBLIOGRAPHY OF RESOURCES



### Union County Public Library

316 E Windsor St.  
Monroe, NC 28112  
[www.union.lib.nc.us](http://www.union.lib.nc.us)  
704-283-8184 ext 224  
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Photo of “tent city” from The Heritage Room

## Some Maps for Camp Sutton

(available in Map File drawer at library)

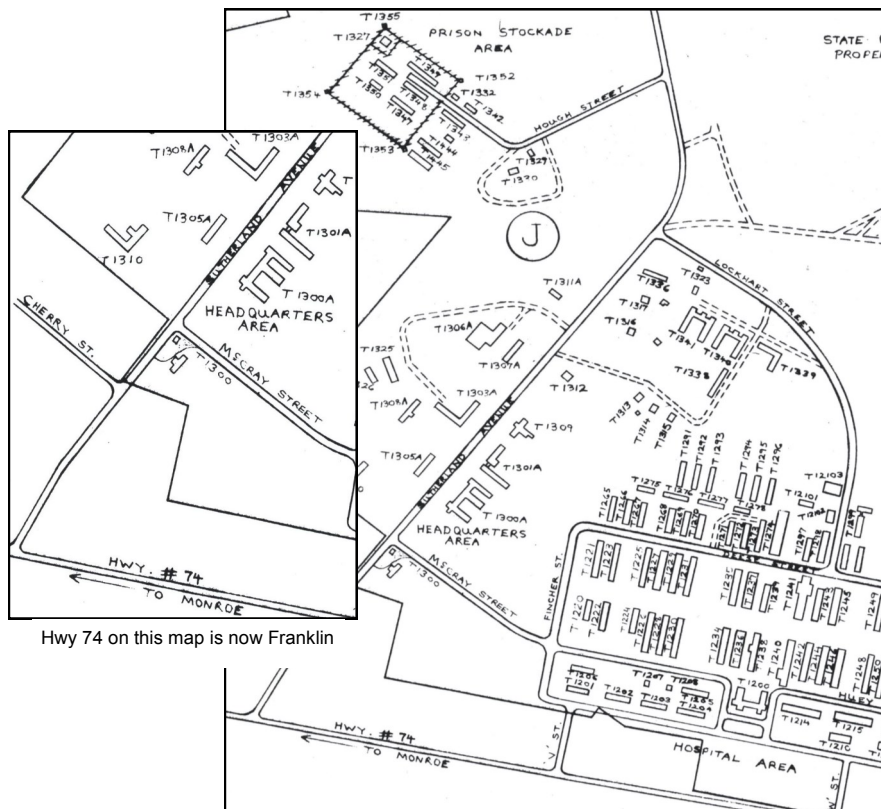
Camp Sutton Plot Plan-1942

Camp Sutton-w/Deed Plat #'s  
(1943)

General Layout ca 1943

(obtained by Ben Taylor from the  
Regional Archives in Atlanta, GA-see  
portion of Headquarters area below)

General Layout Blueprint  
(ca 1944)



Hwy 74 on this map is now Franklin

Gate 1 (Headquarters above left)  
was near Franklin & Sutherland.

## *The CarryAll*

R 940.54 CARRY

Contains newsletters  
of the camp from 1944

At right: 7-1-1944 issue cover



## *Camp Sutton:*

*Gone but not forgotten\**

R 975.6 TAYL

By Ben Taylor

\*A college student's  
study of Camp Sutton  
& what remained of it  
in 1980.



Left: Brand Furniture in  
1980; former home of the  
Brass Rail Restaurant in  
WWII on Franklin St.  
Photo by B. Taylor

Loose clippings are also available for  
research in our Vertical & Locked Files

-Camp Sutton, NC -Vol. I:

*As seen through the Lens of  
Kathryn Shute Pearson* R 975.6 CAMP

-Camp Sutton, NC-Vol. II:

*German POWs* R 975.6 CAMP

-Camp Sutton, NC-Vol. III:

*Completion Report of Camp Sutton, Monroe, NC*  
R 975.6 CAMP

-Camp Sutton, NC-Vol. IV: *Camp*

*Regulations, Camp Sutton, Monroe, NC*  
R 975.6 CAMP

-*Nothing But Praise: A history of the*

*1321st Engineer General Service Regiment*

R 940.5412 BAGNULO (copies circulate also)

This was an African-American unit formed at Camp  
Sutton. Also on-line at USACE Digital Library,

<http://cdm16021.contentdm.oclc.org/> - do a search on the  
title.

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