

**Historical Markers Committee Report**  
February 20, 2021

The following markers are scheduled to be dedicated in 2021.

- Miner Grade School, Ford County, Dedication Date: TBD
- Founding of the Progressive Miners of America, Macoupin County, Dedication Date: 05/01/2021
- Engelmann Farm (Latin Farmers), St. Clair County, Dedication Date: TBD
- Union Miners Cemetery, Macoupin County, Dedication Date: 10-10-2021

Other items of note.

- Members of the Historic Pullman Foundation and the Beman Committee of the Pullman Civic Organization are working together to have the Pullman marker recast. That marker disappeared. It was dedicated in 1969.
- The Peoria “Friends of Nance” group is working to obtain funding for a marker to commemorate Nance Legins-Costley, the first African American freed by Abraham Lincoln.

Respectfully submitted,  
Elaine Shemoney Evans, Chairman  
ISHS Historical Markers Committee