

It is not meant to slight others whose names are not mentioned, but time forbids. But could there not be organized some means of procuring and preserving such precious bits of our county history, before time has so dimmed the record that it ~~is~~ cannot be read?

In closing, we must ~~commend~~ commend these present day women of Hodgeman whose patriotic and civic pride has led them to establish this marker and carry out this splendid celebration. May they carry on!