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legacy of our nation's 16th
president. More...

History Now – Abraham Lincoln in His Time and Ours

The Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History's online Journal, *History Now*, features articles by historians, lesson plans, and interactive features on Lincoln in their current issue.

2009 Law Day Planning Guide Available

The 2009 Law Day Planning Guide is available for download at www.lawday.org. More...

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