Birthplace of the Nation's "Savior"

Fifty years after the Civil War began, President William H. Taft spoke at the dedication of the Memorial Building that houses a log cabin symbolic of Abraham Lincoln's birthplace. Taft called on the nation to appreciate Lincoln as its "savior" and to recognize his "earnest passions to secure [African Americans'] freedom and equality of opportunity."

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