

EDITORIAL
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In this fourth edition, we invite you to read the personal journey of a former child-soldier now professor, entitled "Another Life Is Possible". Also published is "Syphilis and Contagion", an informative article from historical and theoretical perspectives. The third article is a reflection on "The Centennial of Lincoln's visit to Kansas" as published in the Kansas Historical Quarterly. With permission from the Kansas Historical Society, we are revisiting the celebrated Abraham Lincoln's visit to Kansas in 1859 including a re-enactment of Lincoln's speeches in Leavenworth, Kansas. This last article is very timely since Abraham Lincoln is considered President Barack Obama's political mentor. Is it really true that in the past, most presidential candidates who visited Kansas before the elections would likely win the presidential election? Finally, the article on Global Warming is a contribution from our guest writer for this edition, Christi Orndorff. Opinions expressed in her article are not necessarily that of KCKCC or the Editor.

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