1. List the training, rights or freedoms mentioned or implied in the reading and state whether the training was given or denied to the slave.

2. After reading *From Slave to Abolitionist*, how much do you think it would cost to buy a 20 – 30 year old slave? What makes you think that?

3. A. Using the Blacksmith Ledger provided,calculate the average daily income of a typical 19th century blacksmith.

3. B. How many days would a slave blacksmith have to work to earn his purchase price (the number you determined in number 3A)? Show your work or write an equation that proves how you got your answer.

3. C. Since the slave would have to earn this money working beyond the time required by his master, **multiply the number of days by 12**, the average number of hours worked in a day, to determine how many hours a slave would work to earn his purchase price.

3. D. Would *you* be able to work that long and hard for your freedom? As a slave you don’t have many days off, how would you find the time to work extra? What do you think might happen to your health? Would you be happy?

Write a letter from the slave owner to the slave explaining the slave's value to the owner and why he/she would or would not allow the slave to purchase his freedom.