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Mrs. Gallagher

Date _____
Underground Railroad

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Using this interactive web site, you are a runaway slave, trying to escape the plantation you work on in Maryland. Once you decide to flee for freedom, you are a fugitive. Your owner won't stop until he finds you.

Will you make it to freedom using the Underground Railroad with Harriet Tubman? Continue to find out.

Good Luck!

THE JOURNEY - (MAKE A CHOICE)

1. As a slave, how many days per week do you work? _____

MOSES IS COMING

2. Who is called Moses? _____
3. What year did Harriet Tubman run away from slavery? _____
4. Where are you fleeing to for freedom? _____

STEALING AWAY - (PLAYS MUSIC)

5. What river are you trying to sneak across? _____
6. Once you pass this river, what state will you be entering? _____

FEARFUL CHOICE - (MAKE A CHOICE)

7. What was placed outside a safe house? _____
- _____

8. What do you think a safe house is? _____

SAFE STATION - (DOGS ARE BARKING TO GET YOU)

9. The owners of the house are helping runaway slaves and this means they are
_____ the _____.

STRANGE NEW WORLD

10. While in Wilmington what Quaker businessman is your host?

11. How long has Thomas Garrett worked on the Underground Railroad?

12. Has he ever been arrested for helping Harriet Tubman? _____

BREATHING FREE

13. Who is William Still? _____

14. Was William Still ever a slave? _____

NEAR THE BORDER

15. How far have you traveled over the past several weeks? _____
16. While in Rochester, New York, you may meet Frederick Douglas, who is a fugitive. Does this mean, he too, is a runaway slave? _____

17. Who sees to it that you have warm clothes to help you prepare for Canada's harsh, cold weather?
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FRIGHTENING FRONTIER - (MAKE A CHOICE)

18. What lies across Lake Erie? _____ and _____

THE PROMISED LAND - (MUSIC)

19. What three things can you look forward to, while living in Canada, as a free person?

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

20. Now that you have made it to freedom through a computer activity, how do you think the true runaway slaves using the Underground Railroad must have felt?

Check out FOR KIDS in the box at the top right of your screen.
You'll find some interesting hiding spots for some runaway slaves, and you'll learn how one slave escaped and found freedom.

BONUS What was the unusual hiding spot?

How did the one slave find freedom? (What did he do?) _____
