

Critical Reading Notes For Douglas Story:

Where did he live for seven years? Master Hugh's

Who taught him the alphabet? Mistress

Did his mistress ever change her attitude toward Douglas about learning? Yes

What made his mistress angrier? Reading the newspaper

What was the most successful at? Making friends with the little white boys on the streets

Who taught him how to read? Little friendly white boys

In return what did Douglas get when he gave away bread? Knowledge

What was the book titled that Douglas received? Columbian Orator

True or False: Douglas said at times learning to read was a curse? True

What did the Irishman advice Douglas to do? To runaway North

Why did Douglas not trust these Irishmen? Because white men did that so if you did they could find you and get a reward

Did Douglas have plans on running away? Yes

What were his pen and paper when trying to learn at Bailey's Shipyard? A Board fence, brick wall and pavement were his copybooks. And pen and ink was his lump and chalk

True or False: Douglas copied the italics in Webster's Spelling Book until he could remember it? True

What happened to little Master Thomas? Went to School and learned to write and wrote a lot of books

What day of the week did his Mistress leave? Monday

True or False: Did Douglas spend time writing in Master Thomas's copybook? true

True or False: Did Douglas ever achieve writing like Master Thomas? yes

Did Douglas ever learn to write? yes

Fredrick learned to write by trying to show off when it came to others

- Saying I bet u can't read that and the other person would try to prove they could
- From there he memorized and learned to write

Hated being enslaved

- I am so happy he learned how to read
- I wish the mistress didn't have to be mean
- One good thing the Irish did was telling Douglas which direction to run. And that made me so happy!

The main Idea Learned to write and read

- Knew the alphabet
- Could right pretty close to Master
- Made connections about abolitionist
- And learned when it was time to run away to run to the North