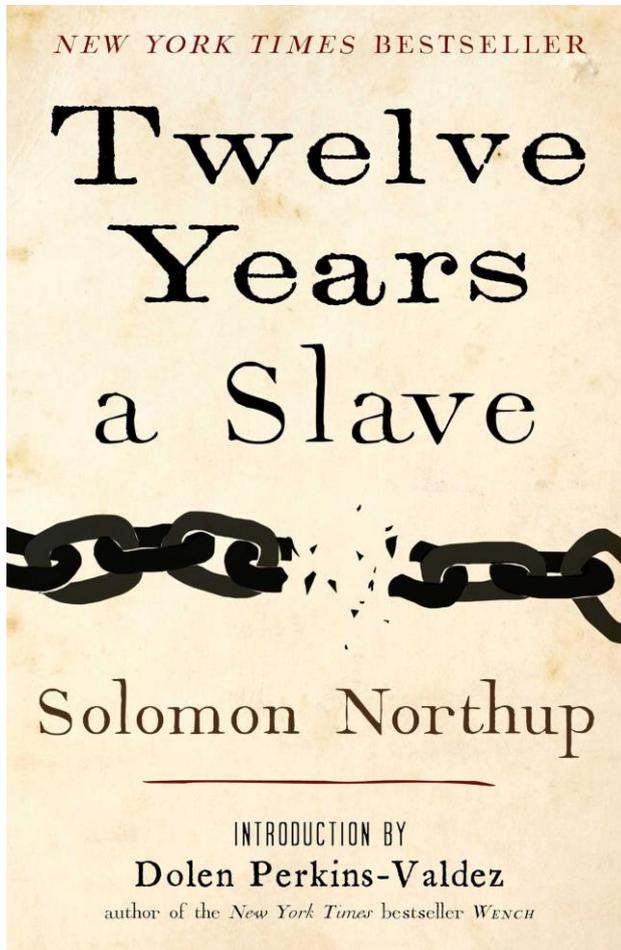
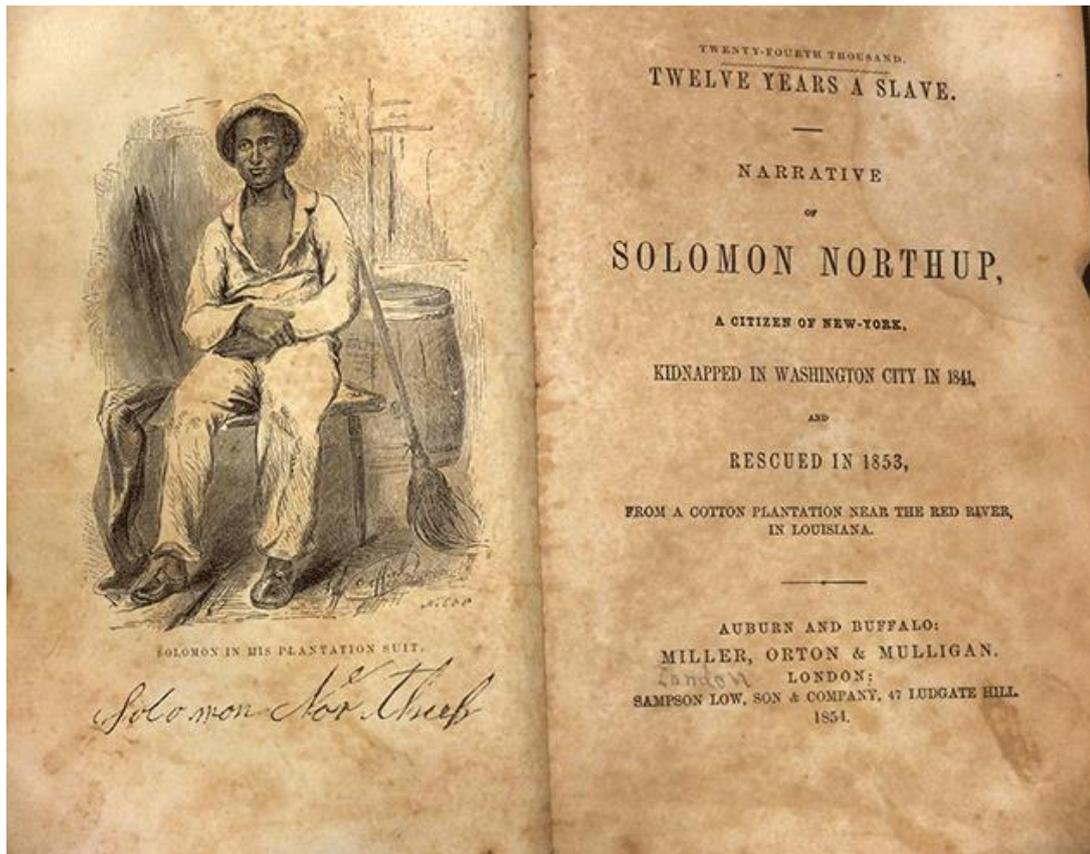


CORRECTION ACTIVITES. VERIFIER CE QUE VOUS AVIEZ ECRIS ET CORRIGER SI NECESSAIRE SOIT SUR LA FEUILLE SI VOUS L'AVIEZ IMPRIMEE SOIT SUR VOTRE CAHIER.

1. Look at the pictures below :



Document 1



Document 2

- This document is a book by **Solomon Northup** (*name of the author*) first published in **1854** (*date*).
- This book is : a biography **an autobiography**
- The author was a child **a slave** a slave master
- How long ? **12 years** Date : from **1841** to 1853
- Where did he live ? **on a cotton plantation in Louisiana (USA)**

2. Now, watch this video : <https://youtu.be/YBPSG7yHDK0>. It is the first scene of the movie « 12 years a slave » (2013).

3. Answer the questions in English after watching the video :

The movie is « <i>based on a true story</i> ». Whose story is it ?	It's based on the story of Solomon Northup
Place, country ?	Sugar cane Plantation, (Louisiana), USA
Characters ?	<u>Slaves</u> : black men and children. <u>The slave master</u>

	A white man who directed the daily work of the slaves : <u>the overseer</u> .
Living conditions for the slaves ?	They had a very difficult life : the working conditions were very hard. They worked all day in the fields, it was hot. They lived in tiny cabins (= very small cabins) (a cabin = <i>une case</i>) , it was crowded (<i>surpeuplé</i>).
What do slaves do during the day ?	They worked on the plantation. They sang songs to find the courage to work (= work songs).
How do slaves look ?	<input type="checkbox"/> happy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> tired <input type="checkbox"/> indifferent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> obedient
How does the master look ?	<input type="checkbox"/> friendly <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> indifferent <input type="checkbox"/> strict <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> mean
What does the main character want to do at the end of the scene ? (<i>main character = personnage principal</i>)	He tries to make a pen and to use blackberry juice to write a letter. He wants to write but it doesn't work.
This character	<input type="checkbox"/> has always been a slave <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> was a free citizen before being a slave (<i>citizen = citoyen</i>)

A noter : le fait qu'il essaie d'écrire montre qu'il n'est pas un esclave comme les autres. Les esclaves ne savaient ni lire ni écrire. Solomon Northup avait été capturé, à l'âge de 33 ans, alors qu'il était né libre et vendu à un propriétaire de plantation en Louisiane.