Runaway Slave Worksheet

1) How many Texas counties had at least a fifty percent slave population in 1860?

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2) What regions of Texas had the most slaves?

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3) Where might a slave from one of these regions run away to?

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4) Why did Green Cumby run away and who chased him?

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5) How did the slave in *A Journey Through Texas* escape, and where was he running to?

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6) Where did the slaves in the ‘For Sale’ advertisement come from?

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7) Where did Sandy’s owner think he had run to, and what had he done to try and keep him from running away?

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8) What did Ellick and Albert’s owner think caused them to run away?

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9) Where did Dempsey try to run? Where had he been raised? ________________

10) What did J.P. Hurvey’s slave hope to pretend to be? ________________