

## What Happened Next?

- In 1845, Douglass published his *Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass, an American Slave* and went to England to lecture against slavery. His book quickly became a bestseller.
- Fred founded and ran a newspaper, *The North Star*, in Rochester, New York. He continued to speak publicly against slavery and help escaped slaves traveling on the Underground Railroad to Canada.
- After the Civil War, Frederick Douglass campaigned for the 14th and 15th Amendments, served as an advisor to several presidents and as U.S. Consul-General to Haiti, and spoke out for women's right to vote.
- On February 20, 1895, Frederick Douglass spoke at a meeting held by the National Council of Women in Washington, D.C. That night, he died suddenly of heart failure.

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