

# Word Power Exercise U. 3

manacles



## A. Fill in the blank with the derivative from the box which makes the best sense.

manual  
manually  
manufacture  
manumit  
manuscript  
emancipate  
manacles  
manage  
maneuver

1. \_\_\_\_\_ comes from the Latin words *manus* + *mittere* and it means *to let go from the hand*. It is a special term that

means to set a slave free. George Washington \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ t e d his slaves in his will.

2. Another word that means to set free is \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_. It comes from the Latin words *ē* + *manus* + *capere*. In our country, when a young person reaches the age of 18, he is legally

\_\_\_\_\_ d from his parents.

## B. The derivatives above come from

\_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ comes from the Latin words *manus* + *scribere* (*scriptum*). It means *written by hand*. The

\_\_\_\_\_ of a book is the version

that in the old days was handwritten.

4. \_\_\_\_\_ are metal bands which are placed around the wrists and connected together by chains. They prevent prisoners from using their hands. They are also called handcuffs.

5. The handbook that tells you how to operate something is called the

\_\_\_\_\_.



Signing of the Emancipation Proclamation

A famous use of English derivative is the title of a famous U.S. document.

The *Emancipation Proclamation* declared that slaves in states at war against the Union were free. It was signed in 1863 during the Civil War.

- Which president signed the Emancipation Proclamation?

- From the exercise above, you know what Latin words *emancipation* comes from. What Latin words does *proclamation* come from?