Double Negatives

**Directions:** Each sentence contains a double negative. Rewrite each sentence using negatives correctly.

1. Slave owners felt that slaves did not have no place in the main areas of the house.

   *Slave owners felt that slaves had no place in the main areas of the house.*

2. The Englishman never did none of the work himself.

   *The Englishman never did any of the work himself.*

3. They wouldn’t never eat that much food in one day.

   *They would never eat that much food in one day.*

4. The slaves’ shirts don’t offer no protection against the cold winter months.

   *The slaves’ shirts offer no protection against the cold winter months.*

5. Bell can’t never remember the words to that song.

   *Bell can’t ever remember the words to that song.*