

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

6B- \_\_\_\_\_ Reading: "The Tell-Tale Heart" Found Poetry — Explanation

**Directions:** USE PENCIL. Now that you've written your found poem, write an explanation in which you describe your choices. Specifically, explain your form (layout, stanzas, line breaks) and your content (word choice, repetition, attempt to show the conflict, etc.). To prepare your explanation, answer the following questions. **Your answers should fill most or all of the space provided.** Then **use your answers to these questions to help you write a 5-10 sentence explanation of your poem, which you'll submit with your poem, directly underneath it.**

**1. Form:**

A. How many stanzas did you make? \_\_\_\_\_

B. Why? \_\_\_\_\_

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C. How did you decide where to make line breaks? Explain your answer. \_\_\_\_\_

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D. What layout (the look on the page) did you use for your poem? Did you indent any lines? If so, why? If not, why not? Did you keep your lines against the left margin? Did you center your lines? If so, why? If not, why not? \_\_\_\_\_

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## 2. Content:

A. Which poetic devices did you use in your poem? Label and highlight them on your poem.

B. What did you think the conflict of the story was? Character vs. \_\_\_\_\_

C. How do the words of your poem express this conflict. Explain your answer.

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D. Did you repeat any lines? If so, why? \_\_\_\_\_

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E. What choices did you make with the wording of this poem that you think are special, effective, powerful, etc.? Explain your answer. \_\_\_\_\_

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