Lesson One: To Market to Market

Answer the following questions based on the PowerPoint To Market to Market: A Visit to Todd’s General Store

1. What are 5 items you might find in a general store in the mid-1800s?

2. Where did the shopkeeper get the items he sold in the store?

3. What is bartering? How did it help the shopkeeper and the customer? Do we barter today? How do we pay for goods?

4. What did people do at the general store besides shopping? Is there any modern day comparison?

5. Compare a trip to a general store in the mid-1800s to a trip to the store today. How is it different? How is it the same? Write a 1-2 paragraph response with specific details.