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Part One – Comparison of Play and Movie versions of “A Christmas Carol”

1. The movie is an _____ of Charles Dickens’ novella, “A Christmas Carol.”
2. The movie’s script is referred to as a _____.
3. What major gothic element did you notice in the opening scene of the movie? _____

4. What did Scrooge suggest Bob Cratchit should do in the future rather than adding more coal to the fire? _____
5. One of the early differences between the movie and the story version is the introduction of Tiny Tim. We first see Tim in the movie version when Scrooge is on his way to the _____.
6. However in the play, Tim does not make an appearance until Scrooge and the Ghost of Christmas _____ visit the home of the _____.
7. We also notice that the little boy who comes to carol in front of the office of Scrooge is not present in the movie, instead Scrooge encounters _____ who block his way to the Stock and Grain Market whereupon he exclaims, “Bah Humbug!”
8. While at the Stock and Grain Market (which is not mentioned in the play) Scrooge is said to be selling _____ (product) at a high price.
9. The two gentlemen (portly and thin) who ask for a charitable donation are not to be found at Scrooge’s _____ instead we see them at the _____ & _____ Market.
10. In the movie, we first hear Marley’s voice as Scrooge is walking home just as a _____ drives pass him. This could be an example _____ (a literary device).
11. When Scrooge arrives home and is moving about his rooms, notice his candle. What is located on the end of the handle? _____
12. This small item relates to the Ghost of Christmas Past in what manner? _____

13. How many locks does he have on his bedroom door? _____
14. According to Marley in the movie, he tells Scrooge that the 3 spirits will visit _____
_____.
In the play Marley tells Scrooge that the 3 spirits will appear over 3 successive nights.
15. In the movie Marley leaves the bedroom through the window, but Scrooge does not see _____
_____ as described in the play.

16. Unlike the play the Ghost of Christmas Past appears _____
_____.
17. What new information do we discover in this version of the story regarding Scrooge's childhood?

18. Fan and Scrooge appear to be _____ in age unlike the play.
19. We also meet Scrooge's father who appears to be _____
and only allows Scrooge to be at home for _____ days over Christmas before starting his
apprenticeship.
20. We never meet the _____ appeared to be very gruff in the play, and Fan
puts him in his place.
21. Listen carefully and you will hear Scrooge give the last name of Fred. It's _____.

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