Past simple passive

Exercise 1. Complete the sentences with the verbs in brackets.

Life in the 19th century in Britain

Lamps and candles for light, because there was no electricity. (use)
A coach instead of a car to move from place to place. (buy)
By the 1860's bicycles along with horses. (ride)
A simple small house by a poor family. (build)
Luxurious palaces by wealthy aristocratic families. (own)
Top hats and suits with tails by men in cities. (wear)
A dress to hide woman's legs. (design)
Girls from well-off families at home. (educate)
Boys from rich families to public schools. (send)
A child from a poor family to work. (force)
Rapid changes about in everyday life by industrialization. (bring)
A huge demand for goods and services (create)

Key with answers: