



Fill in the gaps

The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The Cadillac (1)_____ by the house
And the yanks they were within
And the tinker boys (2)_____ hissed advice
'Hot-wire her (3)_____ a pin'
When we turned and (4)_____ as we had a look
In the room where the (5)_____ men lay
So big Jim Dwyer made his last trip
To the shores where his father's laid
But (6)_____ minutes later
We had our first taste of whiskey
There was uncles (7)_____ lectures
On ancient Irish history
The men all started (8)_____ jokes
And the women they got frisky
At five o'clock in the evening
Every bastard there was piskey
Fare thee well
Gone away
There's nothin' left to say
Farewell to New York (9)_____ boys
To Boston and PA
He took them out
With a well-aimed clout
He was (10)_____ heard to say
I'm a free born man of the USA
He (11)_____ the champ in Pittsburgh
And he slashed him to the ground
He (12)_____ on Tiny Tartanella
And it (13)_____ went one round
He never had no time for reds
For drink or (14)_____ or whores
But he (15)_____ threw a fight

When the fight was right
So (16)_____ (17)_____ him to the war
Fare thee well
Gone away
There's nothin' left to say
With a slainte Joe and (18)_____ go
My love's in Amerikay
The calling of the rosary
Spanish wine from far away
I'm a free born man of the USA, yeah!
This morning on the harbou
When I said goodbye to you
I (19)_____ how I swore
That I'd (20)_____ (21)_____ to you one day
And as the (22)_____ came to meet
The (23)_____ on the hill
I (24)_____ you I'd (25)_____ love you
I always did and I always will
Fare (26)_____ well
Gone away
There's nothin' (27)_____ to say
Except to say adieu
To your eyes as blue
As the water in the bay
To big Jim Dwyer, the man of war
Who was often heard to say
I'm a free born man of the USA
I'm a free born man of the USA
I'm a free born man of the USA



Fill in the gaps

Answer

1. stood
2. they
3. with
4. shook
5. dead
6. fifteen
7. giving
8. telling
9. City
10. often
11. fought
12. took
13. only
14. dice
15. never
16. they
17. sent
18. Erin
19. remember
20. come
21. back
22. sunset
23. evening
24. told
25. always
26. thee
27. left