



Fill in the gaps

The Trooper by Iron Maiden

You'll take my life but I'll take yours too

You'll fire your musket but I'll run you through

So (1)_____ you're waiting for the next attack

You'd better stand there's no turning back.

The (2)_____ sounds and the charge begins

But on this (3)_____ no one wins

The (4)_____ of acrid smoke and horses breath

As I plunge on into certain death.

The horse he sweats with fear we break to run

The mighty roar of the Russian guns

And as we (5)_____ (6)_____ the human wall

The screams of pain as my comrades fall

We hurdle bodies that lay on the ground

And the Russians fire (7)_____ round

We get so near yet so far away

We (8)_____ meant to (9)_____ another day.

We get so close near enough to fight

When a Russian gets me in his sights

He pulls the trigger and I feel the blow

A (10)_____ of rounds take my horse below.

And as I lay there gazing at the sky

My body's numb and my throat is dry

And as I lay forgotten and alone

Without a tear I draw my parting groan



Answer

1. when
2. bugle
3. battlefield
4. smell
5. race
6. towards
7. another
8. were
9. fight
10. burst

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