



Fill in the gaps

The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The (1)_____ stood by the house
And the yanks (2)_____ (3)_____ within
And the tinker boys (4)_____ hissed advice
'Hot-wire her with a pin'
When we turned and (5)_____ as we had a look
In the room (6)_____ the dead men lay
So big Jim Dwyer (7)_____ his last trip
To the shores where his father's laid
But (8)_____ minutes later
We had our first (9)_____ of whiskey
There was uncles giving lectures
On (10)_____ Irish history
The men all (11)_____ telling 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' (12)_____ to say
Farewell to New York City boys
To Boston and PA
He took them out
With a well-aimed clout
He was (13)_____ (14)_____ to say
I'm a free born man of the USA
He fought the champ in Pittsburgh
And he slashed him to the ground
He took on Tiny Tartanella
And it only went one round
He never had no time for reds
For drink or (15)_____ or whores
But he never threw a fight

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



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Answer

1. Cadillac
2. they
3. were
4. they
5. shook
6. where
7. made
8. fifteen
9. taste
10. ancient
11. started
12. left
13. often
14. heard
15. dice
16. they
17. wine
18. from
19. said
20. goodbye
21. love
22. always
23. your
24. often
25. heard
26. free