



## Fill in the gaps

### A Whiter Shade Of Pale by Procol Harum

We skipped a light fandango  
Turned cartwheels 'cross the floor  
I was feeling kind of seasick  
(But the) crowd called out for more  
The room was humming harder  
As the ceiling flew away  
When we (1)\_\_\_\_\_ out for another drink  
The waiter brought a tray  
And so it was that later  
As the miller (2)\_\_\_\_\_ his tale  
That her face at first just ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale  
She said, I'm home on shore leave  
Though in (3)\_\_\_\_\_ we were at sea  
So I took her by the looking glass  
And would not let her be  
Saying, you (4)\_\_\_\_\_ be the mermaid  
Who took neptune for a ride  
But she smiled at me so sadly  
That my anger straightway died  
And so it was that later

As the miller (5)\_\_\_\_\_ his tale  
That her face, at first just ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale  
She said (6)\_\_\_\_\_ is no reason  
And the truth is plain to see  
But I wandered through my playing cards  
Would not let her be  
One of sixteen (7)\_\_\_\_\_ virgins  
Who were leaving for the coast  
At the moment my eyes (8)\_\_\_\_\_ open  
They might just as well have been closed  
And so it was (9)\_\_\_\_\_ later  
As the miller told his tale  
That her face at first just ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale  
And so it was that later  
As the miller told his tale  
That her face at first just ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale



Answer

1. called
2. told
3. truth
4. must
5. told
6. there
7. vestal
8. were
9. that

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