



## Fill in the gaps

### A Whiter Shade Of Pale by Procol Harum

We (1)\_\_\_\_\_ a (2)\_\_\_\_\_ fandango  
Turned cartwheels 'cross the floor  
I was feeling kind of seasick  
(But the) crowd called out for more  
The (3)\_\_\_\_\_ was humming harder  
As the ceiling flew away  
When we called out for another drink  
The waiter (4)\_\_\_\_\_ a tray  
And so it was (5)\_\_\_\_\_ later  
As the miller told his tale  
That her face at first (6)\_\_\_\_\_ ghostly  
Turned a whiter (7)\_\_\_\_\_ of pale  
She said, I'm home on shore leave  
Though in truth we were at sea  
So I took her by the looking glass  
And would not let her be  
Saying, you must 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 (8)\_\_\_\_\_ later

As the miller (9)\_\_\_\_\_ his tale  
That her face, at first just ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale  
She said (10)\_\_\_\_\_ is no reason  
And the (11)\_\_\_\_\_ is plain to see  
But I (12)\_\_\_\_\_ through my playing cards  
Would not let her be  
One of (13)\_\_\_\_\_ (14)\_\_\_\_\_ virgins  
Who (15)\_\_\_\_\_ leaving for the coast  
At the moment my (16)\_\_\_\_\_ (17)\_\_\_\_\_ open  
They (18)\_\_\_\_\_ just as well have (19)\_\_\_\_\_ closed  
And so it was that later  
As the miller told his tale  
That her face at (20)\_\_\_\_\_ just ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale  
And so it was (21)\_\_\_\_\_ later  
As the (22)\_\_\_\_\_ told his tale  
That her face at (23)\_\_\_\_\_ (24)\_\_\_\_\_ ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale



Answer

1. skipped
2. light
3. room
4. brought
5. that
6. just
7. shade
8. that
9. told
10. there
11. truth
12. wandered
13. sixteen
14. vestal
15. were
16. eyes
17. were
18. might
19. been
20. first
21. that
22. miller
23. first
24. just

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