



Fill in the gaps

The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The (1)_____ stood by the house
And the yanks they were within
And the (2)_____ boys they hissed advice
'Hot-wire her with a pin'
When we (3)_____ and shook as we had a look
In the (4)_____ where the (5)_____ men lay
So big Jim Dwyer made his (6)_____ trip
To the shores (7)_____ his father's laid
But (8)_____ minutes later
We had our first taste of whiskey
There was uncles giving lectures
On ancient (9)_____ history
The men all (10)_____ telling jokes
And the women they got frisky
At five o'clock in the evening
Every (11)_____ there was piskey
Fare (12)_____ well
Gone away
There's nothin' left to say
Farewell to New York City boys
To Boston and PA
He took them out
With a well-aimed clout
He was (13)_____ heard 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 (14)_____ one round
He (15)_____ had no time for reds
For drink or dice or whores
But he never (16)_____ a fight

When the fight was right
So they sent him to the war
Fare thee well
Gone away
There's nothin' (17)_____ to say
With a slainte Joe and Erin go
My love's in Amerikay
The (18)_____ 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 remember how I swore
That I'd (19)_____ back to you one day
And as the (20)_____ (21)_____ to meet
The evening on the hill
I told you I'd always love you
I always did and I (22)_____ will
Fare thee well
Gone away
There's nothin' left to say
Except to say adieu
To your (23)_____ 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 (24)_____ born man of the USA
I'm a free born man of the USA



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Answer

1. Cadillac
2. tinker
3. turned
4. room
5. dead
6. last
7. where
8. fifteen
9. Irish
10. started
11. bastard
12. thee
13. often
14. went
15. never
16. threw
17. left
18. calling
19. come
20. sunset
21. came
22. always
23. eyes
24. free