



Fill in the gaps

The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The Cadillac (1)_____ by the house
And the yanks they were within
And the tinker boys they hissed advice
'Hot-wire her with a pin'
When we (2)_____ and (3)_____ as we had
a look
In the room where the (4)_____ men lay
So big Jim Dwyer (5)_____ his last trip
To the shores (6)_____ his father's laid
But (7)_____ minutes later
We had our (8)_____ (9)_____ of whiskey
There was uncles giving lectures
On ancient (10)_____ history
The men all started (11)_____ jokes
And the women they got frisky
At (12)_____ o'clock in the evening
Every bastard there was piskey
Fare thee well
Gone away
There's nothin' left to say
Farewell to New York City boys
To Boston and PA
He (13)_____ (14)_____ out
With a well-aimed clout
He was often (15)_____ to say
I'm a (16)_____ (17)_____ man of the USA
He (18)_____ the champ in Pittsburgh
And he (19)_____ him to the ground
He took on Tiny Tartanella
And it only went one round
He (20)_____ had no (21)_____ for reds
For drink or dice or whores
But he (22)_____ threw a fight

When the fight was right
So they 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 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 come back to you one day
And as the sunset came to meet
The evening on the hill
I (23)_____ you I'd always love you
I always did and I always will
Fare thee well
Gone away
There's nothin' left to say
Except to say adieu
To your (24)_____ 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 (25)_____ (26)_____ 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. stood
2. turned
3. shook
4. dead
5. made
6. where
7. fifteen
8. first
9. taste
10. Irish
11. telling
12. five
13. took
14. them
15. heard
16. free
17. born
18. fought
19. slashed
20. never
21. time
22. never
23. told
24. eyes
25. free
26. born