

CLASS X
ENGLISH II
POEM - THE PATRIOT
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Answer the following questions –

1. “It was roses, roses, all the way

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A year ago on this very day.”

a. When was the patriot welcomed?

b. By which flower was the patriot welcomed?

c. Explain the line – ‘The house -tops seemed to heave and sway.’

d. How was the patriot welcomed?

2. “The air broke into a mist with bells

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They had answered, ‘And afterward, what else?’ “

a. What did the patriot want from the good folks?

b. Explain the line - ‘And afterward, what else?’

c. What does the poet want to say in the line – ‘The old walls
rocked with the crowd and cries.’