

Night They Drove Old Dixie Down, The

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Am C
Virgil Caine is my name and

F Am
I drove on the Danville Train

C Am
'Til so much cavalry came and

F Am
tore up the tracks a-gain

F C
In the winter of '65,

Am F
We were hungry, just barely alive

Am F
I took the train to Richmond myself

C Am D D7
It was a time I re-member oh so well

C F C
The night they drove old Dixie down

Am
And all the bells were ringin'

C F C
The night they drove old Dixie down

Am
And all the people were singin'

C Am
They went na...na-na na-na-na na...

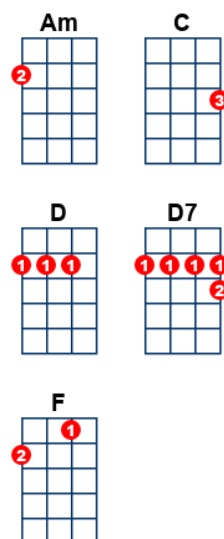
D F Am
Na-na na-na na na na-na-na-na

Am C
Back with my wife in Tennessee

F Am
When one day she said to me

C Am
"Virgil, quick come see

F Am
There goes the Robert E. Lee!"



Now I don't mind ^F choppin' wood, and ^C

I don't care if the ^{Am} money's no good ^F

You take what you need and you ^{Am} leave the rest ^F

But they should ^C never have ^{Am} taken the very ^D best ^{D7}

The ^C night they ^F drove old Dixie ^C down

And all the ^{Am} bells were ringin'

The ^C night they ^F drove old Dixie ^C down

And all the ^{Am} people were singin'

They went ^C na...na-na ^{Am} na-na-na na...

^D Na-na ^F na-na na ^{Am} na-na-na-na

^{Am} Like my father be-fore me ^C I'm a working ^{Am} man

^C And like my brother be-fore me ^{Am} I took a rebel ^F stand ^{Am}

He was ^F just eighteen, ^C proud and brave

But a ^{Am} Yankee laid him ^F in his grave

I ^{Am} swear by the blood be-low ^F my feet

You can't ^C raise a Caine back ^{Am} up when he's in de-feat ^D ^{D7}

The ^C night they ^F drove old Dixie ^C down

And all the ^{Am} bells were ringin'

The ^C night they ^F drove old Dixie ^C down

And all the ^{Am} people were singin'

They went **C** na...na-na **Am** na-na-na na...

D Na-na na-na na **F** na na-na-na-na **Am**

The **C** night they **F** drove old Dixie **C** down, when all the **Am** bells were ringin'

The **C** night they **F** drove old Dixie **C** down and all the **Am** people were singin'

They went **C** na na-na **Am** na-na-na na **D** Na-na na-na na **F** na na-na-na-na **Am** *