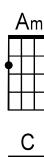
## The Night They Drove Old Dixie Down -The Band

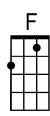
## [Am] [C] [F] [G] [C] [G]

[Am] Virgil [C] Caine is the name and I [F] served on the [Am] Danville [Dm] Train [Am] 'Til Stoneman's [C] cavalry came and they [F] tore up the [Am] tracks a-[Dm] gain [Am] In the winter of [F] '65, we were [C] hungry, just [Dm] barely alive [Am] By May tenth, [F] Richmond had fell, It's a [C] time I re- [Dm] member oh so [D] well [D]



## Chorus:

The [C] night they [F] drove old Dixie [C] down, when all the [F] bells were ringin'
The [C] night they [F] drove old Dixie [C] down, and all the [F] people were singin'
They went [C] na...na na na [Am] na na na na na [F]



[Am] Back with my wife in [C] Tennessee, when [F] one day she [Am] called to [Dm] me [Am] Said "Virgil, [C] quick come and see, [F] there goes the [Am] Robert E. [Dm] Lee!" Now [Am] I don't mind [F] choppin' wood, and I [C] don't care if the [Dm] money's no good Ya [Am] take what ya need and ya [F] leave the rest, but they should [C] never have [Dm] taken the very [D] best [D]



## **REPEAT CHORUS**

[Am] Like my father be-[C] fore me,
[F] I will [Am] work the [Dm] land
[Am] And like my brother a-[C] bove me,
[F] I took a [Am] rebel [Dm] stand
He was [Am] just 18, [F] proud and brave,
but a [C] Yankee laid him [Dm] in his grave
I [Am] swear by the blood be -[F] low my feet,
you can't [C] raise a Caine back [Dm] up when he's in de-[D]feat [D]

Repeat Chorus 2x - ending on a [C]