School Days lyrics by Will D. Cobb and music by Gus Edwards (1907)

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Bb
                Bbsus2 Bbsus2 Bb
         Bb
                                               Bbdim7 C7sus4 F7
School days, school days, dear old golden rule
                                                                     days
                          F7 F7 Gm7
                                                    Gm7
                                                                            Bb6
              F7
                                                                   Bb6
Readin' and 'ritin' and 'rithmetic, taught to the tune of the hickory stick
                                              F7<sub>(2)</sub> F7sus6<sub>(1)</sub> Bbsus2 Bb<sub>(2)</sub> Bbaug<sub>(1)</sub>
                          C9 C7 F7
                G7
You were my queen in cali co, I was your bash ful
                                                                     barefoot beau. And you
Eb
                                                                                   Bb F7<sub>(2)</sub> Faug<sub>(1)</sub>
              A9_{(2)} Bbdim7<sub>(1)</sub> Bb
                                             D_{(2)} Gm_{(1)} C7
                                                                        F7
                                  love you, so," when we were a couple of kids
wrote on my slate; "I
        Bb
                    Bbaug
                                Cm7 F7
        Nothing to do, Nellie Dar ling,
        F7_{(1)} Cm7<sub>(1)</sub> F7_{(1)} F7_{(2)} Fauq<sub>(1)</sub> Bb<sub>(2)</sub> Fdim7<sub>(1)</sub> F7
              thing to
                              do, you
        No
        Gm
                     Gm_{(2)} Fdim7_{(1)} Fdim7_{(1)} Cm6_{(2)} F9
        Let's take a trip
                                        mem
                                                    ory's ship
                           on
                 F9 F7 F9
                                Bb
                                      Bb
        back to the by gone days
                                        Cm7 F7
                Bb
                           Bbaug
                Sail to the old village school house,
                F7<sub>(1)</sub> Cm7<sub>(1)</sub> F7<sub>(1)</sub> F7<sub>(1)</sub> Eb<sub>(1)</sub> Bbdim7<sub>(1)</sub> Bb Bb
                      chor out side the school door
                C_{(1)} C7_{(1)} C9_{(1)} F_{(2)} Faug<sub>(1)</sub> C_{(1)} C7_{(1)} C9_{(1)} F_{(2)} Faug<sub>(1)</sub>
                            and see there's you and there's me a
               Look in
                C_{(1)} C9_{(1)} C7_{(1)} Am7_{(2)} Em_{(1)} F
                                                           Faua
               couple
                            of
                                  kids
                                         once more
                      Bbaug Cm7 F7
        Bb
        'Member the hill, Nellie Dar ling and the
        F7_{(1)} Cm7<sub>(1)</sub> F7_{(1)} F7_{(2)}
                                     Faug_{(1)} Bb_{(2)} Fdim7_{(1)} F7
        oak tree
                       that grew on its
                                                  brow
                                                                          Thev've
        Gm
                     Gm_{(2)}
                                   Fdim7<sub>(1)</sub> Fdim7<sub>(1)</sub> Cm6<sub>(2)</sub> F9
        They've built forty stories up
                                                         that old hill and the
                                              on
                 F9 F7 F9 Bb Bb
        oak's an old chestnut now
                Bb
                               Bbaug
                                              Cm7 F7
                'Member the meadows so green, dear, so
                F7<sub>(1)</sub> Cm7<sub>(1)</sub> F7<sub>(1)</sub> F7<sub>(1)</sub> Eb<sub>(1)</sub> Bbdim7<sub>(1)</sub> Bb Bb
               Fra grant with clo ver and
                                                            maize
                                                                           into
                C_{(1)} C7_{(1)} C9_{(1)} F_{(2)} Faug<sub>(1)</sub> C_{(1)} C7_{(1)} C9_{(1)} F_{(2)} Faug<sub>(1)</sub>
                          y lots and pre ferred bus' ness plots, they've
                C_{(1)} C9_{(1)} C7_{(1)} Am7_{(2)} Em_{(1)} F
                                                           Faug
               Cut them up since those days
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