

[A] I'm forever [D] blowing [A] bubbles,  
 [D] Pretty bubbles in the [A] air.  
 [D] They fly so [A] high, [D] nearly reach the [A] sky,  
 [B7] Then like my dreams they [E7] fade and die.  
 [A] Fortune's always [C#7] hiding,  
 [F#m] I've looked ev'ry- [C#7] where,  
 [A] I'm forever [D] blowing [A] bubbles, [F#]  
 Pretty [B7] bubbles [E7] in the [A] air.

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[A] Come, come, come and make eyes at me  
 [E7] Down at the old Bull and Bush.  
 (Dah dah dah dah dah)  
 Come, come, drink some port wine with me  
 [D] Down at the old Bull and [A] Bush.  
 [A] Hear the little [D] German band  
 [A] (Dah de dah de dah dah dah)  
 Just let me [D] hold your hand, [A] dear.  
 [A] Do, do, come and have a drink or two  
 [E7] Down at the old Bull and [A] Bush. ([E7] Bush [A] bush!)  
 ... [F] [G]

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Girls:

[C] My old man said, [D] "Follow the van,  
 And [G] don't dilly dally on the [C] way!"  
 [E7] Off went the cart with the [Am] home packed in it,  
 [D] I walked behind with me [G] old cock linnet.  
 But I [C] dillied and [G] dallied,  
 [C] Dallied and [G] dillied,  
 [C] Lost the van and [D] don't know where to [G] roam [G7]  
 You [C] can't trust the [C7] "specials"  
 Like the [F] old-time [Dm] "coppers"  
 When you [G] can't find your way [C] home.

Boys:

[C] Any old iron, any old iron,

Any, any, any old [F] iron

[D] You look neat, [G] talk about a treat,

[D] You look a dapper from your [G] napper to your feet.

[C] Dressed in style, with a brand new tile,

And your father's old green [F] tie on.

An' I wouldn't give you tuppence

For your [C] old watch chain,

Old iron, old [G] i- [C] ron!

All:

[C] Dah dah dah dah dah dah

Dah dah dah dah dah dah

Dah dah dah dah dah dah

[G] Brown [C] bread!

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[C] Knees up Mother Brown,

[F] Knees up Mother Brown.

[G] Under the table you must go,

Ee-aye, Ee-aye, Ee-aye-oh.

[C] If I catch you bending

I'll [F] saw your legs right off.

[G] Knees up, knees up; don't get the breeze up

Knees up Mother [C] Brown.

[C] Oh my, [F] what a rotten song,

[G] What a rotten song,

[C] What a [F] rotten [C] song.

[C] Oh my, [F] what a rotten [D] song,

And [G] what a rotten singer [C] too!

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[C] You put your left leg in, your left leg out.  
 In, out, in, out and [G] shake it all about.  
 You do the Hokey Kokey and you turn around.  
 That's what it's all a- [C] bout.  
 Oh! The Hokey Kokey!  
 Oh! The Hokey [G] Kokey!  
 [C] Oh! The Hokey [F] Kokey!  
 [G] Knees bend, arm stretch, [C] ra [G] ra [C] ra! ...[A7]

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Boys:

[D] Daisy, Daisy, [G] give me your answer [D] do!  
 [A] I'm half [Bm] crazy, [E7] all for the love of [A] you!  
 It [G] won't be a [A] stylish [D] marriage,  
 [D] I can't af- [G] ford a [D] carriage,  
 But [D] you'll look [A] sweet up- [D] on the [A] seat  
 Of a [D] bicycle [A] made for [D] two!

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All:

[D] Oh, my old man's a dustman  
 He wears a dustman's [A] hat.  
 He wears cor blimey trousers  
 And he lives in a council [D] flat.  
 He looks a proper narner  
 In his [D7] great big hob-nailed [G] boots.  
 He [A] makes such a fuss when he pulls 'em up  
 That he calls 'em daisy [D] roots. ... [C]

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Girls:

[F] There's a little ditty  
They're [G] singing in the city  
Es- [C] pecially when they've been on the [F] gin or the [C]  
beer.  
[F] If you've got the patience,  
Your [G] own imaginations  
Will [C] tell you just exactly what [F] you want [C] to [F]  
hear...

All:

[F] Oom-pah-pah! Oom-pah-pah! [G] That's how it goes,  
[C] Oom-pah-pah! Oom-pah-pah! [F] Ev'ryone [C] knows.  
[F] They all suppose what they [G] want to suppose  
[C] When they hear ... oom-pah- [F] pah!!

Boys:

[F] Mister Percy Snodgrass  
Would [G] often have the odd glass,  
But [C] never when he thought any- [F] body could [C] see.  
[F] Secretly he'd buy it,  
And [G] drink it on the quiet,  
And [C] dream he was an Earl wiv a [F] girl on [C] each [F]  
knee!

All:

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[C] When they hear ... oom-pah- [F] pah!!