

# Our Old Barn

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If these old barn walls could talk  
The story they would tell  
Of the happenings that went on  
That only our barn knows so well

This old barn was built in 1932  
With boards bought in Arvada and Clearmont too  
Built with hand labor and neighbors they all  
The barn was finished late in the fall

The loft, stalls and stanchions were cleaned out  
So friends and neighbors could dance all about  
All animals counted pencil and pad without  
That's why there's tally marks on each beam no doubt

Horses a lot and cats quite a few  
Lived in the barn with a mouse or 2  
Saddles and harness hang there now  
Sheered sheep and milked even a cow

The Foundation is in danger  
There's no hay in the manger  
There aren't many old barns anymore  
That can tell as many yarns as before