1 4
My old hen’s a good old hen,
1 5 1
She lays eggs for the railroad men
1 4
Sometimes one, sometimes two
1 5 1
Sometime enough for the whole dang crew

1 7
Cluck old hen, cluck and sing
1 5 1
You ain’t laid an egg since way last Spring
1 7
Cluck old hen, cluck and squall
1 5 1
You ain’t laid an egg since way last Fall

I had an old hen, she had a wooden leg
Best darn hen that ever laid an egg
Poured hot water down her wooden leg
Dang 'ol hen laid a hard boiled egg.

Chorus

My old hen’s a good old hen,
She lays eggs for the railroad men
Sometimes eight, sometimes ten
That’s enough for the railroad men

Chorus

My old hen, she won’t do
She lays eggs and taters too
First time she cackled, she cackled in the lot
Next time she cackled, she cackled in the pot.....