

# The Secrets of the Engine Shed

## Raploch and Riverside Primaries

### CHORUS

Are there secrets in the stone that faces the weather  
Secrets in the Brick all covered in paint  
Secrets in the mortar that holds her together  
Or up in the roof where the slates play with the rain  
And the glass looks out over Stirling  
Or the steel and the wood that holds them up

### Raploch "The Creation of the Engine Shed"

#### a) Materials

We're mining under the ground for the Engine Shed  
We found some sandstone for the Engine Shed  
We're making cement for the Engine Shed  
We're picking up the earth for the Engine Shed  
We're moulding the clay for the Engine Shed  
We're sending it to the factory to make some bricks  
We're smelting the iron for the Engine Shed  
We're moulding the iron for the rails, nails and roof  
We're cutting some trees for the roof, slates and the Engine Shed  
We're blowing the glass for the windows at the Engine Shed  
We're finally done, it's time to build the Engine Shed

#### b) Tools

Marching off to work we go, tool box at our sides  
Stone Hammer, Saw, Hack-saw, Mallet and Chisel,  
Pick up our tools and put them in the wheelbarrow  
Off we go to home for our tea.

#### c) Life in the Shed

Hup 2 3 4  
Soldiers marching to the Engine Shed  
Spiders crawling up the wall  
Horses neighing all the way  
Trains come in and out  
All the women working in the mine  
All the men fighting and marching  
Horses and carriages coming with boxes with (sshh) gold  
We found a tunnel, lets go through it  
We're going through a tunnel  
Oh what's that, it's a box, let's open it  
It's a map, let's follow the map  
We found it in the Engine Shed  
Let's count the boxes – 1 2 3 4  
Oh no – we missed one – we have to go back  
Tunnel.....  
Oh no it's gone  
Oh no I think I put it in the carriage  
Elise!

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Riverside “The Fall of the Engine Shed” – follow the pictures of the score to see what the sounds mean

- a) **'The Empty Shed'** *The trains and horses leave and all the people too*  
Abandoned and left
  
- b) **'Mankind Made it Crumble'**  
All aboard – pollution  
All aboard - Truailleadh  
All aboard - pollution  
All aboard - Truailleadh  
Destroyed
  
- c) **'The Natural Fall of the Engine Shed'** (natural decay – as you did with them)  
Pitter Patter – Salt Crumble  
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Salt Crumble  
Growing  
Animals  
u-uisge  
Pitter Patter eagal gu talamh  
Everybody falling to the ground

### DECAY CHORUS

Are there secrets in the stone that lets in the weather  
Secrets in the Brick with peeling paint  
Secrets in the mortar that’s crumbling together,  
Or up in the roof where the slates let in the rain  
And the glass lies broken in Stirling  
Or the steel and the wood tries to hold them up

### The Rise of the Engine Shed

We’ll give you a pound they said  
Now we’ll see the rise of the Engine Shed  
See her fly  
For now she has wings  
She got sheep’s wool to keep her warm  
She got a barn of straw to clothe her  
She got children running, jumping and playing  
She got Larch trees under her roof  
She got wings

### CHORUS

Are there secrets in the stone that faces the weather  
Secrets in the Brick not covered in paint  
Secrets in the mortar that holds her together  
Or up in the roof where the slates play with the rain  
And the glass looks out over Stirling  
Or the steel and the wood that holds them up  
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