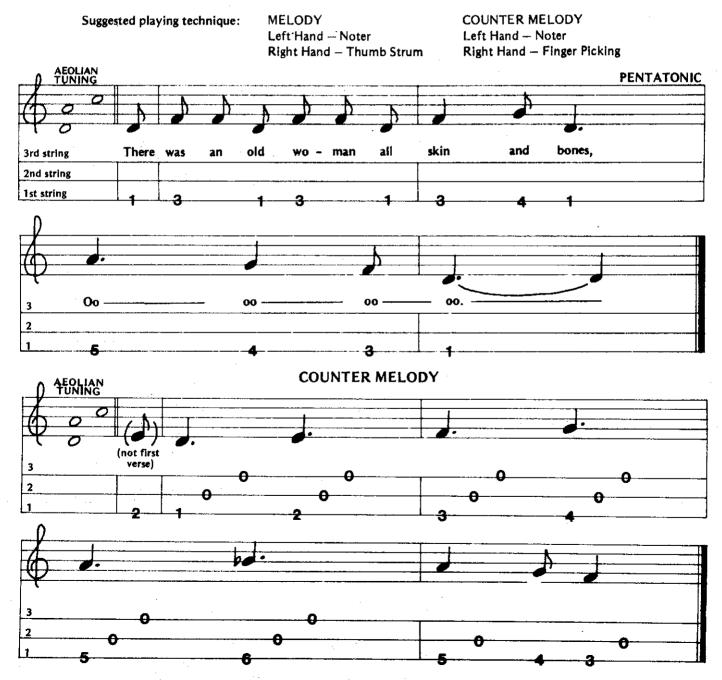
Skin and Bones

A printed version is included in *Hi Ho The Rattlin' Bog* by Jack Langstaff. I first heard this song when Jack sang it, unaccompanied in a recital in Falmouth. The audience refused to let him sing it only once; he changed "Boo" to "Help" the second time around and that worked equally well.

Jean Ritchie recorded this song on the Elektra label, EKLP-2, "Jean Ritchie Sings," accompanying herself on the mountain dulcimer.

There was an old woman all skin and bones, Oo-oo, etc. She lived down by the old churchyard, One night she thought she'd take a walk, She walked down by the old grave yard.

She saw the bones all layin' around, She thought she'd sweep the old grave yard, She went to the closet to get her a broom, She opened the door and — BOO!



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