



Barn Number 30

Historic Name: Youngquist Barn
Address of Barn: 16645 Jungquist Road,
Mount Vernon

Built Date: 1906
Built By: Youngquist Family
Barn Style: English Gambrel
Features: Cupola, Weather Vane

History: The barn was built by the Youngquist family from timbers brought from the surrounding fir forest via horse drawn log sled. The barn was used for dairy and beef cattle well into the 1950s. The building also provided loft areas for hay storage. The surrounding land provided berry, potato, corn and grazing support for 3 generations of Youngquists until the farm was sold in 2003.



Barn Number 31

Historic Name: Harris Farm
Address of Barn: 15788 Kamb Road,
Mount Vernon

Built Date: c. 1928
Built By: [Unknown]
Barn Style: Dutch Gambrel
Features: Cupola, Hay Hood, Weather Vane

History: This barn is not visible from the roadway. The registered owners of the property in 1927 were T. A. and Lillian Harris. It is estimated that the barn was built around 1928. The original purpose of the barn was to store hay – it has a hay hood and the original old hay grabber hangs from the ceiling rail. Later it was used as a dairy barn when electricity became available in the area and electric milking machines made dairy farming financially feasible.



Barn Number 32

Historic Name: Skeel Farm
Address of Barn: 15598 McLean Road,
Mount Vernon

Built Date: c. 1890
Built By: [Unknown]
Barn Style: Broken Gable
Features: Hay Hood, Weather Vane

History: The property was owned by Roswell Skeel Jr and his wife Emily at the time the barn was built. The spelling of the last name might be Skeele, as the records were handwritten in very elegant script and are hard to decipher. The barn was built in the 1890s and is Swedish in style. The current owners have owned this property since 1932. The barn is the oldest structure on the farm and has received minor modifications to keep it in current use and structurally sound. The barn has always been functional, serving a purpose for more than 100 years.