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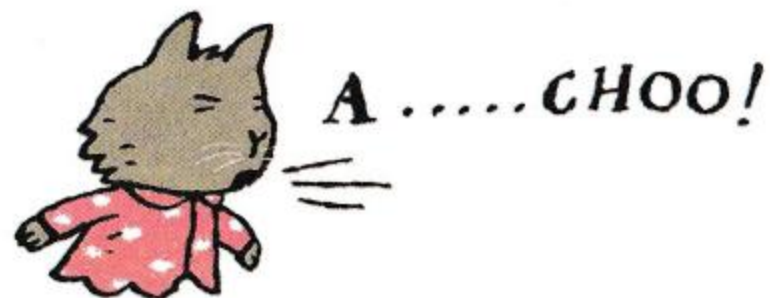
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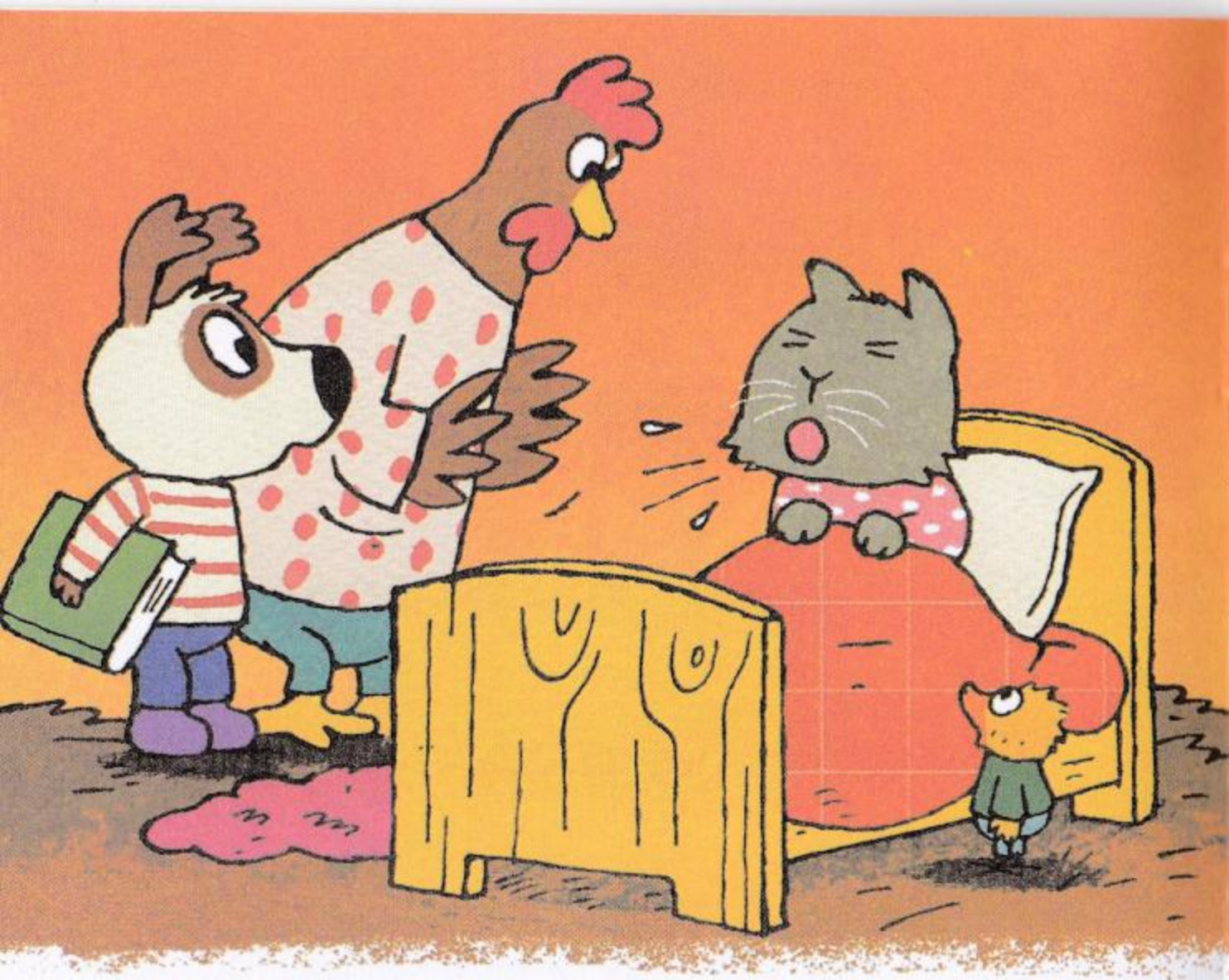
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“I will trade you a big blue marble for a few rubber bands,” said Tug.
“I have no rubber bands,” said Nat.



“But I will trade you my penny for your marble,” Nat told Tug.
“It’s a deal!” said Tug.



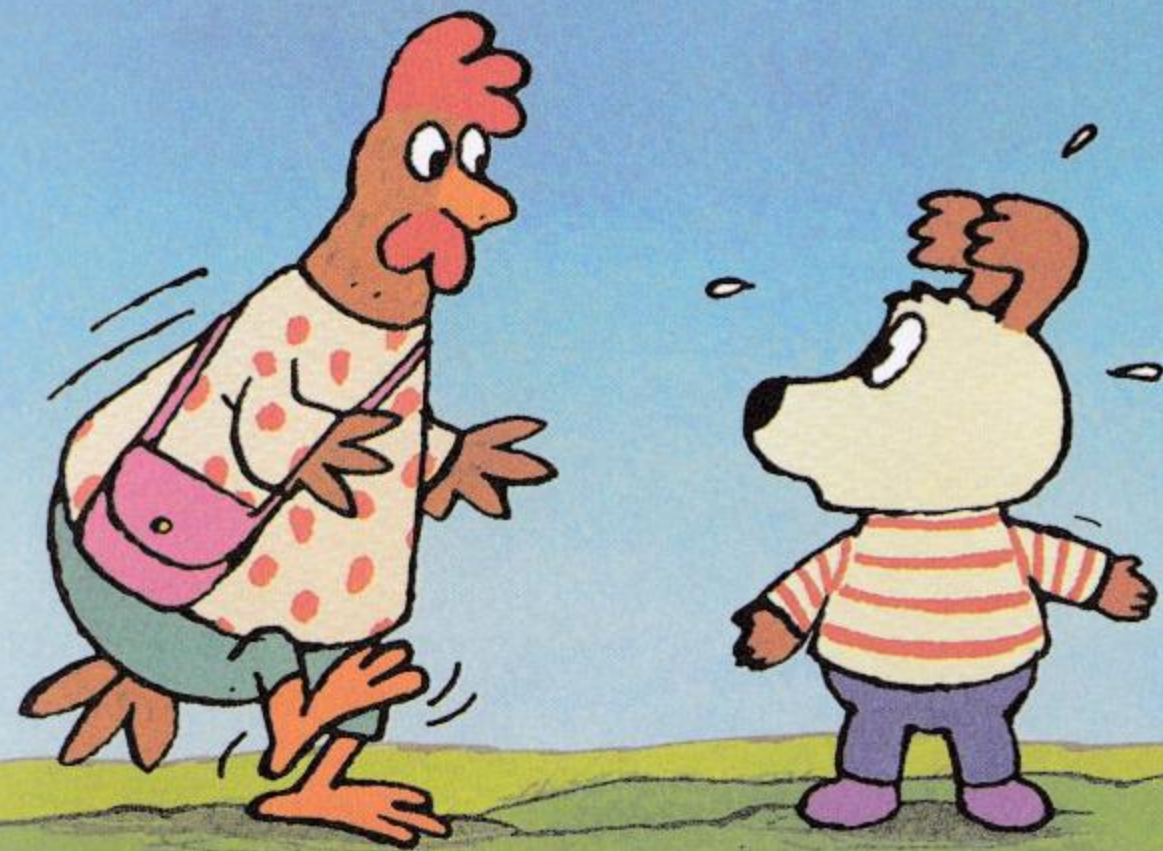
“ACHOO!” said Nat the Cat.
“I have a cold. I wish I felt better.”



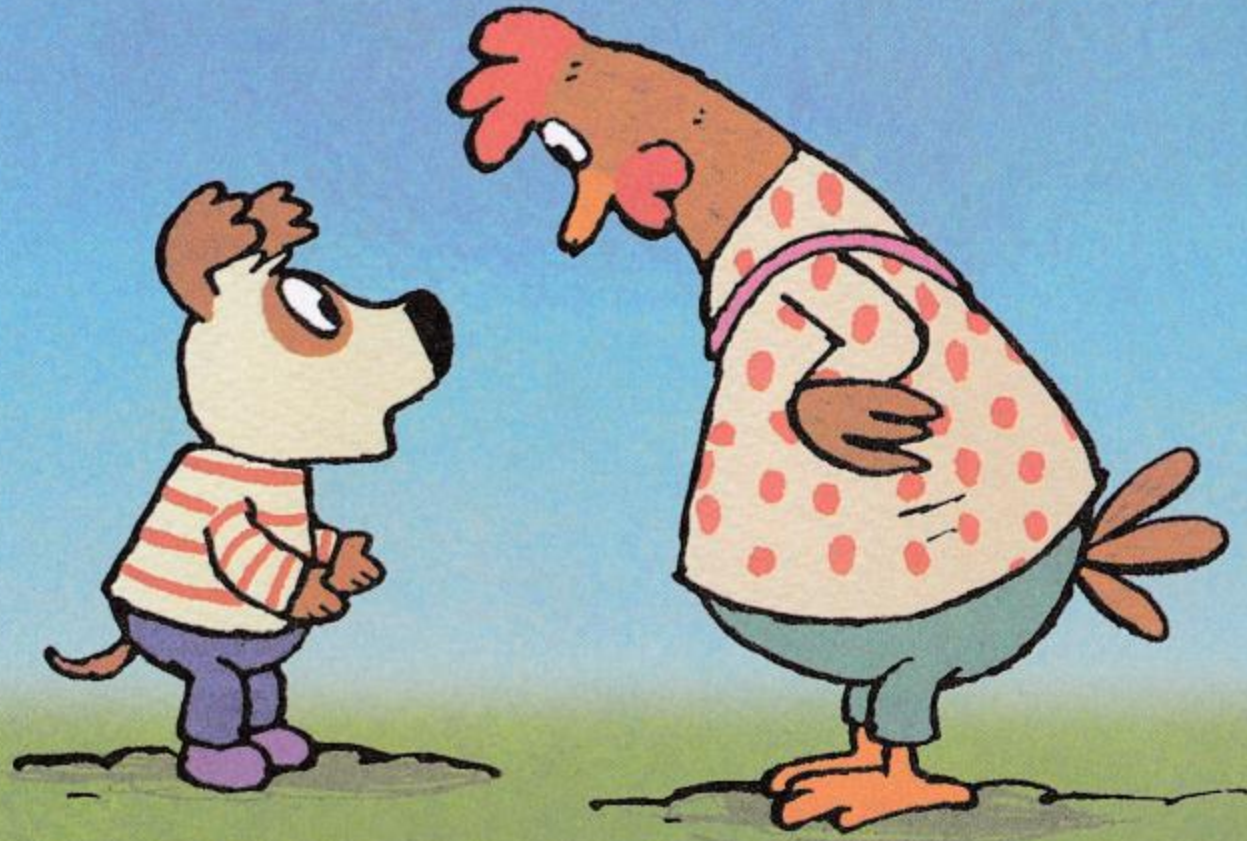
“I can tell a story to make you feel better,” said Tug the Pup.



"I wonder where the penny could be," said Sly Fox. "Oh, well! I must be going."



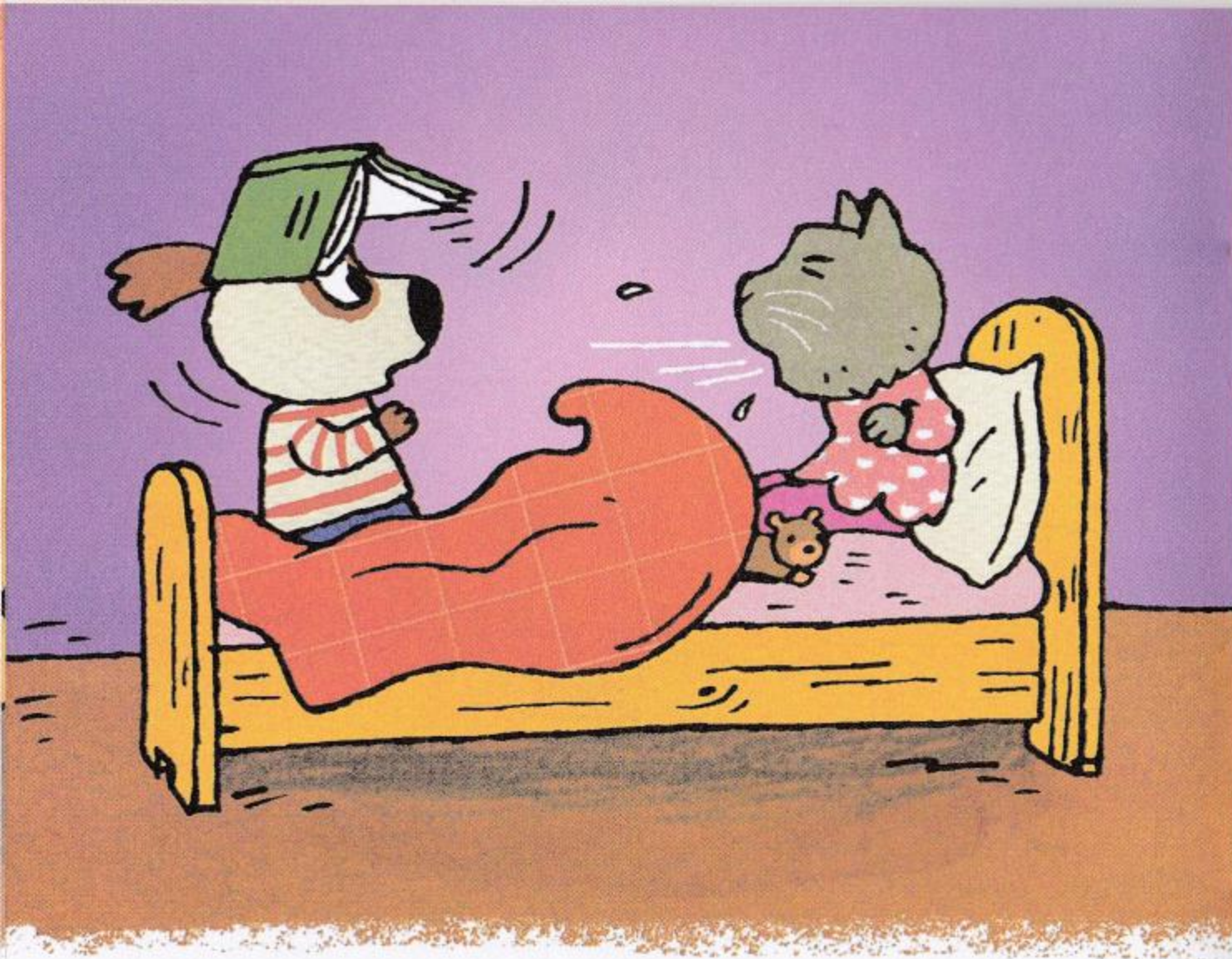
"Sly Fox tricked me!" said Tug. Just then Pen Hen walked by. "You look sad," she said.



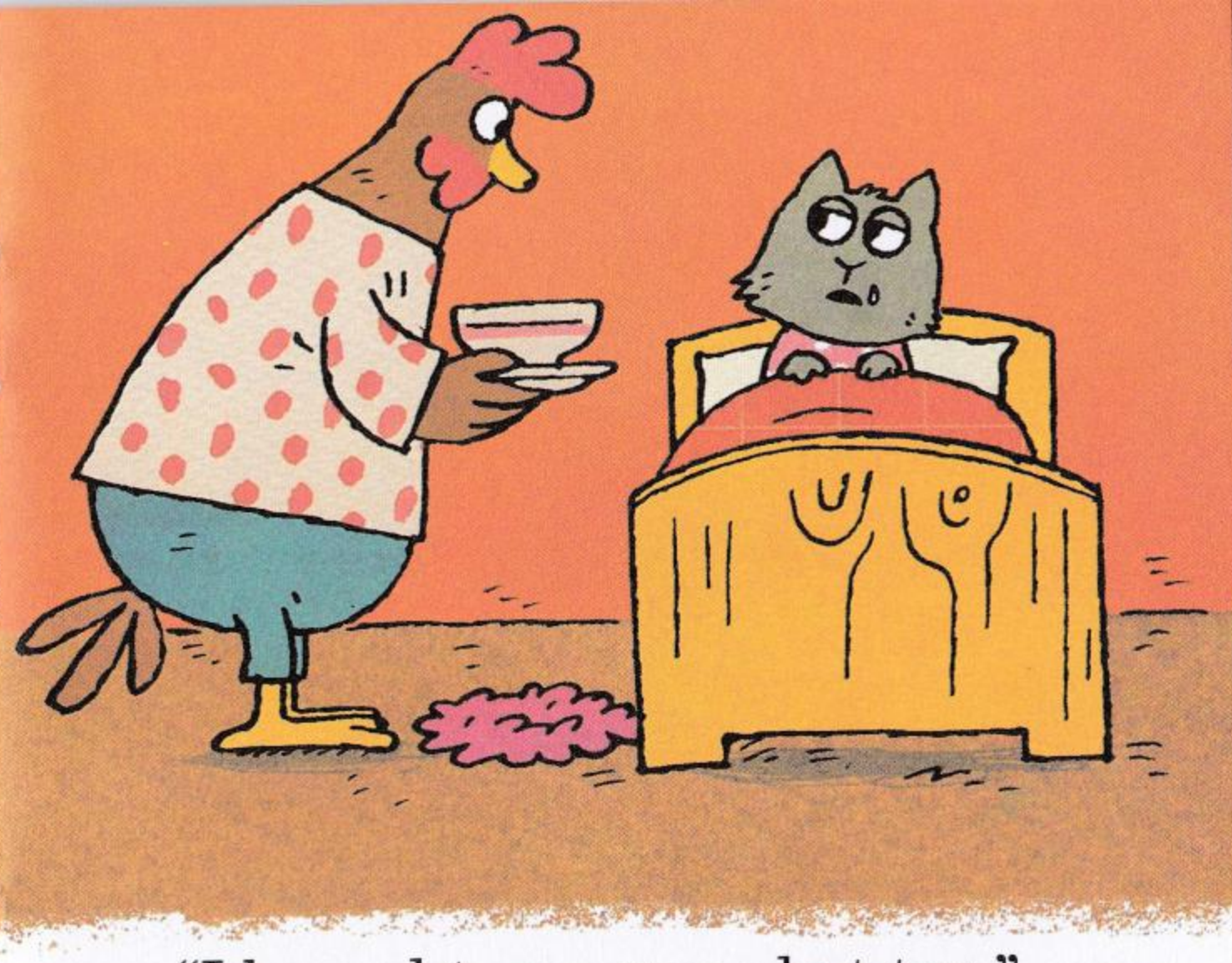
“I need rubber bands to make a guitar,” said Tug. “But now I have nothing to trade.”



“I have rubber bands,” said Pen Hen. “Play a song for me!”
“Thanks,” said Tug.



But all Nat could say was
“ACHOO!”



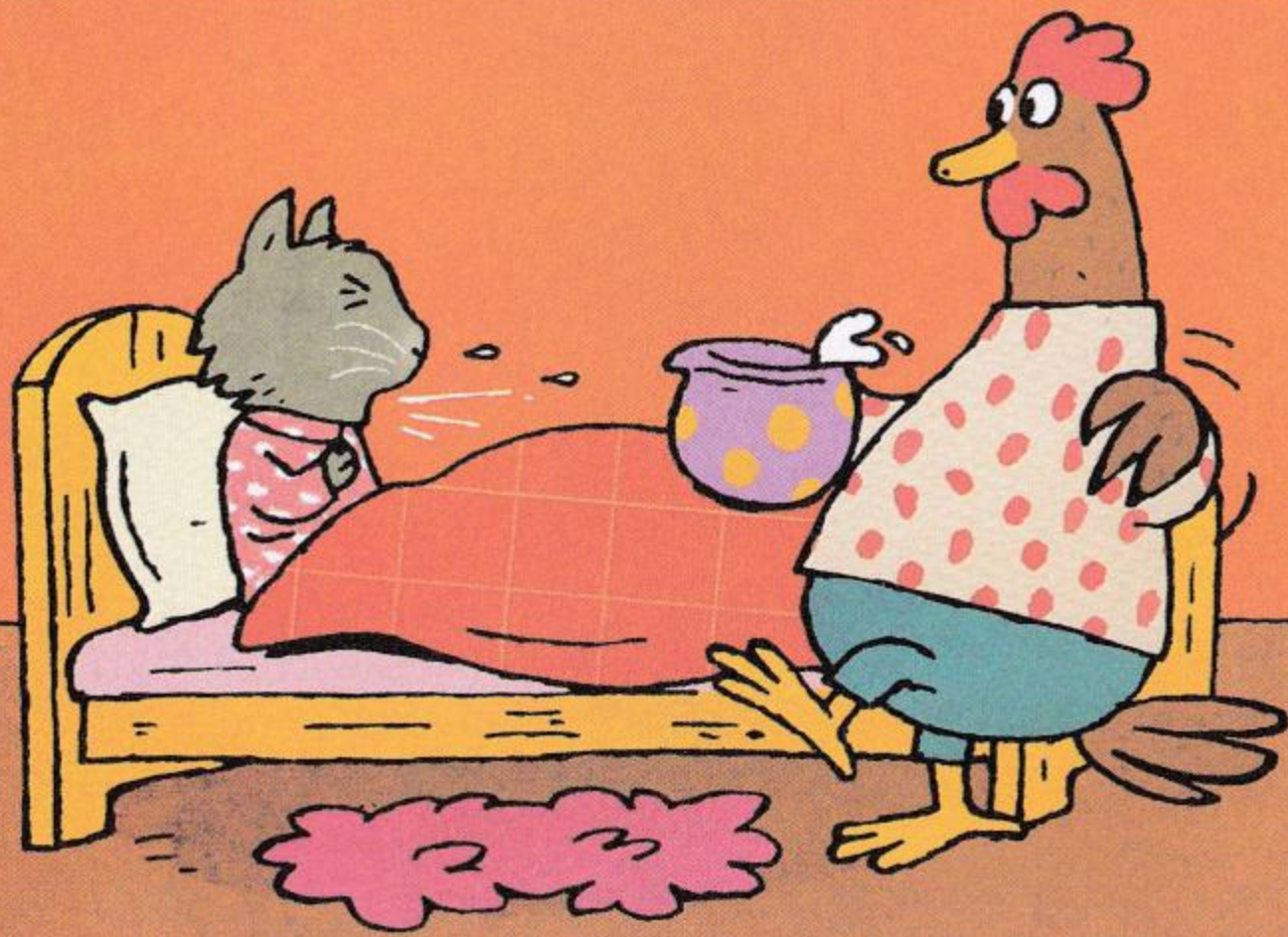
“I brought you some hot tea,”
said Pen Hen. “I hope this
makes you feel better.”



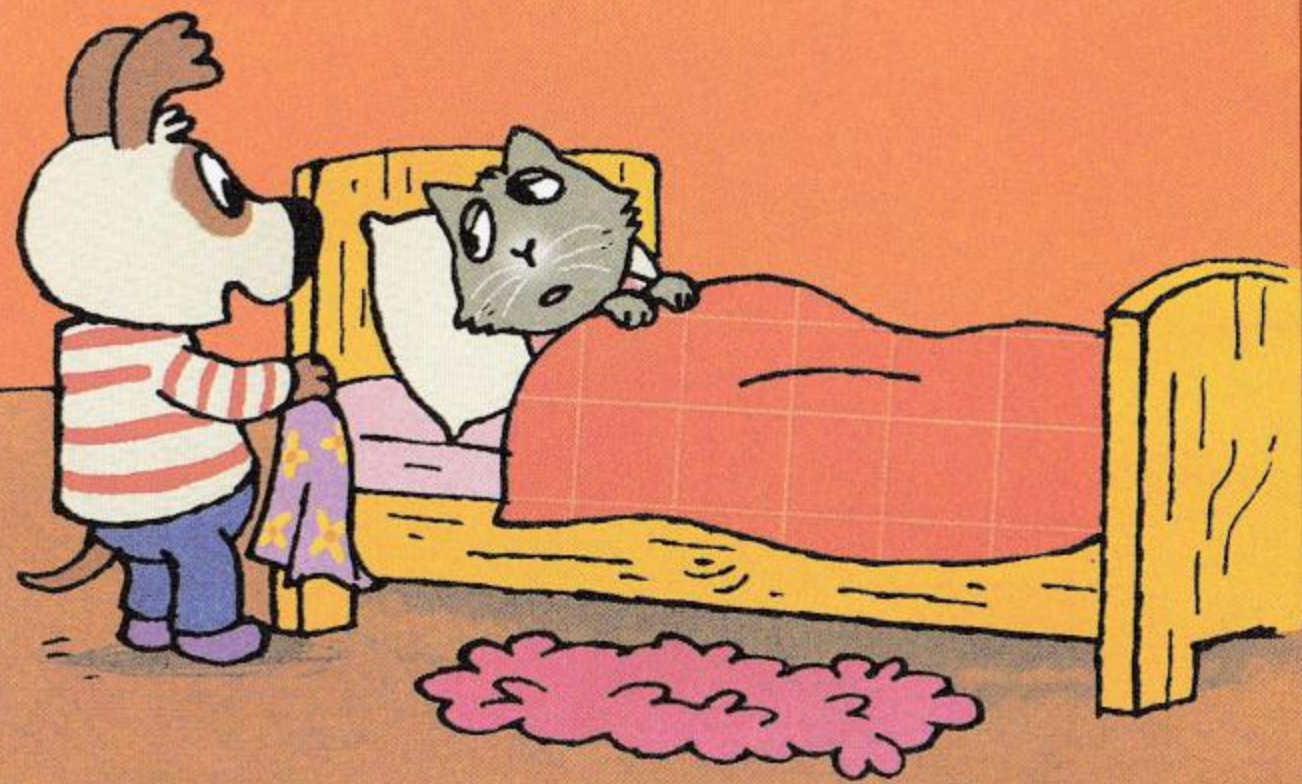
But all Nat could say was,
“ACHOO! ACHOO!
Oh, no! Oh, no!”



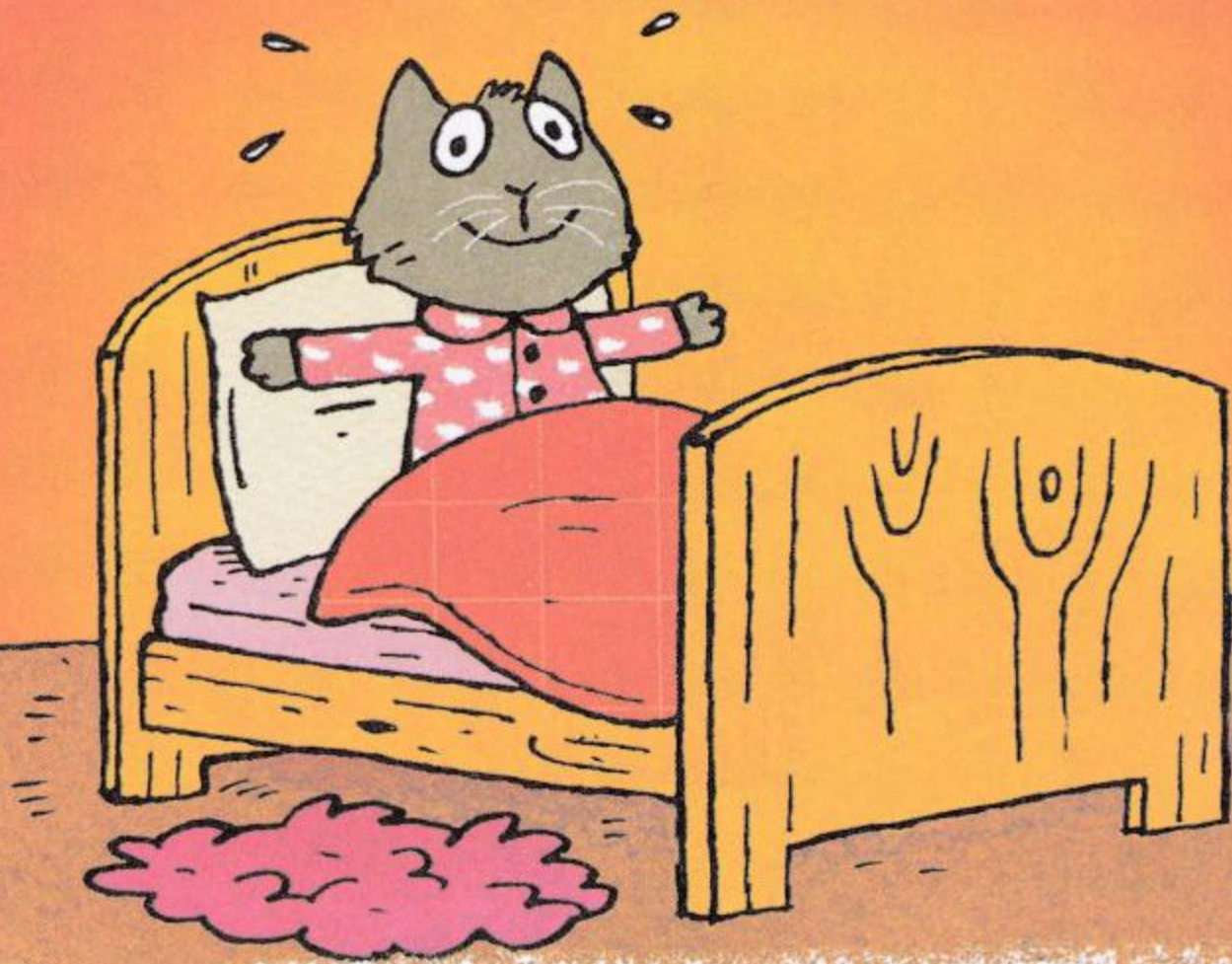
“I will pour you a bowl of cream,”
said Pen Hen.
“I know it’s your favorite treat.”



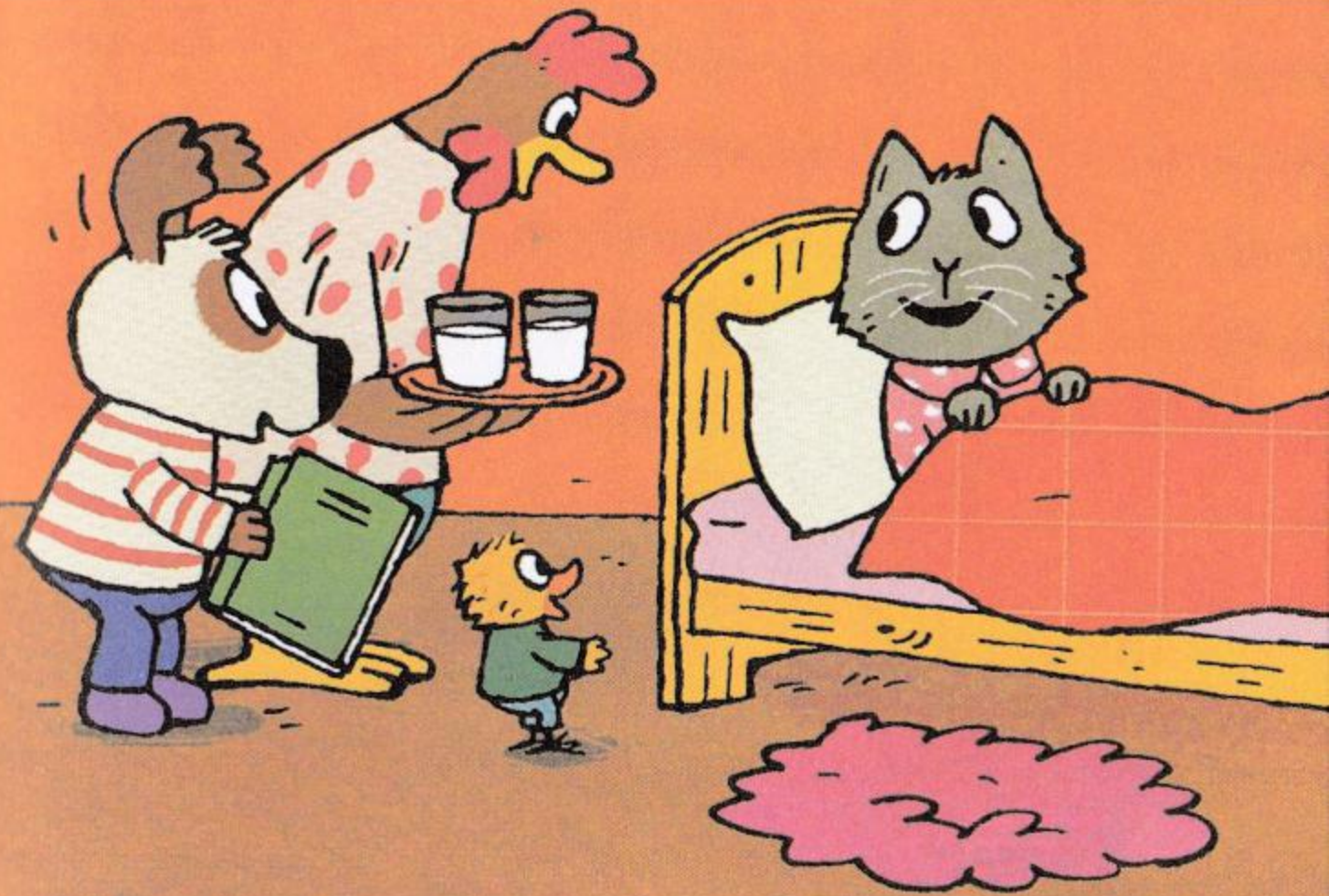
But then Nat sneezed three very big sneezes.
“ACHOO! ACHOO! ACHOO!”
said Nat.



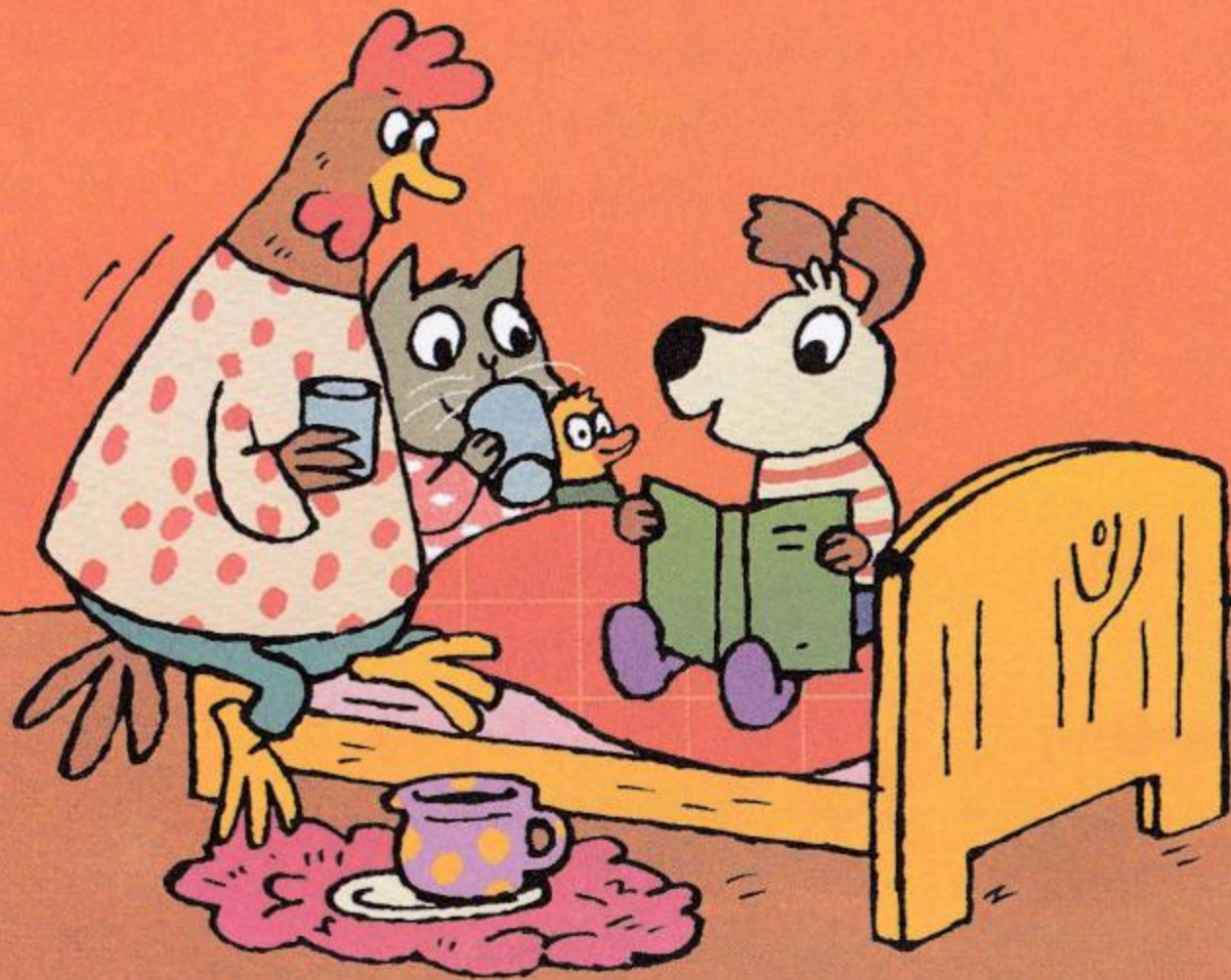
“Blow your nose!” said Tug.
Nat blew her nose.
“I just want a nap,” she said.
The friends tiptoed out.



Nat woke up feeling
much better.
She called her friends.



“Now I’m ready!” said Nat.



Tug read a story
while the others
sipped tea and cream.

PARENTS' CORNER

Rereading the Book Together

Take turns reading each page. Are the animals in the story good friends to Nat? Why or why not? What makes Nat feel better?

Fun with Words

Point out some of the action words in this story: *tiptoed*, *pour*, and *sipped*, for example. Have your child write and illustrate them.

More Learning

Have your child describe his or her favorite part of the story: Nat sneezing and knocking over the tea cups or Nat napping, for example. Ask your child to draw a picture and write a sentence.