What the Ladybird Heard by Julia Donaldson

Once upon a farm lived a fat red hen,
A duck on a pond and a goose in a pen,
A woolly sheep, a hairy hog,
A handsome horse and a dainty dog,
A cat that miaowed and a cat that purred,
A fine prize cow ... and a ladybird.

The cow said, "MOO!"
And the hen said, "CLUCK"
"HISS!" said the goose
and "QUACK!" said the duck.
"NEIGH!" said the horse.
"OINK!" said the hog.
"BAA! said the sheep
and "WOOF!" said the dog.
One cat miaowed while the other car purred.

But the ladybird said never a word.

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