Red Hen
and Brown Fox

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When Red Hen came back she saw
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her door, so she jumped up onto
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"You can't come up here, Brown
Fox", she said. "Go away."
"I can't come up there", said
Brown Fox, "but you will come
down here."
"No, I won't", said Red Hen.
"Oh yes, you will", said Brown Fox.

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While Brown Fox was asleep, Red Hen got out of the big, black bag and filled it with grey stones. Then she ran and ran and ran ... all the way home.

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"Ow, ow, ow, ow, ow",
screamed Brown Fox
as the hot water splashed
all over him.
Where is Red Hen?

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And where do you think she was?
Yes, she was save at home
watching television.

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