

# Ain't Nobody Here but Us Chickens

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One night farmer Brown was takin' the airs  
Locked up the barnyard with the greatest of care  
Down in the hen house, somethin' stirred  
When he shouted, "Who's there?"  
This is what he heard

“There ain't nobody here but us chickens  
There ain't nobody here at all  
So calm yourself and stop that fuss  
There ain't nobody here but us  
We chickens tryin' to sleep and you butt in  
And hobble, hobble hobble hobble with your chin”

“There ain't nobody here but us chickens  
There ain't nobody here at all  
You're stompin' around and shakin' the ground  
You're kickin' up an awful dust  
We chicken's tryin' to sleep and you butt in  
And hobble, hobble hobble hobble, it's a sin”

“Tomorrow is a busy day  
We got things to do, We got eggs to lay  
We got ground to dig and worms to scratch  
It takes a lot of settin', gettin' chicks to hatch”

“Ohh, there ain't nobody here but us chickens  
There ain't nobody here at all  
So quiet yourself and stop that fuss  
There ain't nobody here but us  
Kindly point that gun the other way  
And hobble, hobble hobble of and hit the hay”

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“Hey, hey, boss man, what do ya say?  
It's easy pickings  
Ain't nobody here but us chickens”•

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