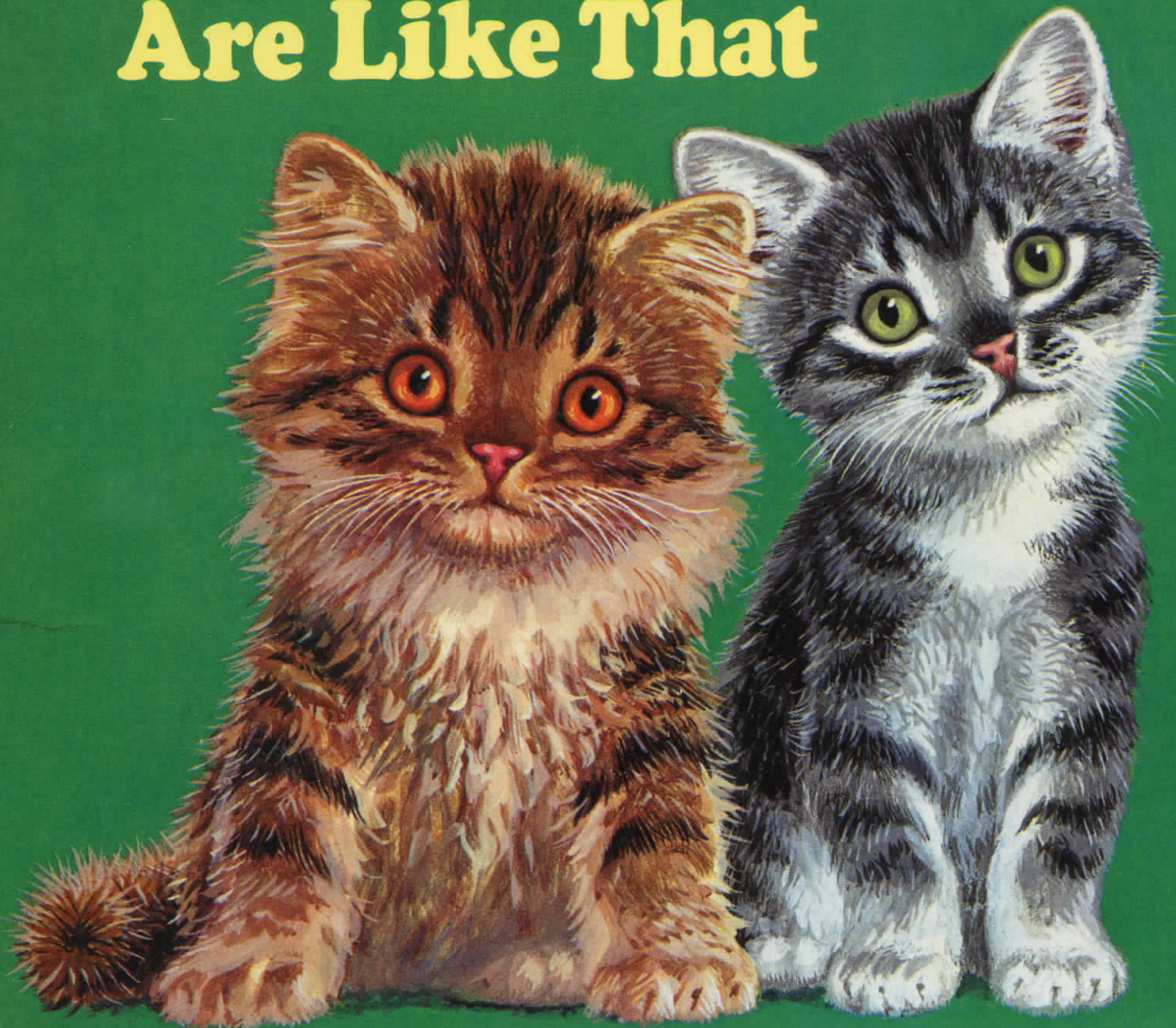


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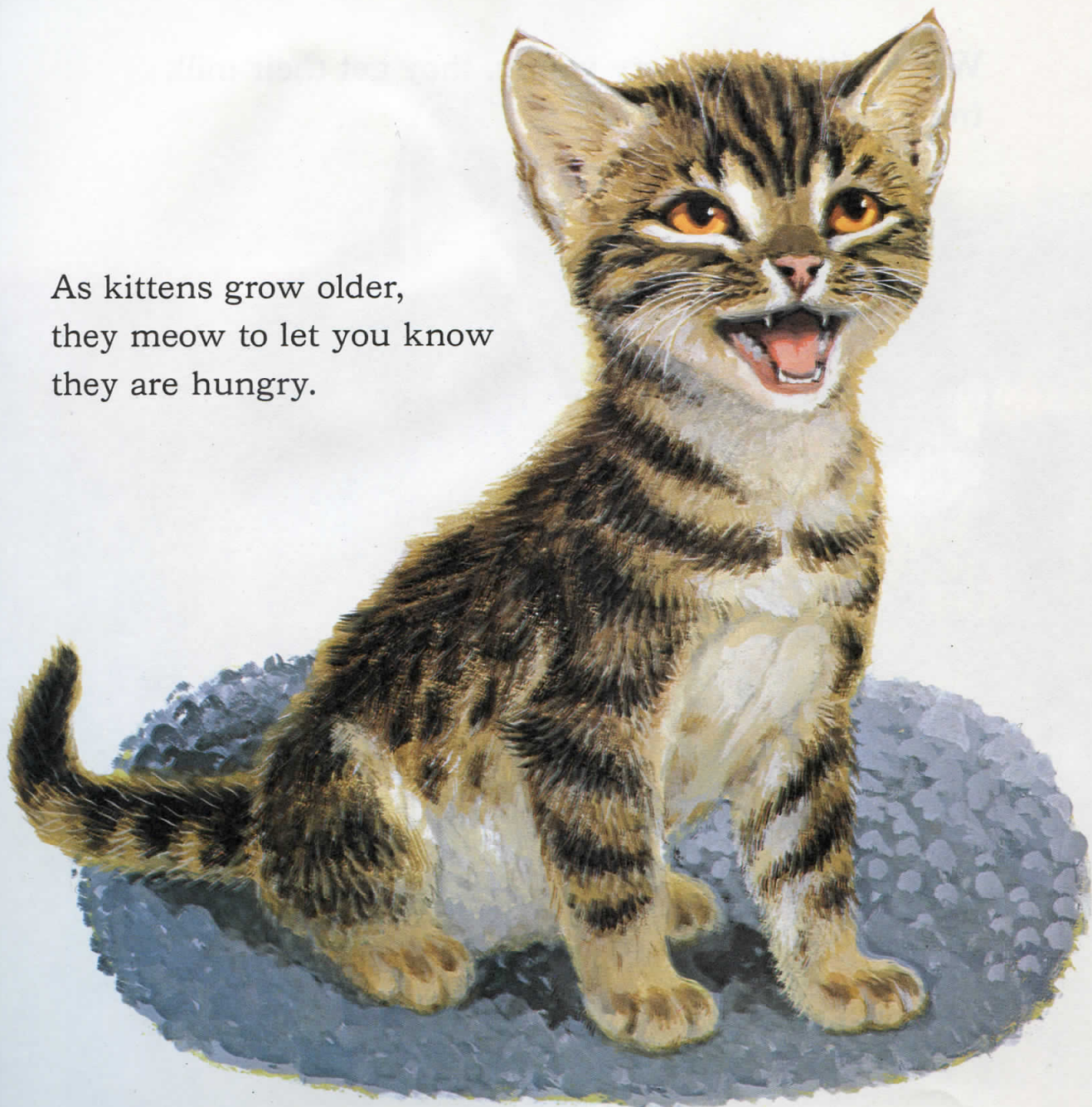
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When kittens are very young, they get their milk from their mother.



As kittens grow older,
they meow to let you know
they are hungry.



Kittens need plenty of meat
and milk and fish to grow strong.





After every meal,
kittens wash themselves
very carefully.



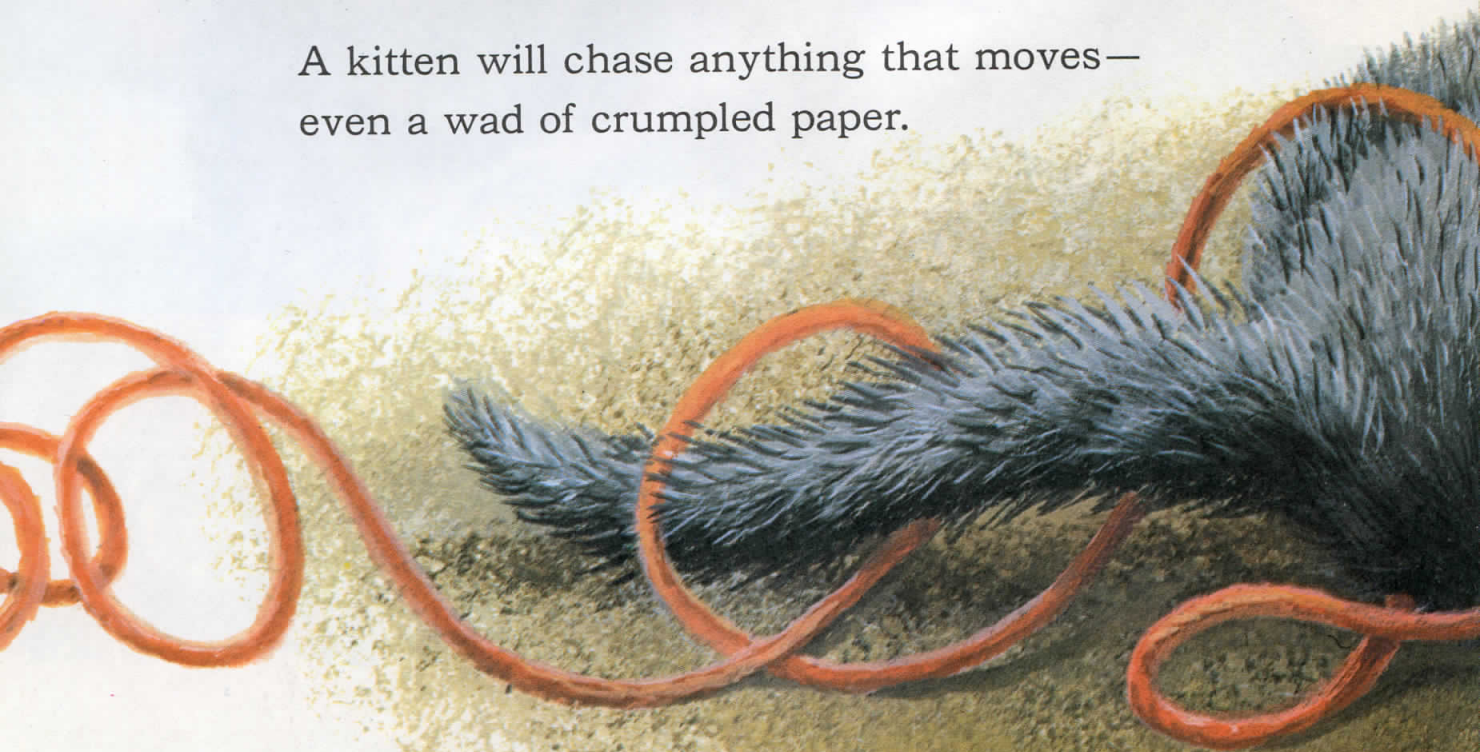
They lick their fur with their
rough, pink tongues until they
are clean all over.

Kittens are like that!



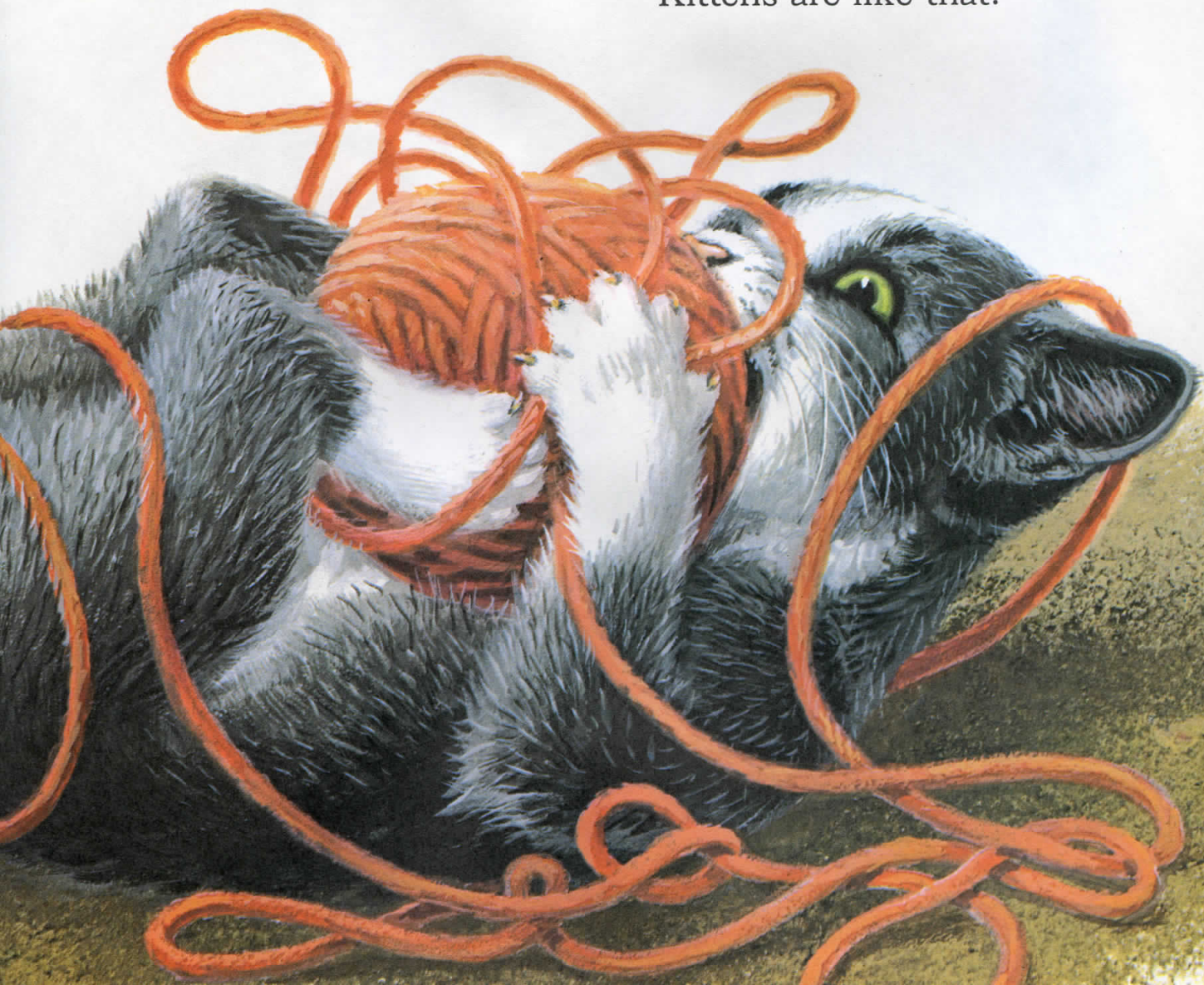


A kitten will chase anything that moves—
even a wad of crumpled paper.



It will play with a ball of yarn until the yarn
is in a tangle.

Kittens are like that!



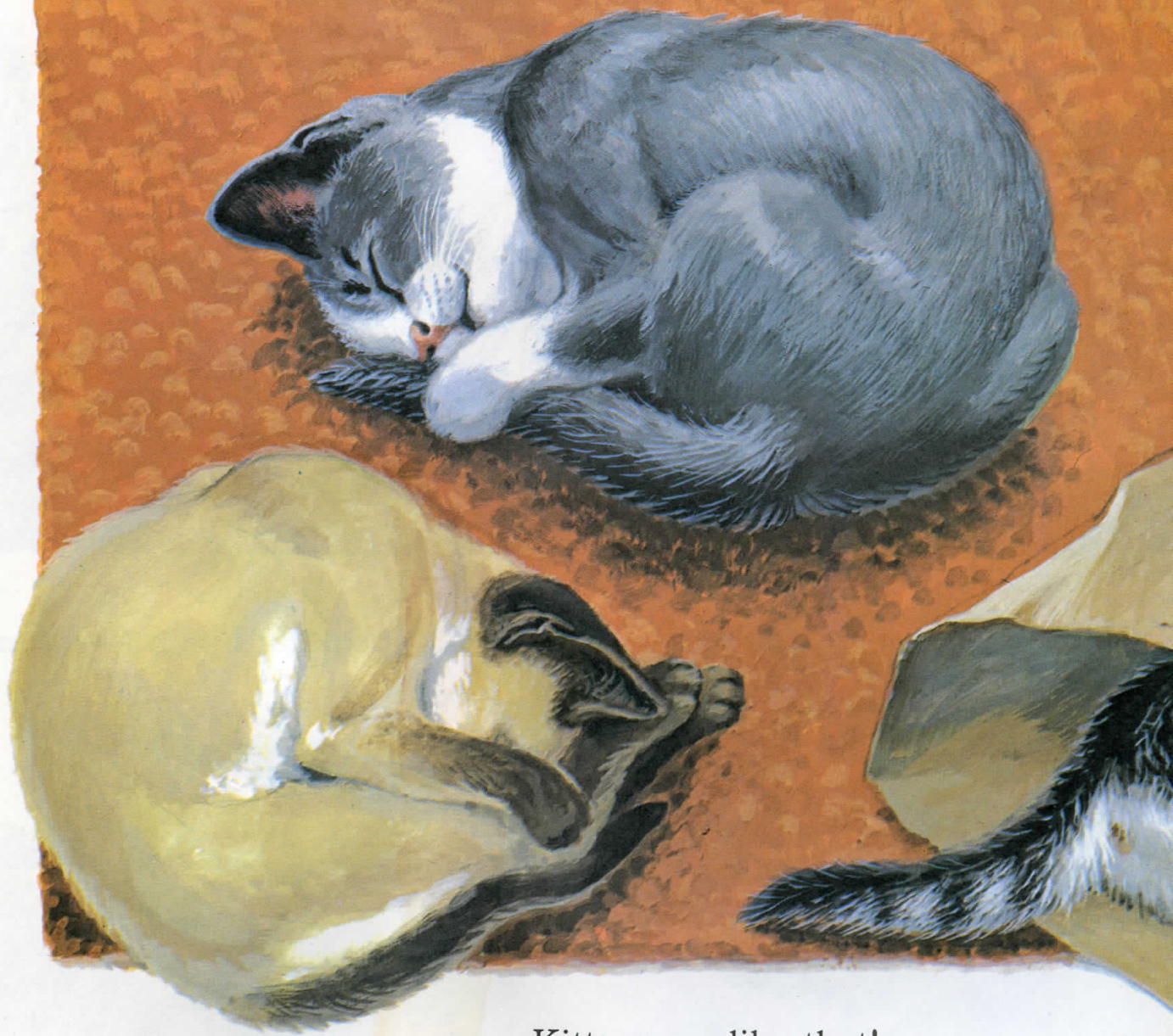
Best of all, kittens like to play hide-and-
seek. One kitten hides in a brown paper
bag. The others creep up and pounce on it.





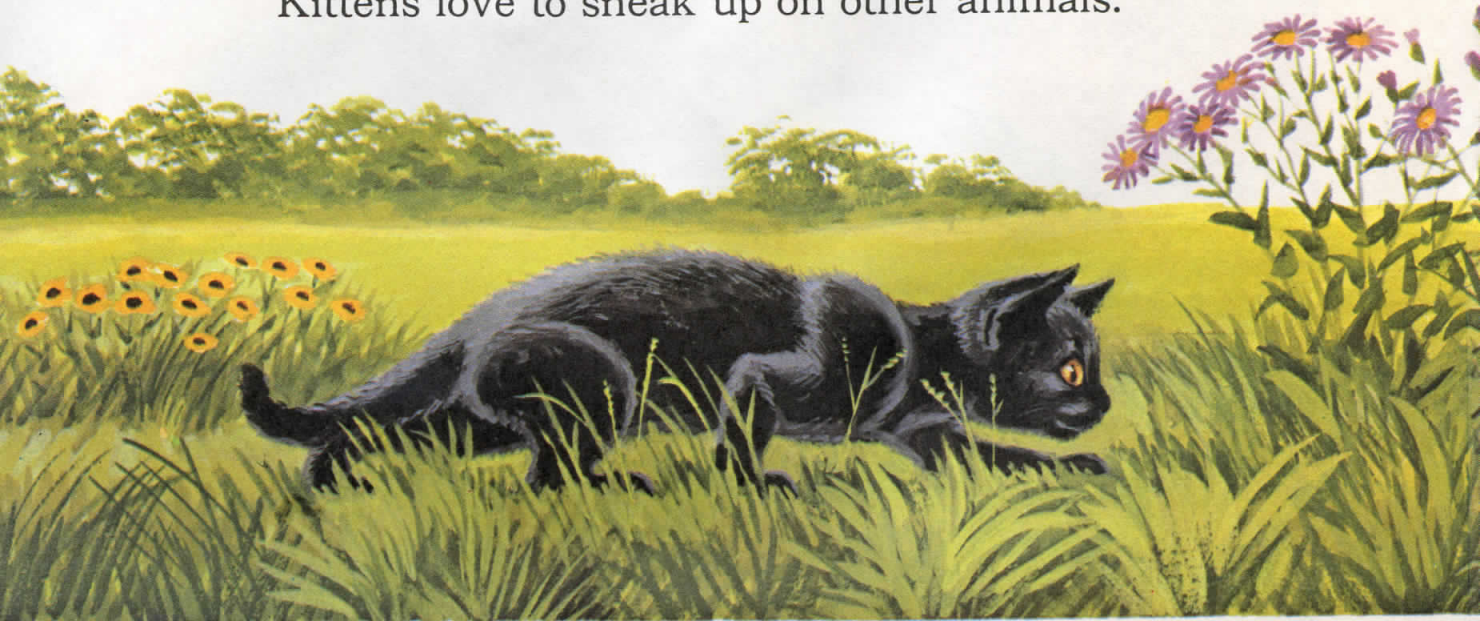
When kittens get tired of playing, they plop down
wherever they are and take a quick nap.





Kittens are like that!

Kittens love to sneak up on other animals.



But sneaking up on a rooster





can be a big mistake!



If a dog surprises a kitten, the kitten will act very fierce. It will arch its back, fluff up its fur, and hiss and spit.





Outdoors, kittens sharpen their claws on tree trunks.



Indoors, they sharpen their claws on the furniture—

unless they have a scratching post:



Kittens are like that!

Kittens like to run. They love to chase each other.



These kittens are racing toward the nearest tree.



Kittens think it is great fun to climb trees.









But sometimes angry birds
flap their wings and
peck at them.

Kittens are very curious, especially about toy ducks and water.



Sometimes they are so curious
they get into trouble. Then they
have to be rescued.

Kittens hate to get wet!



But as soon as they are dry again, and warm
and cozy, kittens will purr and purr.





Kittens don't always want to pounce and climb and run and play. Sometimes they just want to curl up in their beds and go to sleep.



Kittens are like that, too!