That's what you said!

1 Match the reporting verb to the sentence

1. Deny	13	A)	Well done, you won the World Sneezing Championships!
2. Agree		B)	You're right. Giraffes do taste good in a burger.
3. Decide		C)	No, I'm not going to wash my knee hairs, leave me alone.
4. Apologise		D)	It wasn't me. I didn't eat those fingernails.
5. Explain		E)	Why don't you buy a new pair of eyebrows?
6. Recommend		F)	It was you! You stole my ears! Give them back!
7. Suggest		G)	I know you don't believe me, but I'm definitely alive.
8. Admit		H)	This is all your fault! You let the mutant sheep escape!
9. Criticise		I)	I was late because I had to take my grandmother to the vet
10. Refuse		J)	Ok, it was me. I ate all the human skin.
11. Insist		K)	I've made up my mind. We're eating the car for dinner.
12. Blame		L)	I will never tell the police about all the bodies.
13. Congratulate		M)	I'm so sorry I stepped on your face.
14. Accuse		N)	You should go to the museum of toothbrushes. You'd love it.
15. Promise		O)	Your voice sounds like an angry crocodile. I don't like it.

2 Report the sentences above using the appropriate verb.

Congratulate	1. They _____ me _____ the championship
Agree	2. We tried it, and everyone _____in a burger.
Refuse	3. Unfortunately, Mr Smith _____ knee hairs
Deny	4. Celine looked guilty, but she _____ fingernails.
Suggest	5. Dora _____we _____ a new pair of eyebrows.
Accuse	6. João pointed at Pedro, and _____ ears.
Insist	7. Although it was -20ºC, Carlos _____ dead.
Blame	8. Dr. Inês _____us_____ of the mutant sheep
Explain	9. She _____ to take her grandmother to the vet.
Admit	10. Susana _____ skin, but not the eyeballs.
Decide	11. Having run out of food, Dad _____ car.
Promise	12. Don't kill him! He has _____ the police.
Apologise	13. David lifted up his foot, and _____to me _____.
Recommend	14. Bruno _____to the toothbrush museum.
Criticise	15. The director_____me_____ like a crocodile

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