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Tension mounts as three children plus horse and dog creep across the moat, beyond the drawbridge and down into the dark, dank depths of the dungeon where once languished - or does he still? - the dreaded monster of long ago. The suspense builds slowly as the journey is made and the inevitable encounter with the monster takes place. The sense of relief after the heart-thumping dash back out of the castle and away to safety is neatly shattered by the monster's words at the final turn of the page. The perfectly controlled pacing and tension in the rhyming text are mirrored in each amusing double page illustration. Infinitely re-readable.

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