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 show how one part builds on another.

**They Didn’t Think**

Once a trap was baited

With a piece of cheese;

It tickled so a little mouse,

It almost made him sneeze.

An old rat said, “There’s a danger,

Be careful where you go!”

“Nonsense!” said the other,

“I don’t think you know!”

So he walked in boldly-

Nobody in sight-

First he took a nibble,

Then he took a bite;

Close the trap together

Snapped as quick as wink,

Catching mousey fast there,

‘Cause he didn’t think.

Once there was a robin,

Lived outside the door,

Who wanted to go inside

And hop upon the floor.

“No, no,” said the mother,

“You must stay with me;

Little birds are safest

Sitting in a tree.”

“I don’t care,” said Robin,

And gave his tail a fling,

“I don’t think the old folks

Know quite everything.”

Down he flew, and kitty seized him

Before he’d time to blink;

“Oh,” he cried, “I’m sorry,

But I just didn’t think.”

1. What kind of literature is this passage?
2. poem
3. short story
4. play
5. chapter
6. The passage contains all of the following EXCEPT
7. lines
8. stanzas
9. chapters
10. rhythm
11. A. Describe a possible third part to this passage.

B. Explain how the situation you chose would build upon the second part of the passage.

 