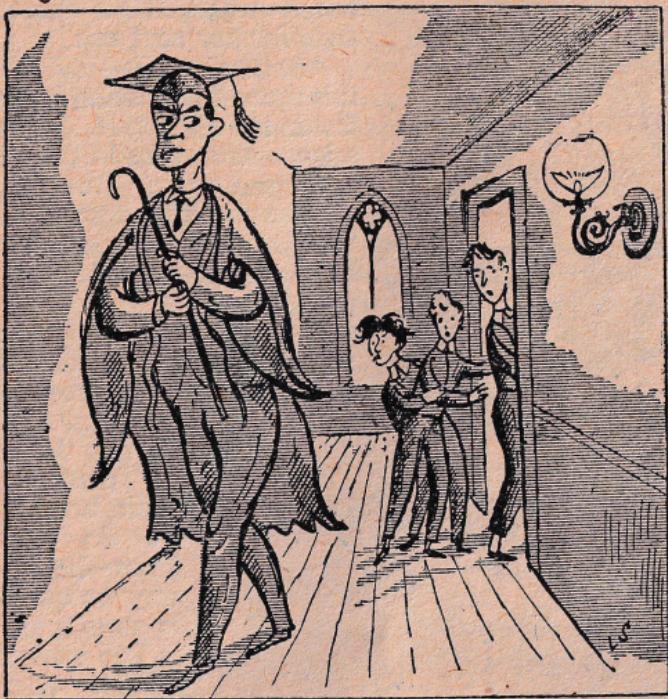


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writes his second **SCHOOL STORY** *for PIE*

DOES the old magic remain?" That was the question we asked in our last issue when we printed the first of a series of tales of Carcroft School by Frank Richards, the man who invented Billy Bunter. Our postbag gives the answer. It is yes, yes—a thousand times yes. All of which is very gratifying. And now, in our ceaseless struggle for the beautiful and the true (h'm) we go one better: we start in this issue another Frank Richards feature—a cross-word puzzle. You will find it on page 136.