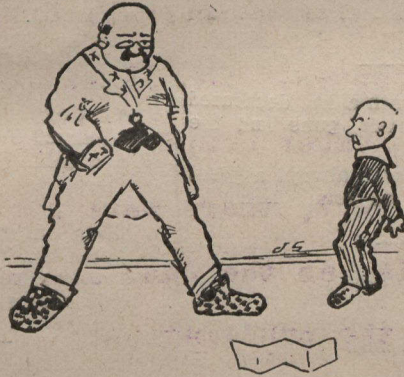


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By a Swot — not.



The day has came! The day has
came!
The day has butted in!
It's mighty tough, they've called our
bluff—
Excuses are too thin.

Skidoo! Our term reports are in.
Says pa, in accents bloody,
And lowered head: "I thought you
said
That you were going to study!"

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(These stars represent doings in the
cupboard.)

To give us a half holiday
Fate shows consideration,
For we still tingle from that shingle,
And need recuperation.