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Fast moving plots in these two which brim over with action and events. Mr Dicks' experience as a TV writer means that he knows about giving a tale its twists and turns. But even the eights and nines I read this with (boys, whose teacher said they 'needed encouragement') felt that after quite enjoying **The Haunted Hospital**, **The Smuggler's Treasure** was rather more of the same.

Cramped print and pictures is off-putting for independent readers, which is a pity as there's some decent detective work, some scope for readers to get involved in the tales and (now and again) some sparks of contemporary-sounding humour.

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