

NEWS IN BRIEF.

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(1). The honour of building the first real iron road goes to
Ascrington. It claims--
--to make skidding a thing of the horrid past, and to last
twenty--
--years without repair. More unemployed ! No road hole
minders required for twenty years. Terrible !

(2). Mr. F.W. Cox of Yarnton is a good-looking man.
There are times, however, when he allows his face to slip
somewhat.
Children round here don't buy comic papers. They watch
Mr.Cox make faces, which is much funnier, and a penny
cheaper.

(3). Edinburgh's Grippled Children's home lightens the sufferer's
lot in lots--
--of ways. The kiddies are being taught not--
--to hate being washed. Many are taught to float and
swim, and they--
--are also taught to go to bed at the word of command.
That's fine !

(4). British railways lead the world ! And here's--
--their latest effort. ... A streamlined car driven by--
--a 130 horse-power engine, and capable of doing--
--sixty-miles an hour. Fast enough for--
--anyone to travel to business!