NEWS IN BRIEF.

- (1). Picture .: Another sob story. These poor deluded birds are-
 - --eating, drinking, and being merry, with Christmas coming nearer every day. If they--
 - --had sense enough every turkey in the land would combine and--
 - -- go on hungar strike. Instead they gussle--
 - --food, and grow fatter and fatter. Simply asking for their heads to be tucked under their wings, and--
 - -- pieces of string tied round their parsons noses. S'treadful !
- (2). Picture .: Of all the dams, this is Europe's --
 - -- largest. Our cameraman takes a trip in a travelling crane--
 - --over the whole of this huge French engineering enterprise. Work has been in progress for five years. Many hundreds of men have been constantly employed, and now it is nearing completion. It is near the market-town of Oisans in South-East France, and its effect will be to open up valuable tracks of well irrigated agricultural land. The Chambon Dam is--
 - -- expected to be in service next Spring.
- (3). Picture .: This is industry nearer home. At Richmond's --
 - -Poppy Factory 363 disabled men have-
 - --been working continuously to supply forty-million poppies --
 - -- for sale by the British Legion on Poppy Day.

The 350,000 sellers of the poppies create--

-a new record of their own. The wreath of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales is packed for despatch, and also the wreath purchased by the Duke of York.

And the last is that of His Majesty the King.