

NEWS IN BRIEF.

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(1). Picture:-Having failed in their--
--attempt to break the long-distance flying record, Messieurs
Codoc and--
--Rossi return to Paris from Porto-Praia in the Cap-Vert Islands.
These gallant aviators have so many--
--successes to their credit that--
--a failure is a change. Although maybe, not a--
--welcome one. However, they are forging ahead with new
plans,--

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(2). And here is Miss Peggy White, Britain's only
girl blacksmith at--
--her forge in Lanarkshire, preparing a--
--new pair of shoes for fitting on to the feet of the--
--old grey mare. Peggy is only twenty-one,--
--and contradicts all blacksmithy conventions. Her smithy
doesn't--
--stand under "a spreading chesnut tree," and she hasn't
"brawny arms as strong as iron bands".
But they are fine steadfast arms. Ask the
dog - - he should know.
