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Young Painter Hanged

THIS MORNING, DESPITE APPEALS TO THE KING—CHURCHES FILLED FOR HOURS WITH PEOPLE PRAYING FOR CONDEMNED.

HULL, England, Dec. 9.—William G. Smith, the young painter, whose condemnation to death for the murder of a woman last August aroused intensive appeals for clemency, was hanged at 9 o'clock this morning.

In a last desperate effort to save Smith, a number of local notables, including the Mayor's wife, this morning telegraphed an appeal to King George, asking him to exercise his Royal prerogative and spare the condemned man's life.

Before the appeal to the King, every conceivable effort had been made to obtain a reprieve from the Home Secretary, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, but a deputation, headed by Commander Kenworthy, M.P., and including six other Commons, was forced to report failure.

The populace was greatly stirred over the case and filled the churches for hours while special prayers were said for the condemned man. A meeting of 10,000 persons yesterday threatened a general strike if their reprieve petition was not granted.

One of the arguments presented was that Smith had not been shown impartiality, as another man, proved guilty of murdering his wife at the same time Smith was condemned, was sentenced to only ten years imprisonment.

Evidence of high feeling were almost entirely absent at the end. A crowd of two thousand persons assembled outside the jail, but it remained orderly, indulging in no demonstrations.

The Longest Tunnel

By RALPH HAROLD BRETHERTON.

When the City and South London Tube re-opened recently trains ran through 10 miles of what will soon be the longest tunnel in the world.

The reconstructed South London is 7 miles long, but a link with the Hampstead Tube gives 10 miles of continuous tunnel between Golders Green and Clapham Common. From Clapham Common the tube is being extended to Morden. When next year this extension is opened another 4 miles of tunnel will be added, making 14 in all. Nowhere in those 14 miles will the tunnel have any direct opening to the surface.

So a little tube, originally only about a couple of miles in length, is becoming the longest tunnel that man has ever built. At present it is beaten only by the St. Gothard (9½ miles) and Simplon (12¼ miles) through the Alps. Soon it will beat those two tunnels by nearly a couple of miles.

It is rather surprising, perhaps, that London, with her great system of underground railways, is only now coming into possession of the world's record tunnel. But it is a curious fact about the original Underground, now the Circle, that it has no great continuous length of tunnel.

Apart from the main-line tunnel at Fenge, under the Crystal Palace hills, there was no tunnel of more than a mile in length in London until the district was extended out to Bow about 20 years ago. The long tunnels of the country were the Severn (4½ miles), the Dore, in Derbyshire (3½ miles), and the Standedge and Woodhead through the Pennines, both about 8 miles. These were the tunnels that seemed as if they would never end.

Then came the tubes, and London had the longest in the country—some would have said the longest in the world. One travelled for close on half an hour in trains that made all the noise of speed and never had a glimpse of the upper world until one came up on the other side of London. But, for all London's need of underground facilities for travel and for all the ease with which tubes were driven through her clay, her longest tube, the Piccadilly, gave only 8 miles of continuous tunnel.

Business of the Teacher

The business of the teacher, said Sir Sydney Russell-Wells, a former Vice-President of London University, is to communicate learning and to train character. The education of a teacher, he pointed out, necessitates two things: first, that he shall have the knowledge to communicate; second, that he shall have the art of communicating it. These two things are quite distinct and are often confused in the public mind. Therefore Sir Sydney would make the training and the acquirement of these two portions of the teacher's are separate and distinct. He should acquire knowledge in the open forum of a university. He should take a degree where he will mix with men who are studying medicine, science, law, theology, and engineering on an equal plane so that in after life he can mix with members of all those different professions, and not only meet them on an equal plane but also with that understanding of their aspirations and ideals which comes almost unconsciously when one mixes in the common life of the university with

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students who are studying such diverse subjects. "Moreover, in learning his subjects he wants to come in contact with men who are engaged at the growing age of knowledge. He wants to learn not only that small portion which he will afterwards communicate to his pupils, but also he wants to learn his subjects in that broad and general method which is alone communicated at the University."

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A.A.U. APPROVES DISPUTED SPRINT RECORDS OF PADDOCK AND CLARKE.

Among other business completed at its recent convention in Atlantic City, N.J., the Amateur Athletic Union approved two sprinting records, one by Louis Clarke and the other by Charley Paddock after some dispute. Murray Hulbert, of New York, was elected president to succeed William G. Prout of Boston and Pittsburgh was elected as the 1925 convention city.

The disputed records accepted were a new American mark of 9.45 seconds for the 100 yards indoors, made by Clarke at Baltimore last February, and a record-equaling performance of

93.5 seconds for 100 yards outdoors by Paddock, in winning the national championship at West Orange, N.J., in September. Both represent world records.

Both marks were approved by a majority vote of the convention over the objection of the record committee, whose spokesman, Louis C. Gildsmith, of Philadelphia, refused to approve of either performance. The committee's objections were based in Clarke's case on the ground that one of the three timers showed ten seconds, while in Paddock's case a quartering wind was said to have aided him. Paddock's testimony to the contrary, however, led to the convention's approval.

Paddock's record-breaking time of 20.45 seconds in winning the 220-yard national championship at West Orange also was approved.

Tribute Paid To Paddock.

Tribute to Charley Paddock, national sprint champion, who represented the Southern Pacific Association as a delegate to the A.A.U. convention, was paid by William Prout, retiring president, in his annual report. "The selection of one of the finest athletes who ever competed by one of our district associations as a delegate to this meeting brings very forcibly to our attention the desirability of having our competing athletes retain their interest in the great cause after

they have retired from active competition."

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