

PAINTERS SET UP STRANGEST WORLD RECORD

Ninety-six painters get ready to go to work on a five-room house. The home is a gift from the people of New Brunswick, in New Jersey, to their local hero, a paralyzed ex-serviceman, and his fiancée. Timed by official starters, the painters are out to set up a speed record, in addition to giving their services free.

They've made it - in two minutes and thirty-two seconds.

Surely the strangest speed record in the book, and very near a world record in neighbourly spirit.

Other American challengers for world honours fight it out at Los Angeles, where the hell drivers solve the problem of what to do with your old car. Over here we sell 'em for twice the price. What - still standing up? This calls for the emergency treatment - that'll settle it.

Much more of this - and the hell drivers will be playing harps.