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Smyrne, le 2/15. January 1907.

(A little farther up the hill to the south-west, we come to the "Stadium" whose general outline can easily be recognised, though it no longer shows any trace of its marble seats and decorations. - This was the site of the martyrdom of St. Polycarp, who was here burned to death in the eighty-sixth year of his age. - The Turkish Santon, with the cypress trees, may be considered as the Memorial Tomb of the sainted martyr (see Pococke). - For, according to history, Polycarp's tomb was outside the town, on the road to Ephesus. - It is probable that after A. B. = 330. =, the Smyrneans erected a monument in honour of their beloved bishop near the Stadium. - )

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