

CAN MARS SIGNAL? SCIENTISTS DIFFER

Interplanetary Communication Not Subject for Ridicule. Says Italian Professor

FOOLISH, SAYS ANOTHER

By the Associated Press. Rome, Jan. 30.—Interplanetary communication as suggested by mysterious waves recently caught by wireless plants throughout the world is not a subject for ridicule, says Prof. Domenico Argenti, the widely known scientist. He asserts it is possible to send messages from the earth to other members of the sun's family because ether will convey electric waves as readily as air.

reviewed him recently and quoted him as believing that faint signals picked up by wireless stations might come from some sources outside the earth.

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Spalato (Dalmazia), 28 gennaio.—(tribunale)—Un grandioso comizio fu tenuto nel pomeriggio di ieri per protestare contro le aspirazioni italiane in questa parte dell'Adriatico. Parlarono parecchi oratori i quali furono interrotti da frequenti grida di: "Guerra all'Italia!"

Cable Briefs

Dalmatians at a mass-meeting the other day, held to protest against Italian claims, cried "Down with Italy," "Down with the Entente," "Long Live Mother Russia," and called for war with Italy.

italiana. La folla proseguì pacifica verso il Circolo Italiano che era difeso dai gendarmi. Più tardi furono spezzati i vetri del circolo con colpi di sasso. La folla prima di disperdersi devastò due laboratori italiani.

Roma, 29 gennaio.—La completa cessazione dello sciopero ferroviario è attesa per venerdì. Il Presidente del Consiglio dei Ministri, On. Nitti, e parecchi Ministri del suo Gabinetto furono ricevuti da Re Vittorio Emanuele subito dopo la caduta di un breve stivatore del Consiglio dei Ministri. Più tardi l'On. Nitti ed il Ministro per i trasporti, On. De Vito, ripresero le loro discussioni con i membri del comitato centrale degli scioperanti, allo scopo di raggiungere un accordo sopra poche divergenze riguardo la ripresa del lavoro.

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The French foreign office has been informed by its agents that the Bolsheviki are preparing for an uprising in India next spring in an endeavor to overthrow the British.

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