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UNDER MARTIAL LAW

Vesuvius Still Showers Ashes on Stricken Naples.

KING VICTOR STANDS BY HIS PEOPLE

Collapsed by Weight of Cinders, Sand and Ashes - Matteucci Bravely Holds His Post.

NAPLES, April 13. The city has been placed under martial law. Large con tingents of troops have arrived, afford ing a military force sufficient to suc-cessfully meet all eventualities. The garrison has been doubled and sailors ordered ashore from the squadron in the bay will help to restore and maintain public order.

The situation has ameliorated to some extent, but ashes from Mount Vesuvius are falling everywhere, houses are collapsing and burying their occupants and roads near the volcano are no sooner opened than they are closed again by falling cinders. The inhabitants of this city are enduring a reliow gray atmosphere. The popular costume of those who can afford it consists of automobile couts, caps and goggies, which enables the wearer to maintain a semblance of cleanliness but the people generally have to be



KING VICTOR EMMANUEL

sentented with paper masks and raised ambrellas. The drivers of trelley cars are weating masks of some transparent material under the visors of their caps. More shops were opened, and the city is slowly resuming its normal life. The people, having recovered from the panic of Wednesday, are less sullen and downhearted. The presence of King Victor Emmanuel in Naples. which atways produces a good effect, has acted as a tenie on the Neapolitans. who have a superetitious veneration for his majesty. From early in the day orowds gathered before the palace, where men were heard to exclaim: Long live the king!"

This feeling, however, does not interfere with the Neapolitans' veneration for their saints. A woman in the confide to a friend as follows:

"My daughter, who lives at Torre del Grece, is a refugee. She has been received into the royal palace, lives like a princess and has been spoken to by the queen! May the saints protect her majesty!

The queen visited the charitable institutions here and inspected the places where the refugees are boused.

The latest reports show that 248 houses have been damaged at Portiei, 196 at San Giovanni and Teduccio, 432 at Resina and 1,006 at Torre del Greco. It is impossible to determine the exact number of buildings at Torre Annungiata. It is estimated that about \$.000 houses in all have been partly or entirely destroyed. In the villages on the Ottajano side of the mountain all the houses are damaged. At Nola desolation reigns, the place having been almest completely abandoned. A committee has been formed to col-

lect funds and organize assistance for get an idea of the desolate impression the relief of the sufferers. It is presided over by the Duke of Aosta. The government headed the subscription it enlists the sympathy of the civilized list with \$100,000.

The amount collected is \$300,000. From the observatory on Mount Vesuvius, where Director Matteucci is continuing his work in behalf of science and humanity, the scene is one of great impressiveness. To reach the observatory one must walk for miles over hardened but hot lava covered with sand until he comes to a point from whence nothing can be seen but vast, gray reaches, sometimes flat and sometimes gathered into huge mounds which take on semblances of human faces. Above the beavens are gray like the earth beneath and seem just as hard and immovable. In all this lonely waste there is no sign of life or vegetation, and no sound is heard except the low mutterings of the volcano. One seems almost impelled to scream aloud drove a triplet to right field, Harlan to break the horrible stillness of a land

Every day that passes gives new ed brilliantly evidence of the magnitude of the ca-tastrophe. The visit of King Victor Emmanuel to Ottajano revealed new tragedies. At a certain point his majes ty was obliged to abandon his motor oar and went forward on horseback amid constant danger, his horse floundering through four feet of ashes, stumbling into holes, blinded by the performers who have come to this tall of large cinders and the target for failing basaltic masses. In the resence of the king 129 more bodies were extricated from the ruins, while ashee and red sand fell as though they were determined not to relinquish their

eletims. The dond at Ottajano are said The king was deathly pale. To a

parish priest who came to him he said. "I put myself in safety," replied the

"What do you mean?" asked the President Mitchell Declines

'How did you escape?"

"Realizing the danger," was th priest's reply, "I had left for Nola." The king flushed with anger. "What!" he cried. "You, a minister of God, were not here to share the danger of your people and administer the last sacraments? You did very wrong."

AN EVEWITNESS.

Scenes on Slope of Venuvius Described

by Special Correspondent. NEW YORK, April 13.-The follow ing description of the conditions sur rounding Mount Vesuvius has been sent here by Robert Underwood John

"I had the unexpected opportunity to realize the magnitude of the disaster by personal observation in a trip en tirely around Vesuvius.

"Since the Chicago fire I have seen nothing so terribly impressive. Twenty years will not repair the damage, including the destruction of four whole villages. With a change of wind or slightly greater propulsion of the seismic force the same fate might extend to other segments of the circle of which Vesuvius is the center. Arriving from Rome two hours late by train. joined a party of two Italian gentlemen and two English ladies, including Miss Underwood, the Roman correspondent of the London Standard, We caught a train for Torre Annunziate three miles this side of Pompeli and two miles from the southern and of the wedge of lava which destroyed Boscotrecase. We had a magnificent view of the eruption, eight miles away, and could see the black clouds of ashes and cinders even reaching to Capri. At Torre del Grece we ran under this terrifying pall.

"We reached Torre Annunciata at 3 in the morning and walked over the lava at a picturesque, cypress planted cemetery on the northern boundary of Torre Annunsiata. It was as if the dead bad effectually cried out o arrest the crushing river of flame which pitilessly engulfed the statue of St. Afine, with which the people of Besco Reale tried to stay it, as at Catenia the veil of St. Agatha is said to have stayed a similar stream from

"We climbed the lava beds. It was cool above, but still alive with fire be-We could see dimly the extent of the destruction beyond the barrier of brown which had closed the streets torn down the houses, invaded the vineyards and broken Cook's railways.

"We saw north what was left of Becestreease-a great, equare, stone chusch and a few houses taland in a sea of dull, brown lava. North and east rose a thousand patches of blue smoke, like swamp minema. All was dull and desolate slag, with nowhere the familiar serpentine forms of the old lava streams. In terrible contrast with the volcanic evidences were lias in a neighboring cemetery

"What was my surprise to find no new lava at San Giuseppe. Four towns were here destroyed in differ ent ways-namely, by rain, cinders and ashes which could not be skirted for they lay everywhere in a mass which had broken nearly every roof within the area of thirty miles by ten. From the lave, which was moving several feet a minute, we had no difficulty in escaping.

"At Boscotreease the carabinier drove the people before the flery avalanche, but the firmsily built houses were no protection against the blissard of cinders and ashes tasking the roofs or strongly built walls. The wedge east of the volcano thus destroyed ex tends ten miles at least, with a width of twenty or thirty miles. Fancy a rich and thickly populated country of vineyards lying under three to six nobes of ashes and cinders of the color of chocolate with milk, while above. to the west, the volcane in full activity is distributing to the outer edges of the circle the same fate, and you will of the scene, a tragedy colossal and beartrending. Like that of Calabria, world. It takes time for such a calamity to be realized."

Goelet Party View Eruption. PALERMO, Sicily, April 13. - The

American steam yacht Nahma, with Mrs. Robert Goelet and a party of They witnessed the eruption of Mount Vesuvius from Amalfi, on the bay of Salerno, not far from Naples, and give a vivid description of the scene.

Princeton Won Close Came. CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., April 16 .- Princeton won a ninth inning vic tory over Virginia by the score of 2 to 1 after a brilliant contest. With the score a tie and two men out in the ninth Vaughn, the Exeter freshman, scoring. Virginia's freshman pitcher. seemingly forgotten both by God and Susong, allowed only one hit in the first seven innings. Both teams field-

> Cingulose Refused a Landing. BOSTON, April 13 .- Fifty Cingalese who arrived here on the German steamer Werdenfels from Caylon were refused the privilege of landing by the immigration officials. The party is one of dancers, suske charmers and other country for exhibition purposes.

WICHITA, Kan., April 13.-A special dispatch says that a ternado occurred last night at Stafford. Several perions were injured, seven houses were destroyed and many other buildings

Offer of Operators.

MINERS MODIFY THEIR DEMANDS.

Of Without Any Settlement-Men's Convention May Declare State of Strike.

NEW YORK, April 13.-John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Work. ers, has declined to accept the counter proposition for arbitration made by the anthracite operators on Tuesday and submitted at the same time a counter proposal on the miners' behalf eliminating the miners' request for recognition of the union and modifying the demand for the check off system. It submitted for arbitration to the unthracite strike commission, appointed ards was received with cheers about three years ago by President

In answer to the proposition of the miners President Baer of the Phila delphia and Reading simply said:

We regret that you have not a cepted our propositions. We do not feel that we can modify them. We will hereafter answer your communication of this date by letter, or if you desire a further meeting the time can be arranged now or be bereafter fixed by the respective chairmen."

The meeting theu adjourned, subject to the call of both chairmen, Mesers. Baer and Mitchell.

The miners were greatly surprised at this curt response by the spokesman for the operators. Mr. Mitchell had expected a long discussion at the conference over the questions in dispute.

President Truesdale of the Lacks wanna railroad was asked to explain Chairman Baer's brief statement. He said that it could be accepted as mean ing that the operators stand absolute ly by their counter proposition submitted on Tuesday. As the situation stands now, Mr. Truesdale thought it was not too much to say that negotiations between the operators and the miners had practically been suspended Later Mr. Mitchell was asked

"From what side did the proposi tion to adjourn subject to call come? "From the operators," said Mr. Mitchell

In answer to further questions Mr Mitchell said:

"Our position is this: It is up to th operators to accept our proposition of yesterday or to submit their proposals of last Tuesday, together with ours of yesterday, to the strike commission for their decision as to which proposition should be considered as subject to arbitrament. That is a fair position to assume in my opinion. I shall en deavor to call the scale committee together at once instead of tonight, as in each instance the home team lost. was the original plan."

While there is still hope that a peacefound, the meeting did not bring the centending parties closer together. In fact, they appear to have almost reached the limit of their negotiations. If the operators should decline to eutertain either of the propositions submitted by the miners it is probable s convention of miners will be called, at which the delegates will declare that a strike exists.

Briefly stated, the offer made by President Mitchell was a resubmission of the miners' original demands, with two amendments, and in case they are not accepted he proposes that the whole controversy be placed before the strike commission.

Diver Killed by Premature Blast. JACKSON, Mich., April 13.-Louis Tebe of Detroit, one of the best known submarine divers on the lower lakes, was instantly killed and Fred Crosswaithe, another diver, fatally injured by an explosion of dynamite. The wo divers were searching Michigan Center lake for the body of a hunter frowned several days ago and had placed a quantity of dynamite to explode under the water in the hope of oringing the body to the surface. The lynamite was prematurely exploded by mistake before the men could get

Sensational Robbery at Stong City. SIOUX CITY, Ia., April 18 .- A sensation in church circles has been caus ed here by arrests of alleged conspira tors ou a charge of systematically robfriends on board, has arrived here. bing the big Pelletler dry goods estab ishment. C. C. Waud, a graduate of the State university and a prominent church worker, attempted suicide by drowning and is now in a hospital suf fering from nervous prostration as a result of the discovery that a warrant for his arrest was out. Mrs. M. J. Merrill is also under arrest.

> Postmen's Strike Causing Trouble. PARIS, April 13.- In the chamber of leputies a resolution of confidence in the government was adopted, 466 to 86, on a Socialistic interpellation demanding an amelioration in the conditions of postmen and a recognition of their rights to federate. M. Barthou minister of public works, in respond ing to the interpellation said that be would quit the ministry in the event of the chamber disapproving of his action with regard to the striking postmen.

> TAMAQUA, Pla., April 13.-Jacob Koch, a farmer, was held up on the mountain between Lewistown and Tuscarors by a young man who were mask, a belt filled with cartridges, two revolvers to boleters and a pair of riding boots. He leveled a revolver at Koch and made him disgorge \$40.

Weather Probabilities

YAMA CHRISTY AT BENNINGS.

Belmont Horse, Okenite, Disqualified In Second on Foul. WASHINGTON, April 13,-No better

events have been carded at the present meeting of the Washington Jockey club at Bennings than those offered, al of the six events being tilled well and

the sport excellent

The first serious trouble of the meet ng grew out of the second race, a twoyear-old event, in which August Bel mont's Okenite was made an odds on favorite. After committing what seem ed from the stand to be a palpable fou Okenite jumped out in front in the first furlong and won eased up at the end by four lengths. He evidently was the best borse in the race. So much grumbling has been beard about fouls in previous races that the judges took a long discussion Okenite was disqualified, Orphan Lad, which ran second, being declared the winner, with was also agreed that the grievances be Black Knight second and Bettle Landon third. The decision of the stew

> In the opening event, a handicap a five and a half furlongs. Pater was made the favorite, with Bohemia a sec ond and Race King a third choice That is the way they finished.

Tickle closed a favorite in the third but Lackey was the better and won handily. Tickle got the place without extending herself from Waddell II. Among the cross country horses which started in the fourth, a steeple-

chase at two miles, there was little choice, most of them being green at the jumps. Fergus was made a lukewarm favorite, with Valley Forge heavily played. The latter lost all chance by falling badly at the Liverpeol, giving his jockey, Donahue, nasty cropper. With Valley Forge out of it Yama Christy had no difficulty in winning from the favorite, with Harry Baylor third.

While Frills was the favorite, Adonis was played for a "good thing" in the nith, with Lotowanna as a strong choice. The last named went to the front at the rising of the barrier and held the position to the wire. High Brush got the place; and Adonie show-

The Virginia contingent made T. Martin the favorite in the sixth, but he was unable to beat Yorkshire Lad not withstanding the difference of eleven pounds in weight. Merlingo, which was strongly touted to win, was able

BASEBALL SCORES

Played Yesterday by the No

NEW YORK, April 13.-The Nation al league baseball season opened with the eastern and western teams playing in their respective divisions and with favorable weather conditions in each city where the games were scheduled. There were games in Brooklyn, Phila delphia, Cincinnati and St. Louis, and

At Philadelphia-New York

Yale Went Down In Defeat. WASHINGTON, April 13.-Yale suffored defeat at the hands of Georgetown in a clean and pretty game. Yale's one error, a hit and a steal gave Georgetown their total rune. Simon of Georgetown made a fine catch of a dy after a bard run, and Madden of Yale cut off a drive which apparently was good for three bases. Kinney's

work at third for Yale was a feature.

Elliott and Precious Stone. NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 13.-Big fields were the rule at Cumberland park, and the betting was good, four favorites winning. M. J. Daly captured two purses with Elliott and Precious Stone. In the steeplechase Russell Sage was well backed at a long price and had no trouble in winning from Dr. Nowlin, the favorite.

Gold Enamel Galloped Home. NEW ORLEANS, April 13. Mamie Woodstock were the winning favorites at the Fair grounds. Outclassing his company, Gold Enamel won in a gallop, but Mamie Algol and Pride of Woodstock were driven hard to win

Fountain Blue at Oaklawn. HOT SPRINGS, Ark., April 13. Fountain Blue, becalded as the best colt at Oaklawu, made his debut, win ning easily and at the same time clip ping one-fifth of a second off the track record for four furlougs. Four favor-Won After Two Years' Trying.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.-Leash, after trying for two years to win s race, finally captured the second event at Oakland at odds of 30 to 1. The public picked Cabin to win at 1 to 2. but he failed to get a place.

Saflors Beaten Again. ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 18. - The midshipmen were defeated the second time this season, their opponents being the nine of Columbia college, who won

Johns Hopkins Won. BALTIMORE, April 18.-The base bell team of Johns Hopkins university defeated that, of Lebigs university by & score of 8 to 8.

JAKE SCHAEFER WON SATURDAY Wizard Made Brilliant Display

as Billiard Expert.

SLOSSON DEFEATED MORNINGSTAR

Albert G. Cutter Beaten by 186 Silk Specials Points in Dazzling Game-Former Champion Made a Record Run of 153.

NEW YORK, April 13.-When the game in the world's championship bil llard tournament began between Jake Schaefer and Albert G. Cutler the Boston man won the bank, but did no make the opening score. Cutler got the this matter under consideration. After balls in fair position and made a run of 15. Schaefer started off in east fashion, but his billiards shope with brilliancy that dazzled the Boston play er as well as the spectators. Masses draws, drives and coaxing nurses followed each other at a lively rate until be ran out in the sixteenth inning. Score-Schaefer, 500; Cutler, 366. In the previous game George Slossor

defeated Orlando Morningstar by a score of 500 to 388. Morningstar play ed excellently during the early innings Slosson playing poorly up to the fif teenth inning, when he made 16, his first double figures.

At the end of that inning Morning star led by a score of 214 to 58. Slos son made a splendid spurt in the twen ty-ninth inning, with a run of 153, the highest run of the tournament up to date, and followed up with 108 in the thirtieth inning. The game was wor by Slosson with an unfinished run of 25 in the thirty-second inning.

DENIES MORMON STORY

Elijah III., in Good Shape, Will Make No Compromise.

CHICAGO, April 13.-To a representtive of the press the Zion "prophet, Dowle, emphatically denied the truth of a report that he agreed secretly with a commission of Mormon mis sionaries to turn over to the Mormon church Zion and all of its vast hold

The only possible basis for this story, ie explained, was that some months go a coterie of Mormon missionaries appeared in the streets of Zion and dis tributed pamphlets expounding the doctrines of Mormonism. According to the statements of Dowle and his counselors, these men were ejected from the city.

Dowle and all the members of the earty now with him in Chicago deny tories to the effect that a movement is on foot to compromise with Voliva Dowle says: "I am not going to Mexco. I am going to Zion.

Speaking of rumors that he the verge of physical collapse. Dowle said be had not felt better since he left Zion. His looks corroborated his words

Rate Bill Holds the Senate brief speech by Mr. Latimer in sup port of the house railroad rate bill Mr. Foraker took the floor on that measure and consumed practically all of the remainder of the session. He spent some time in the discussion of some of the amendments he has suggested to the bill and then entered upon the consideration of the entire question of railroad rate regulation, urging again the unconstitutionality of the pending bill rom various points of view. Mr. Lodge spoke briedy in support of the practice of granting lower rates on

those used in domestic consumption.

goods intended for export than on

ALBANY, N. Y., April 13.-Senator Hinman's bill to standardize and regulate the practice of osteopathy in a manner similar to that governing other schools of healing in this state passed the senate with comparatively little opposition and goes now to the assembly. The vote on the bill was 32 to **Umbrellas** 12, and of those who voted in opposition to the measure only one. Senator Marks of New York, attacked the bill. The assembly passed unanimously, after defeating several proposed amendments, the special committee's bill generally amending the insurance law.

Washington Debaters Won. WASHINGTON, April 13.- The first annual debate between the George Washington university of this city and the University of Cincinnati was held here at the Belasco theater and result ed in a victory for the George Wash-Algol, Gold Enamel and Pride of ington university debaters. The subject of debate was, "Resolved. That the effect of capitalistic combinations call ed trusts is detrimental to the interests of the wage earning classes."

> WASHINGTON, April 13 .- At the is stance of the department of the inte rior the war department has taken steps to send whatever military force way be necessary to protect the Indian agent, Major O. C. Edwards, on the Umatilla agency, in Oregon, from the Indians, who have threatened to do him bodily barm

Greene and Gaynor Guilty. SAVANNAH, Ga., April 13 .- John F Gaynor and Benjamin D. Greene were found guilty by a jury of embezzle, ment from the United States govern ment in connection with harbor im provement contract frauds, for which Captain Oberlin D. Carter was convicted some years ago.

New Yorks Defeated Newark. NEW YORK, April 13. In an exhi bition game at American League park the New York team defeated the Newark (N. J.) Eastern league club by a score of 5 to 0. Batteries-Hogg, Clarkson and McGuire; Feretch and McCau-ley, Hesterfer and Shee.

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