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## ALL ITALY EXCITED

### Defeat in Abyssinia Worse Than First Reported.

#### OVER FIVE THOUSAND KILLED

#### The Wounded Feared to Have Met a Horrible Fate—Great Clamor Against Crispi.

ROME, March 4.—The kingdom of Italy is filled with excitement, grief and anger almost beyond description. Every dispatch from Massowah adds to the gravity of the disaster to the Italian army at Adowa, Alsais. When the first news of General Barateri's defeat reached the city, report had it that only 500 men had been killed. Then yesterday afternoon the number ran up to 3,000 killed, and 60 pieces of artillery captured. This morning's dispatches place the number of killed in the battle and the long harassing retreat, which followed, at 5,000. It is believed not even these figures tell the full extent of the disaster.

No mention is made of the wounded, and there is good reason, based on stories of recent Italian defeats by Abyssinians, to believe those who fell wounded during the retreat of over 50 miles met a more horrible fate than those killed on the spot.

Throughout the night the garrison here was kept under arms, and mounted patrols traversed the principal streets. The streets were filled with people until daybreak, and after early morning every public place was crowded with excited men and women. Several disturbances which called for police interference occurred today, and indications are that the people are assuming a most threatening attitude, not only in Rome but throughout Italy. Demonstrations against Crispi's ministry and ever against the crown are reported from the provinces, in spite of the fact that the authorities were straining every nerve to suppress all alarming news.

Later in the day news from the provinces became more alarming. It was stated that in a number of places the police were unable to cope with the populace, and troops had to be called on to restore order. The soldiers, however, appear to have been as helpless as the police and in several places the crowds were fired upon.

At Milan the troops, after vainly trying to disperse a mob, were obliged to fire. This increased the excitement. The troops were stoned and had to clear the public square at the point of the bayonet.

Dispatches from Venice say last night a crowd assembled at Plaza St. Mark, and speeches were made condemning the military authorized to try General Barateri by court martial. There was another popular demonstration against the government this morning, and the mob was dispersed by the police with the greatest difficulty after a number of arrests had been made.

At Padua today a mob marched through the streets hooting the government officials and crying for the downfall of the Crispi Ministry.

At Verona there was a similar demonstration. It is believed that nothing short of the downfall of Signor Crispi and the dispatch of strong reinforcements to Africa will satisfy the public clamor.

Shortly before noon it was announced that General Barateri had been recalled to Rome, and his conduct of the present campaign and his defeat of Adowa will be inquired into. Socialists declare the general should be shot as an example to others, and the minister of war should share his fate.

The army reserves of 1872, numbering about 80,000 men, are being called to the standard, but it is feared there will be serious rioting when the men muster in large bodies.

News of the death of General Al-

tone and Dabormida has been confirmed. It is believed over 500 other Italian officers of lesser rank have been slain.

#### HELD BY THE POSTMASTER.

#### Mayor Sutr's Messages Refused Passage Through the Mails.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—On orders from postoffice department headquarters at Washington a large number of letters sent out by Mayor Sutr's bureau of information, which he has been using to warn the nation's representatives at Washington of the schemes of C. P. Huntington, have been seized by Postmaster McCoppin and refused passage through the mails.

Shortly after the story had been printed that the concurrent resolution passed by the last legislature against the Riley funding bill had failed to reach the eyes for which it was intended, the bureau began sending out facsimiles of a cartoon representing Huntington holding the resolution behind his back to prevent members of congress from seeing it.

Across the top of the envelopes was printed in bold red letters:

"C. P. Huntington would not steal a red-hot stove."

The letters had hardly reached Washington when various members of the senate and house sent complaints to the postoffice department objecting to such missives being delivered to them, and asking protection for the future.

A telegram was sent to San Francisco instructing Postmaster McCoppin to stop all such letters delivered at the office under his charge for mailing. This was accordingly done, and several envelopes bearing the words to which the department objects are now held in McCoppin's care.

Don't forget to call at the New Candy Factory and try some of the fresh chocolate creams, marshmallow taffy, carbonated peanut and almond bar. Remember that W. T. Moore manufactures his own candies and uses non-poisonous colors. Give him a call.

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JAMES BLAKENEY, City Marshal.

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#### Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City Ill. was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Blakeley & Houghton's Drug Store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1 00.

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WM. MICHELL, County Treas.

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