

Italy Developing Power Resources

Water Will Produce Electricity Equivalent to 12,000,000 Tons of Coal.

By International News Service. Rome, April 11.—Italy is taking a leading place among the foremost nations of the world in developing her power resources. In six or seven years water-driven power stations will be in full working order, and they will produce 10,000,000 kilowatt hours of electricity, equivalent to the product of 12,000,000 tons of coal.

Italy's leading economist estimates there is water available in the country to generate as much electricity as could be obtained from 30,000,000 tons of coal yearly.

This development in the production of energy will be of untold benefit to the industries of the country. Italy is not rich in coalfields, and it has had to pay dearly in recent years for its coal imports; but the production of cheap electrical power will cut down these imports to the minimum.

Industries, while obtaining power at less cost, will simultaneously wipe out the present heavy expenditure of coal.

It is truly said that electricity now stirs the pulses of Italy from the Alps to the farthest ends of the country.

Three Great Centers. One of the biggest schemes at the present moment is to link up the three great commercial centers—Turin, Milan and Genoa—with a triangular electric railroad system. This will completely change the face of Italy from the industrial viewpoint.

Genoa is destined to become the center for seaborne trade for Northern Italy. The railroad from Rome northward, via Pisa, will also be electrified, and the time for the journey considerably reduced.

Italian engineers are working on extensive plans for harnessing the mountain rivers.

One such scheme was completed last year. The largest dam in the world, on the multiple-arch system, stores the waters of the Tirso and produce power for the whole of Sardinia. The lake holds 450,000,000 cubic meters of water.

Mountain Basins. Upward of 100 mountain basins have been completed in Italy. Others are in process of construction, the most notable being the Sila Lakes, in Calabria, which will furnish all the power needed for the electrification of the entire southern railroad system, including Sicily.

Agriculturists are beginning to realize the enormous benefits to be obtained from the use of electricity. In many southern provinces farmers still cling to primitive methods. Production is low, but this will be changed by the use of power.

It is hoped to reclaim extensive tracts of marshland by the use of electrically driven pumps. An example of this is found in central Italy, where 2,000 acres of reclaimed land are now being cultivated.

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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This is Poom-Pah and her three little Pooms, now three weeks old. The girl is Frieda Arndt, 18, bookkeeper, stenographer and clerk in the grocery emporium of M. Frank, 1127 Park avenue.

Poom-Pah and her three little ones dwell in the cellar of the grocery where they are a constant terror to the mice and rats.

The reason why Poom-Pah and her family got their pictures in this paper is that they have six toes on each front foot. Common cats and even the finest Persians and Angoras have only five.

Poom-Pah's front feet when she stands look like elephant feet—they are so full of toes. All the toes are down on the ground line and all are well-formed toes, each armed with a sharp claw.

Poom-Pah is not a bit stuck up about her extraordinary toes. She knows about her business of mouse-catching and raising the three little Pooms as if she were a common five-toed cat.

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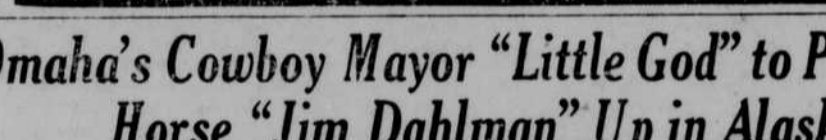
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School Pupils' Bucket Brigade Saves House From Being Destroyed

Bridgeport, Neb., April 11.—By forming a bucket brigade with the students he was driving to school in the school truck of Rawhide district near Torrington, Wyo., Stanley Hoy saved his own house from destruction by fire Thursday.

Just as he came over a hill, en route to the school, he saw smoke and flames issuing from his residence, and he got busy at once, with the assistance of the teacher, students and neighbors. They managed to confine the flames to the kitchen.

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Wages for Cowboys

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Hardest Human Task

It was simply the hardest task that any man ever did, facing those north winds at 40 to 50 below zero and standing guard over the cattle when they milled all night in from one to two feet of snow.

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feet high in the valleys the mercury may read below, but at an elevation of 8,000 feet, it never gets lower than 32 below last night and generally it is only about zero. The snow gets quite deep along the coast, but never so deep in the interior of the country.

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