

The Earthquake in the Riviera.

The earthquake horror has again invaded Europe, and whether the destruction to life and property be or be not as great as at first reported the visitation is sure to be calamitous. As yet the accounts received, coming as they do from various points, are necessarily contradictory. The centre of intensity seems to have been near the middle of the Genoese Riviera, but the "wave" extended southeasterly as far as Bari, on the Adriatic, and was perceptible in the vicinity of Mount Etna, in Sicily. The seismoscopes at Turin had ceased to show any agitation on the evening of the 24th instant. The disturbance and path of movement were recorded by the instruments at the signal office in Washington. The rate of transmission, as roughly calculated, was five hundred miles an hour. The French districts on the Mediterranean continuous with the Italian coast affected, do not appear to have suffered much actual damage, but the panic must always be a serious interruption to business and travel. The suspense caused by the expectation at any moment of crushing disaster is the most harrowing sensation of which the human mind is susceptible. The presence of the Prince of Wales at Cannes, near enough to the scene of disturbance for the shocks to be felt, has naturally occasioned some anxiety in England. King Charles and Queen Olga of Wurtemberg are at Nice. As yet it is impossible to speak with confidence of the extent of character of the catastrophe, and we can only hope that the early reports have somewhat exaggerated the loss of life and injury to person and property. The great danger is lest—like the last outbreak of seismic disturbance in Greece—the Riviera earthquake may have its complement in some other part of the world. Instances of synchronous or closely consecutive earth movements in regions far apart have been frequently observed, and Charleston is so fresh in the public memory that it is not necessary to insist on the possibility of such a coincidence. On this head, however, the Washington observers do not seem to be apprehensive at present. Italy has been for ages a favorite field for the display of earthquakes and volcanic phenomena—no less than 390 visitations of this kind being on record there during the present century. For the most part the disturbance has been farther south, Calabria and Sicily having been most frequently devastated.

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