



*The city of Naples, Italy*



*The Ruins of Pompeii*

down for two days of bad weather. We rolled so badly that 34 life rafts were lost from the sides of the ship and we had to turn into the sea at mealtimes so that those who were eating could keep their food on their trays long enough to eat it. The Italians were so sick the first day that their mess detail didn't show up to prepare their food, and all they got to eat that day was bread and coffee. They were so hungry the next day that mess detail showed up whether they were sick or not.

Sight-seeing was by far the main attraction at Naples. The main trouble was that we didn't stay there long enough to really see the best sights. Pompeii and Mt. Vesuvius were seen by everybody who had a chance but the Isle of Capri, Rome and other highly interesting places had to be passed up. Naples itself wasn't in very good condition after all the fighting which



*The Coliseum, Pompeii*