

KING OF GREECE SEES VOLCANIC EARTH

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King Paul of the Hellenes, Queen Frederika and their three children visited the famous volcanic earth region at Pozzuoli, in the Province of Naples. The hot mud pools, reeking of sulphur, have bubbled with menace here since the first records of ancient Rome. Sulphur is mined here and the pozzolana earth itself has been used for centuries in the making of cement and concrete.... The King's two daughters were on their way to school in Switzerland. He and the Queen are visiting America. Having seen Pozzuoli, there's no temptation to linger.

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