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Colder in East Portion

# THE EVENING TELEGRAM

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LEADS THE WAY  
EVERY DAY"

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ROCKY MOUNT, N. C., SATURDAY AFTERNOON, MARCH 6, 1920.

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## ENGINEER WILSON KILLED IN A TRAIN WRECK AT LUCAMA

### Colored Fireman also Meets Death when Havana Special is Derailed

### SCORE OF PASSENGERS SHAKEN AND BRUISED

### Train was Running Eight Hours Late When Accident Occurred—8 Cars Thrown from Tracks— Trains are Detoured.

Engineer Robert Wilson, of this city, and George Kent, his negro fireman, were killed and a score of passengers shaken and bruised when the Havana Special of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, known as train No. 58, was derailed about 7:45 a. m. at Lucama, Va., on the morning of Friday, March 5. The train was running eight hours late when the accident occurred. Eight cars, including the mail and baggage car, were thrown from the right of way and 20 of the 30 cars of the train, which has not yet been completely cleared, were derailed. The news of the accident spread quickly in this city and scores of mourners of the victims of the wreck gained considerable interest in the streets. Physicians and nurses were rushed to the scene of the wreck and a special train from Wilson and Kent and twenty passengers who were hurt or less than hurt and were taken to the hospital.

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## PLANS READY FOR MCLENDON MEETING

### Advance Manager Evans List's Party Arrives in City Today

Preparations for the McLendon meeting which will start March 10, were well advanced today. Mr. Evans, advance manager of the McLendon meeting, arrived in the city today and after making arrangements for the meeting, he will continue the preparations for the meeting. The McLendon meeting will be held in the city and will be a very important one. The meeting will be held in the city and will be a very important one.

## Miss Gravely Bride Of Mr. Kenly McGee

Coming as a complete surprise to their many friends on this city and throughout the state, the marriage of Miss Lavinia Gravely to Mr. Kenly H. McGee, both of this city, took place in Greensboro, W. Va., according to a telegram received here by relative yesterday. Both the bride and groom are most prominent in the city and a number of friends who will witness the marriage with great interest. The groom is the son of Captain and Mrs. W. H. McGee and occupies a responsible position with the China American tobacco and trading company, while the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Gravely, a former student of Salem College and one of the most charming personalities of the city. After a trip to northern points, Mr. and Mrs. McGee will return to this city Tuesday and will be at home at 217 South Church street.

## TWO MISTAKES, TWO GUNS, TWO DEAD

### Wynona, Okla., March 5—Roland Mc Guire and John Blair were carrying guns. Both are dead. They met in the dark and mistook each other for high- waymen.

## PRESIDENT'S VIEW SURPRISES SENATE

### Senators Working for Com- promise Express Great Disappointment

### HOPES ARE SINKING

### Negotiations on Treaty Will Continue but Chances for Ratification are Greatly Diminished—Compromise was Expected.

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## READY FOR FIGHT ON CATTLE TICKS

### Federal Officials Hope to Clean up More Than 90 Counties

Washington, March 6.—Federal officials are ready to begin a campaign to clean up more than 90 counties in the South of the United States. The campaign is being led by the Department of Agriculture and is aimed at eradicating the cattle tick, a pest which has caused a great deal of damage to the cattle industry in the South.

## ENGLISH WOMEN AFTER EDUCATION

### Women of British Empire Begin to See Cash Value of University Work

London, March 6.—The women of the British Empire are beginning to see the cash value of university education. This is a significant change in the attitude of women in the British Empire and is a result of the efforts of the women's movement. The women are now beginning to see that university education is not only a means of personal advancement but also a means of financial independence.

## WILL LEAVE IT TO YOU WHAT TO STAND FOR

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## STEWART OSBORNE

### Stewart Osborne, a prominent businessman, was charged with embezzlement of funds from the Rocky Mount Electric Light and Power Company.

## PRESIDENT STANDS FIRM IN OPPOSING ARTICLE 10 CHANGE

### Made Clear his Attitude on any Compromise to Sen- ator Glass

### SIMMONS WITH THOSE ADVOCATING CHANGES

### Administration Officials De- clare North Carolina Sen- ator and Others Should Work on Lodge and Not on President.

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## HUGE SKELETON AT AMERICAN MUSEUM

### Skeleton of Dinosaur is Cal- culated to be Sixty Mil- lion Years Old

New York, March 6.—A huge skeleton of a dinosaur, calculated to be sixty million years old, was discovered at the American Museum of Natural History. The skeleton is the largest ever discovered and is a very important find for paleontologists.

## Will Issue Bonds For Improving Fair Grounds

Richmond, Va., March 6.—The city of Richmond is expected to issue bonds for the improvement of the fair grounds. The bonds will be used to pay for the construction of new buildings and the improvement of the grounds. The city officials are confident that the bonds will be sold successfully.

## International Suffrage Meeting Held in Spain

Madrid, March 6.—An international suffrage meeting was held in Madrid, Spain, today. The meeting was attended by delegates from many countries and was a very important one. The delegates discussed the state of suffrage in their respective countries and agreed on a number of resolutions.

## IN POLICE COURT

### Following cases were dis- posed of in police court today: E. J. Jackson and Ed. Taylor were charged with reckless driving. The former was found not guilty, while Taylor was suspended against the latter.

## PENNSYLVANIA NOW IN GRIP OF SEVERE STORMS AND FLOODS

### Freezing Temperatures Ex- pected Check Damages of Raging Floods

### NUMEROUS FACTORIES OUT OF COMMISSION

### Shipping and Trolley Traffic Completely Tied Up—Wire Service Badly Crumpled— Houses and Mills Along Streams Destroyed.

Philadelphia, March 6.—Pennsylvania is now in the grip of severe storms and floods. The weather is very bad and there are heavy rains. The floods are causing a great deal of damage to property and are making it difficult to travel. The weather is expected to continue to be bad for several days.

## DANIELS ASKS FOR BIG NAVY IN CASE TREATY IS BLOCKED

### Secretary is not Satisfied With Recommendations of General Board

### DECLARES THERE IS NO MIDDLE GROUND

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## HOOKWORM SCARE FACES PORTA RICA

### More Hookworm in Country Than Anywhere Else, Say Experts

Sanchez, Puerto Rico, March 6.—The people of Puerto Rico are being warned of a hookworm scare. Experts say that there is more hookworm in the country than anywhere else. The hookworm is a very dangerous parasite and can cause a great deal of damage to the human body.

## Charles Ross Named As The Page Manager

Richmond, Va., March 6.—Charles Ross, of the Richmond News Leader, has been named as the page manager of the Richmond News Leader. Ross is a very experienced newspaperman and is expected to do a very good job of the page.

## Railway Strike In Portugal Settled

Lisbon, Portugal, March 6.—A railway strike in Portugal has been settled. The railway workers have agreed to return to work and the railway service is expected to resume normal operations. The strike was a very important one and has caused a great deal of disruption to the railway service.

## MAKES APPEAL FOR FRENCH ORPHAN FUNDS

### Attention of many local citizens who donated French orphans is being called to the attention of the work here and they are asked to contribute to the fund.

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