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Outlines.

Admiral Togo reports that the Japanese fleet suffered no serious damage in the sea fight with the Russian fleet... Two fine carriage horses owned by Mr. S. J. Davis killed on the Suburban Line Early Last Night.

Weather Report.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Aug. 13. The weather for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M., the temperature: 8 A. M., 74 degrees; 10 A. M., 77 degrees; maximum, 86 degrees; minimum, 71 degree; mean, 78 degrees.

Local Dots.

Other locals, fourth page. The steamer "City of Fayetteville" brought down an excursion from Fayetteville and intermediate points on the river yesterday. An excursion from Rowland, N. C., via Pee Dee, S. C., brought about 150 excursionists, mostly colored, yesterday. They returned last night.

A COLLISION WITH HORSES.

Two fine carriage horses owned by Mr. S. J. Davis, the Market street liveryman, ran into a head-on collision with Suburban Car No. 39, Motorman McCall and Conductor Riggs, early last night between Airline station and Macomber's store, on Wrightsville Sound, and one of them was instantly killed, while the second was so badly broken up that he had to be shot.

There were a number of passengers on the car, including Mr. S. J. Springer, who, when he saw that one of the animals was broken up past recovery, shot him in the head at the direction of the railway authorities. The fender of the car was pretty badly smashed up.

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COME FOR AN OUTING.

Children from Odd Fellows' Orphanage at Goldsboro Will Be Here Tuesday. LAYING OF CORNER STONE. Will Participate in Elaborate Ceremonies by U. O. F. of Wilmington—Where and How the Children Will Be Entertained—Home.

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Specials for one Week. 25 per cent. off on Shirts, Waists, 12c. India Linen and Per-sian Laces 9c.

Platt & Haar, 114 Market Street. There seems to be a return to favor of the circular skirt, illustrated on page 3 of the same issue, and other prominent styles are a riding skirt and coat.

The Slaughter Sale

I will continue my cut price sale the balance of this month to made room for a handsome line of SILVERWARE that I expect to put in this fall. If you need any China, Glassware or Lamps now is your chance.

DON'T PHONE!

We'd prefer you'd come yourself and see what we have in an especially attractive and complete line of drugs and drug sundries—Toilet Articles, Perfumes, Extracts, etc. Connors' profumery our line of Tobaccos and Cigars the equal of any in the city.

ADOLPH G. AHRENS,

107 Princess street.

AS SOON AS LIGHTED

A Gas Range

is ready for business. TRY COOKING WITH GAS. au 13 2t

SOLE AGENTS FOR MERCER & EVANS COMPANY,

116 Princess St., SELL FINE FOOTWEAR

SHOES

on the lowest basis of a living profit. By their Cash-on-Approval system they are enabled to surprise you with low prices.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

Fresh arrivals of Douglas' Low Cuts in all leathers. Also, Ladies' Low Cuts from Krippendorf-Dittman Co.'s. See our White Canvas Goods. They are beautiful.

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It's Easy to Remember Phone 150. Call it and get your drugs.

BULLOCK & COWAN,

318 North Front St. au 13 1t

A Word About Butter

We are selling a most delightful fresh Butter from the Mountains of Pennsylvania. It is obtained on Monday, sent by express to us, and is received every Wednesday morning.

Wilmington Grocery Co.

7 No. 12, Postoffice, Manager. NOTICE. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the East Carolina Truck and Fruit Growers Association will be held in the City of Wilmington, N. C., on the 15th day of August, 1904, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the County Court House, at 125 N. BAYMAN, Secretary. au 13 2t