Charles Surface's attempt to sell his ancestors' portraits has been improved on by an advertiser in a religious journal, who announces: "Lady, leaving England permanently, must sell family grave; hold five." This is probably the first time that a second-hand tomb and its contents have been publicly offered as a bargain.

A girl seems to think a man will be- June: Here she has got on a new dress every front of it.

## Great Chinese Bridge.

Spanning an inlet of the Yellow Sea near Sangang, China, is a bridge five and a quarter miles long, with 306 piers of masonry, and having its roadway sixty-four feet above the water. This work is said to have been accomplished by Chinese engineers 800 years

Prebably the most unhappy girl in the world is the one whose teeth ache every time she eats candy.

## A Lead Pipe Cinch.

originated in Brooklyn, N. Y.," explained a well-known turfman. "Though it is very frequently used by sporting people, it is not over twentyfive years old, and I doubt if it is that old. It indicates a sure thing, or at least that is thought to be dead sure. There are several explanations of its origin, but I am satisfied that Brooklyn | 1891. was its home. It was coined in this way: Some years ago a fellow entered a plumbing shop and stole a piece of lead pipe. He wanted to take it over to New York, and to keep it from being seen he wrapped the pipe around his body, and then put his clothes on over it. A cinch, in turf language. means a girth or saddle band or anything that is used to keep a saddle on z horse or mule tight. 'Cinching up' means, therefore, tightening up, and is of Spanish origin. As the fellow with the lead pipe around his body jumped to catch the ferryboat he fell over- large apple down. Hours after the in the appearance of all crops. Only a hoard, and, of course, the weight of the storm they were in drifts as large as few points did not receive sufficient lead carried him down. A horseman. in explaining the occurrence, said the from heart trouble some time, became rains, permitting weeds and grass to thief had 'a lead pipe cinch,' and he so frightened and excited that after the make too much headway. Some farm-

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THE WEATHER FOR JUNE. Data for That Month for the Past Eleven Veurs.

The Weather Bureau has prepared the following data, covering a period of eleven years from the Weather Bureau records at Raleigh for the mouth of

The temperature-mean or normal time she changes the lace thing in the temperature was 76 degrees; the warmest month was that of 1890, with an average of 79 degrees; the coldest month was that of 1889, with an average of 74 degrees; the highest temperature was 102 degrees on June 20th, 1887; the lowest temperature was 46 degrees on June 1st, 1894. The average date on which first "killing" frost occurred in autumn November 1st. Average date on which last "killing" frost occurred in spring April 8th.

The precipitation (rain and melted snow) - Average for the month was 4.24 inches; average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 13; the greatest monthly precipitation was 10.44 inches in 1889; the least monthly precipitation was 1.75 inches in 1894; the great-"The expression 'a lead pipe cinch! est amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 5.18

inches on 28th and 29th, 1889. was 11; partly cloudy days, 12; cloudy

The prevailing winds have been from The highest velocity of the wind was 38 miles from the north on June 4,

Scotland Neck's Hall Storm. The most terrific hail storm ever known at Scotland Neck passed down Roanoke river on the 31st. It struck a few miles south of the town of Halifax and followed the river. Fields were cleared and looked like they had been freshly plowed. Trees were blown down in every direction, and leaves were stripped like as by autumn winds. The trunks of the trees looked like the bark had been beaten from them with hammers, and in many places roofs of houses were beaten through. The hailstones were from the size of a good beneficial, and causing an improvement walnuts. At Spring Hill, Mr. J. R. | moisture, while in many counties culti-Weeks, a merchant who has suffered vation has been hindered by excessive colored man was killed in a wrecked third times; chopping cotton to a stand | gone. building lower down the river and sev- is progressing rapidly. Transplanting eral mules and horses were killed. Per- tobacco is practically completed; the sons who were out in the storm came in stand is excellent. Cutting oats has badly beaten afterwards. Mr. Frank commenced. There is an increasing Johnson, a farmer several miles from diversity in crop conditions, but the town, was caught and almost killed by outlook is becoming more faverable.

the wind and hail. The Fertilizer Tax Valid. that the words "imports" and "ex- is damag ag apple trees to some extent ports" apply to only articles imported in the east. from or exported to foreign countries. "The clause," he continues, "recog- week has caused much improvement in nizes that the inspection of such articles | crops. It is still rather dry in Southern

the expenses of inspection." Hallstones Killed Sheep.

nihilated. In fact, Mr. Thorn writes Melons and vegetables have greatly that all vegetation was destroyed and improved. their entire crops in a few moments.

More Facts.

inquest has been held and some other | land somewhat. The condition of the facts found in regard to the assault and crops on the whole has improved. murder of Miss Emma Hartsell. Every witness was on oath. Mr. Frank Pharr testified that he saw Joe Kiser bathing before he was arrested and also stated by some the second time. Cotton is being rapidly chopped to a the whole has improved.

Farm work is generally well up. Corn is looking very well and is being worked by some the second time. Cotton is being rapidly chopped to a the overhanging bamboos, came out that a large black smoke was seen from stand. Potato bugs are becoming his chimney, which gives reason to be- numerous and destructive. Wheat and lieve that he burned his clothes. The fall oats are ripening and harvest will ceroner's jury's verdict was very posi- be commenced soon. Blackberries are tive in its finding that the negroes were in bloom. Sweet potato plants are be-

Rowan's Dog Killer.

For some weeks some strange animal, known as a dog-killer, has been at large in Rowan county. The creature, appearing at different places, has throttled several dogs and has been seen by a few people. It is described The achers of the farmer yield the as a dangerous looking customer, with dentist an income.

A SPLENDID MACHINE SHOP IN CHARLOTTE,

NORTH CAROLINA PENCILLINGS. shaggy hair and thick body, resembling an otter somewhat in size and shape

> War Department Will Recruit. Disregarding the wishes of Governor Russell, the War Department will recruit the First and Second North Carelina Regiments with the quota named in the second call of the President for volunteers. The decision of the War Department was made known in a telegram from Col. Burgwyn.

Storm in Warren.

A severe hail storm passed over the Oakville and Axtell sections of Warren county destroying everything in track. Hail stones fell as large as hen eggs and the ground was completely covered in some places. People will have to plough up and plant their crops over in some sec-

A German has patented a tanning process which consists of leading a stream of hyrogen containing arsenic into the tanning solution.

A Good Showing. The month just closed was almost a record-breaker at the mint at Charlotte. When the work was cleared up by Assayer Clanton and Prof. Hanna it was discovered that \$28,000 worth of gold had passed through the crucibles during May. This is the largest amount The average number of clear days of ore assayed at the mint for two or three years.

> Has Sixty Members. Mr. E. H. Bean, secretary of the

sixty charter members. N. C. CROP REPORT, Warm Weather and Sunshine Causes

Historical Society of North Carolina,

which was organized at Charlotte on

the 20th of May, says that there are

Improved Appearance. U.S. Departmentment of Agriculture. ) Climate-Crop Bu letin of Weather Bureau North Carolina Sec., for Week Ending

May 30th, 1898. Excepting the 26th and 27th, which were a little cool, the weather during the past week was warm, with alternate sunshine and showers, proving very

EASTERN DISTRICT. - A warm, sunny week with frequent showers proved to be very beneficial to all growing crops. In the case of the Patapsco Guano Southern counties, suffering from Company vs. the Board of Agriculture drought last week, have received sufof North Carolina, the Supreme Court | ficient rainfall; in northern counties, decided to affirm the decree of the Cit- especially Edgecombe, Gates, Nash, cuit Court of the Eastern district of also portions of Craven, Carterett and North Carolina, from which appeal had | Wayne too much rain washed lands been taken to the Supreme Court. | considerably, and stopped farm work. Chief Justice Fuller, in handing down | In these courties grass and weeds are the decision, recites that the General As- endangering crops. Some local hailsembly of North Carolina prescribed an storms caused minor damage. Corn inspection charge of 25 cents per ton on has been worked and is ready to work commercial fertilizers. This tax the again; both corn and cotton, though appellant refused to pay, holding that small, are looking very well. Tobacco it was unconstitutional. On this issue is growing nicely. Irish potatoes are was joined, the Circuit Court of North | being dug and shipped. A great many Carolina upholding the constitution sweet potato slips were set out this ality of the law, quoting the second week. Cutting oats has begun with clause of section 10 of article 1 of the very fair prospects. The apple-tree constitution. Chief Justice Fuller holds | borer (c/rysobothris femorata, Fab)

CENTRAL DISTRICT. - The weather this may be required by the States and that | counties, while in many central and they may levy duties on them to pay northern counties frequent rains have kept the ground too wet to plow, and weeds are making much headway. Crops in low grounds are injured by ex-Mr. H. M. Clark, of the Secretary of cassive rains, chiefly in Durham, State's office, received a letter on the Johnston, Wake, Person and Northamp-31st from his home in Littleton, giving | ton counties. A severe rain and hail a hail storm which visited that section. Neuse river on the 26th. Both corn as large as your fist fell, killing sheep, their depredations, Tobacco has all hogs, chickens and other fowls and ani- been transplanted; the stand is very mals." Tobacco and fruit crops within good. Harvesting oats has commenced. a radius of four miles were entirely an- Cherries and blackberries are ripening.

the ground was covered with these tre- | WESTERN DISTRICT. - There were but mendous hail stones. Farmers lost few sections in this district which did not receive fine rains this week, and while in some counties, especially Iredell, Cabarrus and Henderson, the A re-opening of the coroner's jury of rainfall was quite heavy and washed ing set out. Transplanting tobacco is practically finished. All vegetation is now growing nicely.

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A Remarkable Case.

The following case was printed originally in The Monitor, a newspaper published at Meaford, Outario. Doubts were raised as to its truthfulness, consequently a close watch was kept on the case for two years and the original statement has now been completely verified.

Mr. Petch had been a hopeless paralytic for five years. His case has had wide attention. He was conflued to his bed, was bloated almost beyond recognition, and could not take solid food. Doctors called the disease spint I sclerosis, and all said he could not live. The Canadian Mutual Life Association after a thorough examination, paid him his total disability claim of \$1,650, regarding him as forever incurable. For three years he lingered in this condition. After

taking some of Dr. Will iams' Pink Pills for Pale People there was a slight change, a tendency to sweat freely. Next came a little feeling in his limbs. This extendby a pricking Paid His Claim.

sensation. until at last the blood began to course freely and vigorously through his body. Soon he was restored to his old time health. A reporter for The Monitor recently called on Mr. Petch again and was told: "You may say there is no doubt as to my cure being permanent. I am in better health than when I gave you the first interview and certainly attribute my cure to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. "To these pills I owe my release from the iving death, and I shall always bless the day I was induced to cake them.' Such is the history of one of the most remarkable cases in modern times. In the face of such testimony, can anyone say that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are not en-

case, in truth, a miracle of modern medi-These pills are sold by all druggists and are considered by them to be one of the most valuable remedial agents known to

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A JAGUAR'S TRICK.

The Clever Way in Which He Fooled the Caymans and Crossed a River.

Robert Wilson Fenn contributes to the St. Nicholas an interesting story about "The Jaguar and the Caymans." Mr. Fenn was camping on the bank: of the Upper Magdalena River, in Columbia, South America, and this is what he saw. .

We had finished our evening meal and I was enjoying my customary smoke under the toldilla, or netting and chatting with my Indian companions, when, suddenly, the most awful series of catealls that I had ever heard disturbed our peace and the night air. A prolonged yowl, like the united voices all the cats on all the roofs of a large town, made the cold chills creep up and down my spine and gooseflesh to run all over me.

"What is it?" I asked one of the men. "El tigre, senor!" (The tiger, sir!) he replied; "ra a pasar el rio" (he is going to cross the river.) "Let him cross if he wants to," said 1; "but what does he want to upset my supper and spoil my after-dinner smoke with his hideous noise?" Come and see, senor," he replied, and taking up his gun, motioned me to follow him the overhanging bamboos, came out upon the narrow beach near the mouth of the creek.

Sure enough, by crawling cautiously along in the shadow of the bluff we saw our musical friend squatted on his haunches, with head thrown back and mouth open, emitting the most blood-curdling serenades one could expect to hear, and looking for all the world like a gigantic tabby cat. But what connection such a noise could have with his passage of the river I

he will draw all the alligators together and when he gets into the water he will swim off in sections? "Leave him alone," chuckled the Indian; "he knows how to get across." So, crouching down in the bushes on the bank of the river, we waited for his next move I think we must have been there about twenty minutes or half an hour, and I was becoming almost worn out with the attacks of the mosquitos, when the concert suddenly ceased. At the same moment the moon came out clear and bright from behind a cloud, and Anastasio, nudging my arm, pointed to the surface of the water in front of the jaguar. At first I thought there were a number of sticks in the water, but as the current was swift and they were motionless in their places, I was for a moment puzzled. "Caymanos" (alligators), whispered the Indian, and 1 saw that his eyes were better than mine. There were the ugly snouts of half a dozen of the big fellows, some well out of water, and some just showing their nostrils and the bumps over their eyes, but all ready for their expected prey.

But they were to be disappointed this time; for the jaguar, immediately upon the conclusion of his serenade started off up-stream as hard as he could run along the bank of the river, and when he had gone about 500 yards dropped softly into the water and swam safely across, while his baffled enemies were unable to make fast enough time upstream against the swift current to

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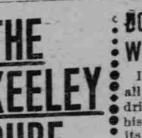
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Lv. Climax......12 43 p m

Ar. Fayettville ...... 3 53 p m

Lv. Fayetteville..... 4 05 p m

Ar. Wilmington ..... 7 10 pm

North Bound No. 4, Daily, Lv. Bennettsville...... 8 00 a m

Ar. Maxton..... 903 n ma

Lv. Maston..... 907 am

Lv. Red Springs ...... 9 35 a a

Lv. Hope Mills...... 10 20 a m

Lv. Fayetteville...... 4 33 p tra

Lv. Hope Mills ..... 4 52 p m

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11 00 am.

7 00 am and 10 00 a m.

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