## Dnily Comoct Standard

*TOO MUCH CORN LIQUOR. datal Resint of Takingoan Ovedose on a 'Bantor.
Goldsooro, Feb. : 21;-Alex ander the Great, on a banter, drank too much wine and died in consequence of*his rash act And nów comes a simple countrỳ - negro girl, Ella Best, 15 years old; who came to Golbsboro last Thursday in company with her brother-in-law Joe Smith, from their home in New Hope township, and while here Joe bought somecorn whiskey and returning home bantered her that he could drink more then she could. Friday mornig Ella was found dead in her bed. Her sister, Joe's wife, gave Joe $\$ 20$ to come to Goldsboro Friday to buy a coffin, for Ella, aud Joe has not since been seen, and it is supposed that he took fright at the fatal consequence of his banter and concluded, with $\$ 20$ in hand, to "burn the wind."

- As night came on and Joe did not materialize with the coffin, old man Luke Best, the dead girl's grandfather, began to be suspicious-Joe's wife not hav ing said a word about the banter, or the presence even of whiskey in the house-and early Satur day morning be came to the city and consulted a lawyer. The lawyer referred the matter to the coroner and yesterday morning Dr. Thos. Hill, the coroner, summoned a jury and held an autopsy; and the postmortem revealed a large quantity of whiskey, about pint, in the dead girl's stomach; and not till then did Joe's wife Ella's sister, tell of the banter batween Joe and Ella, which she said was without thought of harm or fatal consequences.
The jury rendered a verdic that death was due to her own act in drinknig an oyer quan tity of corn whiskey
PRINCE HENRY IN WASHINGTON. Meets the President and Congressmen ane Dines at the White House-The Meteor Curiatened by iniss Alice Roose velb Today.
Pince Henry went to Washing ton Monday and met the President and many distinguished of ficials, •including senators and representatives, He sat in the galleries and listened to congressional discussions. His meoting with the President, wàs especially cordial and he dined at th.e White House.
The President reitrned his sall going to the Germas Empassy during the afternoon.
He returped to New York and was followed later by the Presi"deif to attend the launehing of new yacht, which was christened by Miss Alice Roosevelt today. Subscribe for the Stander.

A BUY RILLAS HIMSBLF. Ed Molland, Sor of a Seath ra Rif. , Nay. Eugineer, Ends His Life in Columbia
The people on " the, street last night were shock to learn that young .Ed Holland, youngest son of Mr: F L Holland, the well-know Southern Railsay engineer, had sent a bullet through his owrt hatart, killing himself instantly. The suicide occurred about $7: 45$ o'clock, while the family were at tea. The young man, who was about 16 years of age, went to his room at 1,817 , Sumter street, and seating himself on the side of his bed, placed a photograph of the young wo man of whom he was enamored and a rote to his fether over his heart. Then through the poto and the note be sent a bultet through his heart, dying instantly. He fell backward upon the bed. He was neatly dressed and there was no ntimation that he intended to and his life, other than the fact that far the last weeks he has been very dospondent. The note addressed to his fafher merely bade him good-bye and said that the suicide hoped to meet his mother and the young waman in heaven. The bullet passed through the left ventricle of the heart and the lung and odged in the back.
The case is peculiarly sad and the boy's parents have the sympathy of scores of friends. The lad was in the emloy $o^{\circ}$ Mr. W H Monckton, his uncle, at the Goble Dry Goods Store, and was regarded as a model young man.-Columbia State, 24th.

## r. Misenheimer's Hart is Serious,

Mr. W N Misenheimer, we are sorry to say, is very severely hurt. He had a bad night, bu resting somewhat better today His injuries are of a. painful as well as of a seriously injurious nature.

Rev. Mr. Wertz Resigns.
Rev. J Q Wertz tendered his resignation of the Lutheran Chapel charge on last Sunday We have not learned Mr. Wertz calculations for the future.

Profitable Farming Undor Glass.
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dred acres or more. dred acres or more. Qu the
small arta only, the crops that sell at the bighdst prices are
gtown, and, while greater ex pense is incurred, yet the crop
pay. Garden crops are also re ceiving atténtion, and the future sthall frames.-Home and Farm.

ANOTHÉR HIGHANAY ROSBERY. Ir. J J aifora. of mesdenville saulted ayd Robbed of 880 Yesterday evening about ,'clock Mr. J J* Alford of Mc Adenville, what brough into th police station * with a badly bruised and profusely bleeding face. He was without a coat and his upper lip was very severely bruised and cut. According to his statement, he had sold a horse in the city for $\$ 85$ and was returning to Mc Adenville on the Southern Railway afoot. As he approached the junction of the Southern and Seaboard Rail ways, east of the city and near the Seaboard pasenger depot, he mèt a man who he described asharing a full round face sandy hair a scanty light mus tacherand weighing about 145 pounds. The man hit him with some hard object, probably a ock, and wocked him senseless. When Alford regained con sciousness he was minus his \$85 and his coat.
Last night, at the Southern depot, Mr. Alford thought he recognzed his assallant in a young man from Lancaster, S .

When the boy was questiond, however, it was found that Alford had missed his mark, for the boy was considerably lighter, had no mustache and wore a cap, while the man Alford described wore a hat Morever, no money or any of the missing property was found on him so he was let loose. Charlotte Observer of 25 th.

## HEKS FROM NO. 6.

An Old Man's First Experience in Deep
Mrs. Jacob Mcose is very ill this writing.
Mr. Jim Carter has returned from Canada where he had gone some months ago.
Our big snow is almost gone. Louk for bad roads for awhitle. Last Saturday evening while crossing Jennie Wolf Creek, Mr. Peier Lippard had a narrow escape from drowning. The buggy floated down the stream with him. He managed to escape and the mule scrambled out also, but the buggy went on down the tream. Mr. Lippard returned later, in che night, and with the aid of others secured the buggy. Mr. Lippard is 74 years old and never had a similar expe rience. He has stood this very
well, however, and is not sick well, however, and is not sick
from it. . M. E. L.


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