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Representative Grosvenor says,
"Congress will no more amend the
tariff than the ten commandments."

Western dealers are trying to
corner the egg market. They pro-
ceed by getting half a million cases
of eggs in cold storage.

A Letter From Kansas.

We are in receipt of a letter from
our old friend and former High-
lander, Mr. George W. Taylor, who
is living at Parsons, Kansas. His
inclination to fuss at us for not hav-
ing our railroad completed so he
can make us a visit. It he can
wait a few more months, he will
be granted that blessed privilege
and we hope he will not fail to
come.

Mr. Taylor has had sickness in
his family, and in addition has, on
account of the drought, had to
drive his stock a mile each day, to
water, the rain since the first of
May not being sufficient to fill the
pond. He writes that he had 65
acres of fodder, but no corn, but
was favored with good wheat and
oat crops. His son Van has moved
to Oklahoma, Ter.

The largest bottle of toilet cream
for the money. L. A. Orndorff.

Dr. George T. Robson Dead.

Bridgewater, Va., Nov. 25.—Dr.
George T. Robson died this morn-
ing about 8 o'clock at the residence
of his son, John Robson of Mossy
Creek. He had eaten his breakfast
feeling as well as usual and retired
to his room. A few minutes after-
wards he called his daughter-in-
law to his aid. When she entered
the room he sank back into his
chair and died in a few minutes.
The cause of his death was heart
failure. Though sudden, his death
was not unexpected, as he has had
a number of sinking spells lately.

Dr. Robson was a native of Rap-
pahannock county, was 80 years
old.

He was favorably known in
Highland. His son owns a very
fine farm on the Bullpasture and
when he lived there his father
spent much of his time with him.

Mr. Erving's Corps.

The Engineer Corps making the
survey for the proposed extension
of the C. W. Railway from Stokes-
ville to Monterey of which J. H.
M. Erving is chief of party is com-
posed as follows viz: Senior Asst.
and Transitman H. H. Martz,
Lacey Springs, Va. Mr. Martz is
a graduate of the department of
Civil Engineering, Washington and
Lee University and has had six
years experience in practical engi-
neering.

Second Asst. and Topographer,
Geo. S. Beal, Brockton, Mass. Mr.
Beal is a graduate of Brown Uni-
versity, Providence, R. I. with de-
gree of A. B., C. E. This is his
first work since finishing his col-
lege course.

Mr. Autler L. Giles, who has
charge of general estimate work is
a resident of Providence, R. I. and
graduate of Brown University with
degree of A. B., C. E. and before
coming here is in the employ of
the United Traction Co. of Rhode
Island.

Mr. Geo. K. Logan, Levelman
and who also attends to buying and
arranging for camp supplies is a
resident of Woodstock, Va. His
father is Commonwealth attorney
of Shenandoah Co. and a very
prominent citizen.

Mr. John R. Webb, front chain,
is resident of Bridgewater, Va. He
is the youngest member of party
and has a bright future before him
in railroading. His father is an old
railroader and well known in local
railroad circles.

Mr. Walton McFall, rear chain,
Mr. C. A. Vigar, Asst. to Topo-
grapher, Mr. E. Daggy, axeman,
Mr. John Baker, axeman, Mr.
Will Daggy, backrod, Mr. Harris
Bickmore, stake man are all resi-
dents of Mt. Solon, Va. and have
been with the company since the
new operations began, which fact
speaks of itself for this efficient
g'ryce.

Mr. F. C. Crummett assistant to
topographer is the only resident of
Highland Co. His home is at Palo
Alto, Va.

The efficient chief, Chas. Arnold
is a relic of the grand old colored
cooks and waiters. He is 60 years
old but has not forgotten how to
provide for the comfort and well-
fare of those whom he serves.
Learning the intricacies of the
railway art is the cookess Jessie
Fultz a young man of Ponderton
Co., W. Va.

A more efficient and better de-
scribed party of men would be
hard to get to gether.

To The Highland Recorder.

Every citizen should take pride
in his own county and as an in-
dividual should strive to be a worthy
citizen intitled to such honor by
his deeds. We are a free and lib-
erty loving people, but we ought not
to have a wrong view of liberty.
Unrestrained freedom can never be
any thing but a calamity.

May we forever be delivered from
the time when every man does
what is right in his own eyes.
I once heard an Italian denounc-
ing Virginia because it was not a
free country!

He said he was not allowed to
work on Sunday and if he went
hunting he was fined.

If he got drunk or had a fight he
would be arrested, and it was not a
free country!

His idea of a free country was a
place where every man does as he
pleases.

Every man has a right to do as
he may see fit provided, in doing
so, he does injury to no other per-
son. According to this law there
is but one class of persons that
have a right to be drunkards.

That is the man who has no
family relations, no neighbors, is
not a citizen of any country and
has nothing to do with any other
being. We have as good people as
there are anywhere. The vast ma-
jority are worthy citizens. Why
could not this be said of every one?

Sometime ago I read in the Re-
corder that the jail was empty and
that there were no cases in court.

This is a credit to any county
and speaks well for the morals of
its citizens. But it is a thing of
which to be proud only under cer-
tain conditions.

A well filled jail under certain
circumstances might be more hon-
orable than an empty one and a
full docket more commendable
than a blank one.

These are splendid things when
due to the lack of offenders but
when they are due to the lack of
prosecutions they become an alarm-
ing evil. No good society can ex-
ist long without the punishment of
evil doing.

I am not a lawyer and hardly
know whether a private citizen is
an executive officer or some special
one is selected to fill that place,
but I know that every body's busi-
ness is equal to nobody's business.

So just for fun or every body's
benefit I will jot down a few hap-
penings that have been omitted in
the items from the Bull-Pasture
and not entered on the docket at
the court of offences.

The first thing that I will men-
tion is the free for all fight at the
Colored Camp-meeting for white
people.

In this every one did what was
right in his own eye. Each one
selected his own weapon, there was
no uniformity of arms or ammu-
nition. There was no Captain, every
man fought according to his own
plan.

It was not an orderly nor as
bloody as the fight near the same
ground in which Cyclone Jim Mar-
shall was mortally seared and
slightly wounded. But that was a
time of war and this is a time of
peace, though not a peaceful time.

On another Sabbath at a white
church drunkenness and cursing in
and around the house of worship,
Cursing and abusing an aged and
worthy citizen and frightening his
horse on the public highway on the
Sabbath.

Not many days ago a little boy
sent to the Post Office was fright-
ened away without his mail by a
fight in front of the office. This
seems to be a case of interfering
with the delivery of the mails, and
was a case of using fluids. But I
have never been informed whether
it was buck wheat or cabbage heads
they were flailing or what kind of
a turnout they had after being run
through the windmill.

Sunday week ago a team was
hooked up, and gun aboard a load
started somewhere the writer does
not know where, but some folks
say they brought back some kind
of game that looked like ground-
hog?

And some other folks thought
they were rather queer; that be-
sides killing ground-hog they were
firing liquid air out of their gun
barrels and pouring liquid fire into
their air pipes. I may add that
these were not all citizens of High-
land.

And now as I have written some
unusual things I may say that I
have done so that the other side
may be represented.

And as the chief g'ry of the
anarchists is in seeing his name in
print I have spared the performers
this honor.

Also I might inform my Italian
friend who is looking for a place
where he can hunt on Sunday, get
drunk or fight without fear of in-
molestation, that he might investi-
gate and make a few more observa-
tions and conclude that here is
where he wants to be.

But the true purpose I have in
view is to call attention to these
abuses of liberty, and the good
name of a good county, and to
say that if there should be any
where an executive officer who is
devoted to helping others to lead
a better life, that competent wit-
nesses can easily be had to the
above things.

But if our executive officer be
like my Italian friend he will see
to it that all such persons are
not molested in their pursuits for
happiness and freedom.
Now inclosing I will say that if
what I have written would tarnish

the good name of my county I
would not have it published. But
sometimes it becomes necessary to
speak out on such matters as con-
cern the public, that we may find
where the blame rests and right it.
Citizen.

[When we made the statement
that our jail was empty and that
no criminal cases were on the
dockets of the courts, we were
painfully aware that it could have
been supplemented by just such
remarks as "Citizen" has so ap-
propriately made. The law re-
quires that a citizen go before an
officer and made complaint of such
violations, before offenders can be
brought to justice. Good people
naturally avoid trouble, and they
cannot see that they are called up-
on, any more than any other good
citizen, to perform the duty of
doubling up the fist of the law be-
fore that great arm can proceed to
strike at the menacers of good
society; others do not care, and so
it goes. And as "Citizen" says,
"what is everybody's business is
nobody's."—Editor.

Bishop's assortment of Christmas
goods are enough for each party
to make a Santa Clause of himself.
You should buy early before the
assortment is too badly broken.

Victory for C. & W. R. R.

A telegram received just as we
go to press announces that the Su-
preme Court of Appeals has rever-
sed the judgment of the Circuit
Court of Rockingham in the ejection
suit brought by Col. Boyce
and others, representing the old
Narrow Gauge railroad. In that
suit, tried here last spring, it was
adjudged that the C. & W. road was
built on the road bed and right of
way of the old Washington, Cin-
cinnati and St. Louis Railroad, be-
tween Harrisonburg and Bridge-
water, without valid condemna-
tion proceedings—that is, that the
Chesapeake & Western occupies
land that belongs to other parties.

This judgment is reversed by the
Supreme Court.

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and inspiration to thousands of home.
It is a number rich with interesting,
timely articles, many of which have the
true Yuletide ring. The opening article is
a masterly production from the pen of
the Chinese Prince, Yo Yun Chun, a nephew
of the emperor of China, who says
America should establish universal peace.
This belief is exemplified in a poem by
Henry Tyrrell. Alexander K. McTear,
in an article entitled "Greely's Ambition"
culminated in His Fight for the Presi-
dency," graphically describes the famous
journalist's great ambition and its failure.
Ella Wheeler Wilcox contributes an
article on envy and greed which all
should read, and Harriet Prescott Spof-
ord glorifies her sex in an article en-
titled "Motherhood Links Givinity with Hu-
manity." James J. Hill, president of the
Great Northern Railway, in an effective
style tells "How to Get, and Keep, a
Position." Governor McSweeney, of
South Carolina, outlines the coming
Charleston Exposition. Chauncey M.
Depew, Marquis Ito, Henrik Ibsen,
Guillermo de Castro, M. Del Cass, Sr.
Thomas J. Lipton, and other distinguish-
ed men tell of the great progress the first
year of the twentieth century has made.
There are two interesting fiction stories,
by Frank H. Spearman and Hezekiah
Butterworth.

Measuring Social.

The ladies of Monterey will hold
a "Measuring Social" at the Court
House on Friday night the 26th of
December for the benefit of the
cemetery fund. The public are
cordially invited. The admittance
fee will be three cents for each
foot in height and one cent for
each additional inch. It is expect-
ed that each lady in town will
bring or send a cake, or basket of
apples, and some article for the
fancy table which will be held in
in connection with it. Refresh-
ments gratis.

**Women as Well as Men
Are Made Miserable by
Kidney Trouble.**

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind,
discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor
and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kid-
neys are out of order
or diseased.

Kidney trouble has
become so prevalent
that it is not uncom-
mon for a child to be born
afflicted with weak kid-
neys. If the child urines
too often, if the
urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child
reaches an age when it should be able to
control the passage, it is yet afflicted with
bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of
the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first
step should be towards the treatment of
these important organs. This unpleasant
trouble is due to a diseased condition of the
kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as
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& Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and
mention the paper.

Notice.

Highest cash prices paid for beef hides.
Call on or address Carter & Snyder, Doe
Hill, Va.
Oct. 18-8 m.

Notice to Tax-Payers.

I will meet the tax payers of
Highland County, at the times and
places, named below, prepared to
receive all taxes and levies for the
year 1901, and also all unpaid taxes
and licenses for preceding years.
At New Ramden, Oct. 30, 1901.
At Crabbottom, " 31, "
At Hightown, Nov. 5, "
At Green Hill, " 6, "
At Reed's store, " 8, "
At Clover Creek, " 12, "
At P. H. Hupman's, " 13, "
At Stewart's Mill, " 14, "
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At McDowell, " 19, "
and at my office in Monterey, Va.,
on all week days, except the 28th—
Thanksgiving—from the 20th, until
the 30th day of November, 1901.
Five per centum penalty, will be
added to all unpaid taxes, on the
1st day of December, 1901.
Oct. 21, 1901.
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Batesville, Ala., July 11, 1900.
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to us in the past, and to
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faithfully whenever such
service is needed. We
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Supplies, and, familiar as
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and tastes of our people,
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faction both as to prices
and finish. Our Burial
Outfits are all of our own
make, and we make no
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service. We are arrang-
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