

The Waynesburg Republican.

WAYNESBURG, PENNA. Wednesday, Jan. 15, 1868. GROUNDS OF IMPARTIAL SUFFRAGE.

The following are a few of the arguments upon which the N. Y. Tribune bases its demand of Equal Rights for All. However dogmatically expressed, for the life of us we don't see how they can be sensibly contradicted.

If suffrage could be made dependent on virtue, morality, intelligence, education, creed, or race, whom of us would our neighbors allow to vote? Virtues become vices when the vicious are judges.

Compounds for sins they are inclined to by damning those they have no mind to.

We all have consciences keenly alive to the sins committed by others. And, as to intelligence, a fool always looks upon a philosopher as an ass.

And a drunkard hiccups in his maudlin stupor that the only difference between a saint and him is that one gets drunk on rum and the other on religion.

Deprive a race of the ballot, and every agency of Government which ought to protect will combine to oppress them.

It is not the Christians who crucify the rabble, nor Socrates who administers hemlock to the dances, nor Galileo who imprisons the bigots, nor the reformers who burn the sensualists at the stake.

Whiskey Tax. The following bill passed both Houses and was sent to the President on Thursday last. It is said he will approve it.

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STATE LEGISLATURE.

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New Advertisements.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Notice is hereby given to the Tax-payers of Greene county that the Court of Appeals for the several townships of said county will be held on the following days and places to hear appeals from the assessments made by the Township Assessors.

In Marion township, on Tuesday, February 4th, at the Commissioners' Office, in Waynesburg.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNA. IN THE MATTER OF WENMAN WADE, A BANKRUPT.

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Special Notices. Address to the Nervous and Debilitated whose sufferings have been protracted from hidden causes, and whose cases require prompt treatment.

Quarterly Report. Statement for December—Total Debt \$2,500,000.00.

New Advertisements. WM. BISHAM, JR., 54 Fifth Street, Pitts. Agent for the authorized agent for the REPUBLICAN.

Now is the Time to Buy DRY GOODS! Nations, Hosiery, Boots and Shoes, and Hats at the great.

Closing Out Sales of SHIRK & SUTTON. We are determined to close out our entire stock, and will sell all goods at less than cost.

NEW PLANES, HOSIERY, GLOVES, NOTIONS, &c., &c. A large lot of.

Boots and Shoes! all new stock and custom made work at reduction of 25 to 35 per cent.

EXECUTORS' SALE! The undersigned, Executors of Peter A. Myers, dec'd., will sell at public sale on the premises.

Two Story Brick House! The homestead and, ten acres of land adjoining, at Garrison's Fort.

German Purative Soap. Manufactured from PURE STANFORD OF EXCELLENCE.