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OUR RIGHTS ARE INVADED.—This cry, raised by dishonest and designing demagogues, says the Erie Gazette, is calculated to touch a cord in the popular heart and to elicit a decided response. The citizens of our country are ever jealous of their rights.

VALLANDIGHAM'S DEPENDENCE.—Vallandigham seems to be losing ground. Everywhere throughout Ohio scores of loyal democrats are deserting his standard.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.—The Louisville Journal makes the following pointed suggestions to a class of persons known as "grumblers":

SERVED THEM RIGHT.—Several barns belonging to loyal men, one of them an enrolling officer, having been burned in Harford county, near Baltimore, by some Copperheads.

A MOBILE PAPER, in alluding to the reports which had reached the South of the New York riot, openly claims that the riot was the result of "democratic" principles.

REBEL BARBARIES IN TENNESSEE.—The Nashville Union of the 22d inst., narrates the following: "Mr. Bell, living eighteen miles from Clarksville, was robbed one night last week of one thousand dollars by a party of Confederate soldiers.

A PATRIOTIC WOMAN.—The Albany Evening Journal tells the following: At Plattsburgh, the other day, a man of no very great local pretensions called on a widow and informed her that her only son was drafted.

EMIGRATION FROM CONTINENTAL EUROPE.—A recent Antwerp letter says: The number of emigrants who sailed from Antwerp last year for America was but small.

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THE VALLANDIGHAMS—MOTHER AND BROTHER.—We see it stated in one of our exchanges that the Rev. James L. Vallandigham, a brother of the great "snuffed out" C. L. Vallandigham, was lately arrested for some reason.

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NOTICE.—All persons are positively forbidden to harbor, trust or marry my daughter Rachel Carson, aged 15 years, as she has left home without my assent.

One 2-Horse Carriage, AND ONE DEARBORN WAGON.—Nearly new, for sale cheap, by J. B. GRAHAM, Clearfield, Pa.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.—The undersigned will sell his farm lying on Chest Creek, in Chest township, Clearfield County, Pa., at private sale.

LETTER FROM FORT RENO, VA.—We are in receipt of a lengthy letter from our correspondent W. R. B., dated "Camp at Fort Reno, Va., July 22d," giving a detailed account of an expedition sent from Yorktown to destroy the railroad bridges over the North and South Ann rivers.

ARMY INTELLIGENCE.—Any person desiring intelligence of or from their friends or relatives in the Army of the Potomac, or any of the Army hospitals, can receive information by forwarding to me the names of the friends, and enclosing one dollar.

DR. A. M. HILLS DESIRES TO INFORM.—his patients that professional business closes in his office at all the time, and he will therefore be unable to make professional visits to any of his patients.

CABINET EMPORIUM! B. K. SHOPE, CABINET MAKER.—Would respectfully announce to the public that he has fitted up a shop for the manufacture of the Episcopal church, and near Kratzer's store, where he intends to carry on the cabinet-making business in its different branches.

French Bedsteads.—I will always be prepared to furnish you with a variety of French bedsteads, which are the most comfortable and durable of any kind.

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