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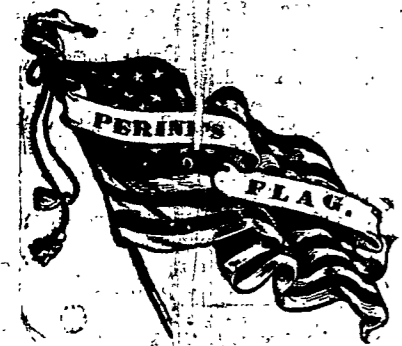
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THE AGITATOR.

Devoted to the Extension of the Area of Freedom and the Spread of Healthy Reform.

WHILE THERE SHALL BE A WRONG UNRIGHTED, AND UNTIL "MAN'S INHUMANITY TO MAN" SHALL CEASE, AGITATION MUST CONTINUE.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF TIOGA

AND
BRADFORD COUNTIES.

To the trading community who have so generally sustained our exertions to conduct business in a straight forward and honorable manner, we return our unfeigned thanks. It has always been our desire to so discharge each business transaction that we should merit it, if we did not receive, the perfect confidence and liberal patronage of the trading public. Believing, as we do, that the "Good-Will" and "Best Wishes" of every person are desirable to those dependent on the public for patronage, and wishing to maintain the fair reputation which we flatter ourselves we have already acquired in the discharge of our business transactions, we wish now, as far as lies in our power, to acknowledge these obligations by giving our friends

THE BEST QUALITY OF GOODS,

AT SUCH PRICES AS WILL BE READILY APPRECIATED.

Our very extensive sales the past season have enabled us to present to our numerous customers the choicest varieties of reasonable goods at prices perfectly satisfactory to the purchaser; and we firmly maintain, and honestly believe, that no house in this portion of the State has been able to exhibit a cheaper or a choicer assortment of Goods of whatever kind.

We wish now, more particularly, to call the reader's attention to one or two important facts: our assortment of

DRY GOODS!

IS LARGE,

and instead of running our assortment down, we are adding to it daily.

Our store is filled with bargains which the most economical and difficult customer cannot fail to appreciate.

To enumerate the particular kinds of Goods, in the price of which we defy competition, would be almost useless, inasmuch as we should be obliged to enumerate most of the articles in our store. We offer

Bargains in Dress Goods;
Bargains in Lace Goods;
Bargains in Cloaks, Mantles and Sacques;
Bargains in Silk and Lace Mantillas;
Bargains in Broche, Stella and Thibet Shawls;
Bargains in Cloths, Boots and Shoes;
Bargains in Hosiery and Domestic Goods;
Bargains in Parasols and Mullins.

In short, no one can appreciate the cheapness of our goods by reading this article. And, believing, as we do, that every customer is well satisfied who favors us with his patronage, we especially invite the public

TO VISIT OUR SPACIOUS AND MODEL

DRY GOODS STORE,

AND BECOME ACQUAINTED WITH

US, OUR GOODS & PRICES.

Perine & Co.

TROY, PA., April, 1863.

CLEAR THE TRACK!!

The Day of Rejoicing at Hand!

GOOD NEWS
FOR THE PEOPLE.

PERINE & CO.,

AT
THE TROY CASH STORE,

Have filled up their establishment with

A MAMMOTH STOCK OF
NEW SPRING DRESS GOODS!

No other Concern has Half so Many!

LADIES OF TIOGA AND BRADFORD COUNTIES, we have this Spring for sale the largest variety of Goods, just suited to your wants, and desire that you, one and all, will look over the varieties named, and before purchasing call and see our Goods. We flatter ourselves that no store in this part of the State can begin to exhibit so fine an assortment of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

as you will find on exhibition at our counters.— Just look at the varieties:

Dress Silk Department.

BLACK, BROWN, BLUE, GREEN, SOLFERINO, PLAIN, AT PERINE & CO'S.

BLACK, BROWN, DRAB, SOLFERINO, BLUE, SMALL FLO'D BROCADE, AT PERINE & CO'S.

GREAT VARIETY IN

FANCY DRESS SILKS.

FOULARD, INDIA & SUMMER

SILKS.

The greatest assortment and largest variety ever shown by any Merchant out of New York city. No lady need be without a silk dress, as a very little money will buy one.

GOING—CHEAP! CHEAP!

FRENCH, GERMAN & ENGLISH

DRESS GOODS CORNER.

Here we have all the novelties of the season, and by far the greatest assortment in these parts. Read the following varieties:

- SPLendid Mozambique!
- SPLendid Jasp Mozambique!
- SPLendid Moi Antique Mozambique!
- SPLendid Black and White Check!
- SPLendid Twoil Au Nord!
- SPLendid Estellas!
- SPLendid Irish Poplins!
- SPLendid Poi De Chevrres!
- SPLendid Striped Alapacas & Lustres!
- SPLendid Challies!
- SPLendid Valencias!
- SPLendid Plain & Fig'd Wool DeLaine!
- SPLendid Ladies' Mourning Goods!
- SPLendid Figured DeLaines!
- SPLendid Jaconettes!
- SPLendid Organdies!
- SPLendid Tissues!
- SPLendid Berages, &c.,

At PERINE & CO'S.

We have no hesitancy in saying that we have the Greatest variety!

Finest assortment!

Most perfect Goods!

Handsome styles!

For the least money!

of any merchant in Northern Pennsylvania.

In short, the Ladies will know that we have always kept the best assortment of

DRESS GOODS

ever sold, or offered to be sold in Troy.

This Spring we have had in a double stock to meet the want of all, and buying for Cash, with selling at

SMALL PROFITS,

gives our customers an advantage over any other store.

PERINE & CO.

THE

CASH STORE

IS THE PLACE.

PERINE'S is the store where you get the most Goods for the least money.

FRESH

SPRING IMPORTATIONS,

FRESH

AMERICAN PRINTS.

"Oh, how beautiful and elegant your new styles of Prints are!" said a lady to us the other day, and further enquired why we did not make more noise in the papers about them. We took the hint—WE LIKE TO PLEASE—and resolved that the thing should be "did." So here goes:

THE BEST ASSORTMENT!

THE CHEAPEST PRICES!!!

THE BEST QUALITIES!!!

THE PRETTIEST PATTERNS,

—OF—

- Merrimac,
- Cocheoc,
- Amoskeag,
- Wamsutta,
- Chioppes,
- Richmond,
- American,
- Sprague's,
- Allen's,

at less prices than Jobbers ask for the same goods in New York.

LOOK, LOOK, LOOK.

HERE COME THE

WHITE GOODS!!

Yes, reader, here comes the White Goods Department, unsurpassed by any and greater than any other concern in either Tioga or Bradford county, and never did we offer these goods at so low prices as this Spring. The stock is completely running over; everything that could be desired.

READ! READ! READ!

WHITE GOODS,

FANCY GOODS,

AND

EMBROIDERIES,

From this date will be sold at Brown Sheetting Profit. Sold as

LEADING ARTICLES!

WE ENUMERATE A FEW:

- Bleached Shirtings in all widths, as cheap as ever, 5-4 and 6-4 Pillow Goods, 9-4, 10-4 and 11-4 Sheetting, Linen,
- Table Linens by the yard, in Damask and Snow Drop patterns, Napkins and Doilies, Towelings, Quilts, Irish Linens at astonishing low prices, Cambrics, Jaconet, Barred and Stripes Mullins, Swiss, Bishop and Book Lawns, Nainsook Mullins, Strips Long Cloths, Brilliantes and Marcellies.

HOSIERY.

The biggest stock of Hosiery to be found anywhere. Everything in the line on hand. Piled on Piles of German and British Hosiery of the best manufacture.

LADIES' MISSES' CHILDREN'S INFANTS' MEN'S & BOYS'

HOSIERY, adapted to any shaped or sized foot, and warranted to fit. These goods will be sold at one-half the price asked by other.

HOOP SKIRTS

PERINE & CO.

Have the greatest variety ever shown at one establishment, from a 4 spring Skirt up to a 75 spring—all sold for a very small sum.

Ladies' Corsets & Pads,

Sufficient in quantity to lace and pad the whole community. These articles are to be sold very cheap.

PERINE & CO.

PERINE & CO'S

SHAWL & CLOAK ROOM,

ON THE SECOND FLOOR,

IS filled with all the novelties of the season. We have fitted up this department in the most unique and beautiful manner, and filled it with everything that can possibly please the eye or taste of the most fastidious. No lady need go without a

SPRING SHAWL OR CLOAK,

As they are offered at such cheap prices at our store that no excuse can be devised for not purchasing. Read:

- Cashmere Cloaks,
- See Plaid Cloaks,
- French Gray Melton Cloaks,
- French Black Melton Cloaks,
- French Brown Melton Cloaks,
- Middlesex Gray Cloaks,
- Middlesex Black Cloaks,
- Middlesex Brown Cloaks,
- Repellant Gray Cloaks,
- Repellant Black Cloaks,
- See Plaid Sacques,
- Cashmere Sacques,
- Middlesex Black Sacques,
- Middlesex Brown Sacques,
- French Melton Black Sacques,
- French Melton Brown Sacques,
- French Melton Gray Sacques,
- Repellant Brown Sacques,
- Repellant Black Sacques,
- Repellant Gray Sacques.
- See Plaid Mantles,
- Cashmere Mantles,
- Repellant Black Mantles,
- Repellant Brown Mantles,
- Repellant Gray Mantles,
- Middlesex Black Mantles,
- Middlesex Brown Mantles,
- French Melton Brown do.
- French Melton Black do.
- French Melton Gray do.

BEAUTIFUL SILK

MANTILLAS,

Made of the choicest and most perfect qualities of plain Silk, Brocade Silks, Moire Antique Silks and various other kinds.

The largest assortment to be found in Northern Pennsylvania.

SELLING FOR THE LEAST MONEY.

THESE

CLOAKS, MANTILLAS & SACQUES,

Must be sold! THEY SHALL BE SOLD!

Come and take them for a very little money.

SHAWLS! SHAWLS!

AT HALF THE USUAL PRICE.

PERINE & CO'S,

SECOND FLOOR.

Splendid Broche and Square Shawls,

- do. Broche Long do.
- do. Black Thibet Long do.
- do. Bracket Thibet Square do.
- do. Colored Thibet Square do.
- do. Colored Thibet Long do.

BLACK SILK SHAWLS in great variety, and at every price.

BEAUTIFUL STELLA SHAWLS

IN GREAT VARIETY.

White Crape Shawls

OF ALL SIZES AND QUALITIES.

This department of our stock must surpass anything of the kind ever before shown in this part of the State. The prices will be below that of any store in Troy or in the County, and who will allow themselves to be without these necessary articles for a neat appearance, when they can be had for almost nothing? Come and see.

WALL AND WINDOW PAPER.

PERINE'S.

SECOND FLOOR.

Who wants to purchase these goods at prices that will admit of no competition? You who do must not fail to call and see the great variety now offered, consisting of new patterns.

- RICH GOLD LEAF,
- SATIN PAPER,
- IMITATION SATIN,
- COMMON PAPER,

- Gold Bordered Window Shades,
- Painted do. do.
- Printed do. do.
- Plain do. do.

Housekeepers and newly married people will do well to examine our HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, as they can save enough to keep the baby in clothing for a year or so. There is no mistake about this.

PERINE & CO.,

AT THEIR

CHEAP CASH STORE.

TROY, Bradford County, Pa.,

HAVE AN IMMENSE STOCK OF

DOMESTICS.

Having fortunately made our purchases for this season's stock of Domestic in last November, we are enabled to offer the great proportion of our present stock

At the Low Prices of Last Year!

No other store can compete with us in this line of goods. It consists in part of

BROWN SHEETINGS, in all grades, widths, and prices;

TICKINGS, STRIPE SHIRTINGS, CHECK SHIRTINGS, DENIMS, and all the best makes.

Don't forget the store where these Goods are being sold so low!

PERINE'S

CASH STORE.

BARGAINS IN

SHEETINGS, SHIRTINGS & TICKINGS,

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

CARPET DEPARTMENT.

NEW SPRING STYLES.

Housekeepers are particularly requested to come and examine the following

SPLENDID DISPLAY

of Goods in this Department, many patterns of which were designed and manufactured expressly for PERINE & CO.

Tapestry Velvets,

Tapestry Brussels,

Three-ply Tapestry Ingrain,

Super Common Wool,

All Wool Fillings,

Cotton, Hemp, Venetian Druggets, (from 3-4 to 12-4.)

Rugs and Mats, (Coco and Canton Matting, in all widths.)

Floor Oil Cloths, (from 1 to 4 yards wide.)

Carpet Binding, Tacks, Thread, &c.

Stair Rods Half the Usual Price.

Our arrangements with manufacturers are such that we are daily in receipt of Goods direct from the looms, making our stock very attractive at all times.

As we buy these Goods for Cash and sell for Cash we can undersell any Carpet concern in Northern Pennsylvania. An examination will prove this fact.

YANKEE NOTION DEPARTMENT.

This branch of our business has been doubled, and we have also added a

WHOLESALE DEPARTMENT!

In order that we may be able to see

COUNTRY MERCHANTS AND PEDLARS SUPPLIED!

ON THE MOST FAVORABLE TERMS.

Any one applying for any of these goods at wholesale shall have them at less than jobbers' prices in New York.

HATS AND CAPS,

LATEST SPRING STYLES.

We have fitted up a neat department of our second floor for this kind of goods and filled it full of the very latest Spring Styles of

MEN'S BLACK SOFT FUR HATS,

MEN'S WOOL STIFF BRIM,

PLANTERS' AND OXFORD.—Also,

YOUNG MEN'S AND BOYS' HATS, in great variety.

MEN'S AND BOYS' CAPS of every conceivable style and price.

Everybody can be suited, and none need go away without having a hat or cap to suit. We are bound to please the people if we can ascertain how to do it.

PARASOLS AND UMBRELLAS.

Here we are at home again. Any quantity of

SILK UMBRELLAS,

COTTON UMBRELLAS,

SUN UMBRELLAS, in silk, very cheap.

LADIES' PARASOLS,

MISSES' PARASOLS,

LADIES' SUN-SHADES,

MISSES' SUN-SHADES.

FANS!—FANS!

SHAKER HOODS,

Of the latest styles and best makes, at wholesale and retail, cheaper than New York prices.

PERINE & CO.

GROCERIES.

We shall continue to sell good Groceries as heretofore, at less rates than any concern in Troy or the county. The stock consists of

- CHOICE TEAS, in OLD HYSON, IMPERIAL GUNPOWDER, YOUNG HYSON, and BLACK TEAS, CRUSHED, POWDERED and GRANULATED SUGARS, COFFEE & BROWN SUGARS, in all grades, COFFEES and SPICES, SYRUPS and MOLASSES, TOBACCO IN ALL SHAPES,

And every kind of Groceries ever offered for sale.

BOOT AND SHOE

DEPARTMENT.

PERINE & CO'S,

SECOND FLOOR.

FOR THE SPRING TRADE.

AT WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

This Department is overflowing. No concern in Northern Pennsylvania can show so handsome and varied a stock.

We have this Spring taken unusual pains to purchase none but the finest and most durable qualities of BOOTS AND SHOES, and feel confident that an examination of them by any person in want of such articles, will ensure a sale. This Department of our store presents at the present time greater attractions than ever. Every article on hand.

We are prepared to furnish these goods at

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

and Country Merchants will find it greatly to their advantage to purchase their stock of us, as we are selling everything in the line much below value, and from so large a stock selections can easily be made.

KEEP YOUR EYES OPEN!!!

OUR

CLOTH DEPARTMENT

CANNOT BE EXCELLED!

We have some most splendid patterns in this line. We have taken particular pains to purchase none but the finest qualities and most tasteful styles, such as will meet the wants of the various tastes of our customers. These goods will commend themselves to any one desiring to purchase. Note them:

FINE FRENCH

BROADCLOTHS!

IN BLACK, BLUE AND BROWN.

Melton Cloths and Coatings, 3-4 and 6-4 wide. Black Doeskins, Velvet finished Doeskins, Oxford, Cadet and Fancy Mixtures, Mixed Doeskins, Black and Gray Satinets, Tweed Cassimeres and Coatings, Kentucky Jeans, Tweede, Cottonades, Ballisto Cloth, Spring Cloakings, Children's Clothing Goods, Plaids, Checks and Mixtures.

No man can fail to be suited from the above list of goods, and he who will call and give us a chance to show them, will not go away without purchasing.

FANCY CLOTHS,

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Just the thing for Spring wear.

—SPRING CLOTHING!

—SPRING CLOTHING!

HURRAH! HURRAH! HURRAH!

HERE WE ARE AT HOME!

PERINE & CO'S

Having just received and opened for inspection the largest and best selected assortment of SPRING CLOTHING ever offered in this market, and at prices that defy competition, our stock includes

Gents' Black Frock and Business Coats, Satin Farmer's Satin and Cloth Vests, Black Doeskin and Fancy Cassimere Pants,

Boys' Clothing, and an extensive stock of French and German, Black and Colored

BROAD-CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, AND DOESKINS,