THE DAILY DISPATCH.

PITTSBURGH:

FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 1, 1857.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

THE DRAMA.—Mr. C. W. Couldock.—Our worthy theatrical manager, Mr. Foster, seems determined of late, to treat us to a succession of Dramatic feasts, and by way of heightening the entertainment by a truly sumptuous dessert, he now offers us in addition a dash of unmistakable genius and worth, in the person of the veritable old "Luke Fielding" himself,—the original "Luke," who we see by the papers has commenced a short engagement at our Theater.

That charming actress, Miss Davenport, has just left us, and whilst the music of her voice is still ringing in our ears, Mr. Couldock makes his bow before us "on an entire change of programme," and, while we would not in the least disparage Miss Davenport, we confess to a recurring taste for some of the *substantials* in dramatic literature, after the lighter viands of which we have just partaken, which latter cheer and please, but cannot satisfy the appetite, for all the hungry void.

All celebrated actors have some points or peculiarities which recommend them to the admiration of the public, and although the public are seldom far wrong in the estimation of public character, yet, in no profession, perhaps, are they so often at fault as when pronouncing upon the merits or demerits of actors. The reason we conceive to be obvious enough. The excellence of an actor in the estimation of the auditor must depend very much upon the sympathy of the individual with the actor's conception of the character he represents, and as the diversity of tastes in a promiscuous audience is great, so must there be of necessity much diversity of opinion as to the merits of the actor. * *

The gentleman whose name heads this article, is so well known to fame and the citizens of Pittsburg, as to require no comment at our hands, yet we beg leave to be allowed to testify to the gentlemanly bearing and high social virtues which distinguish him in his private relations, and to our mind his universal genius, and lofty attainments in the histrionic profession.

Coming as he did, a few years ago, amongst us, unheralded, and a stranger to our boards, he has won for himself an enviable place in the affections of our citizens, and in the estimation of the play going community in general. Without wishing to arrogate to ourself any superiority of judgment in theatrical matters, we are bold to say, Mr. Couldock's rendition of "Luke Fielding" in that touching and domestic drama of the "Willow Copse," he never has equalled in this country, and indeed we are utterly at a loss to suggest a single improvement on his conception of the part.

His "Louis XI," is another master piece of acting, as is his Charles Mildmay, in "Still Waters run Deep". His performances of the character of "The Advocate," in his peculiarly quiet and subdued style, is to our mind a fine conception and, we always hail with pleasure its announcement on the bills

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MUNICIPAL COURT—*Thursday*—Before Mayor Weaver.

James Kilcollins was lying on the railroad track in the Ninth ward, without any shoes on hat, and was laboring under the effects of *pasnic pots*. The watchman happened to pass along just in time to save him from being run over by the locomotive. He was committed thirty days for vagrancy.

William Patch had been arrested by Alderman Dale, upon a charge of assault and battery, and had escaped from the officer. He was arrested by the watchman for disorderly conduct in Belton's court, in the Third Ward. He was fined $3 and costs, which he paid and was discharged, but immediately after was taken into custody to answer the other charge.

William Cookson, from Belton's court, was committed ten days for vagrancy.

Valentine Wise acted very unruisily and got drunk, as did also Joseph McClocky, and they were compelled to pay a fine for so doing.

A TYPHO PHILADELPHIAN, who claims that he is the son of a Bank cashier, was arrested yesterday and lodged in the Tombs for drunkenness. He says he is worth fifty thousand dollars, and claims an intimate acquaintance with President Buchanan. He is a Quaker, and says he can speak almost any language, having been educated in one of the best colleges in the country. He thinks Pittsburgh is a queer place when they will not allow a man to get drunk when he pleases. "Why," says he, "in our city the police would'nt dare to lay a finger on me. I can just do as I please there. I'm going to sue the officer who took me, for false arrest I'll write to the best lawyer in Philadelphia and get him to undertake my case, and if I don't put this town through, then my name ain't Edward." So look out, Dogberries!

AN ORDERLY CITY.—Our city is now in about as orderly and peaceable a condition as it possibly could be—in fact it is a "model for other cities in this regard. A citizen need not be afraid to travel to any part of it, at any time, there being no danger of an attack from desperadoes. Rowdyism has considerably decreased since the inauguration of Mayor Weaver, who appears to have obtained the reputation among that class of being a "terror to evil doers," which he must undoubtedly be.

NOT HAVING HIS NUMBER ON.—A disposition has been evinced for some time past by drivers of drays, carts, hacks, &c., to evade the ordinance compelling them to have the number of their vehicles placed in a prominent place thereon. Patrick Ingoldsby was yesterday fined $5 and costs, by Mayor Weaver, for an infraction of this provision, and we hope this will direct the attention of those interested to the matter and save trouble and expense.

EXTRADITION.—John Heacock, a hack driver, was yesterday fined $2 and costs, by Mayor Weaver, charged by a merchant from Ohio, named Scoll, with extorting from him a greater amount of fare than is allowed by ordinance.—The ordinance provides that the Mayor, instead of imposing a fine, the maximum of which is $10, may forfeit the license of the person so offending.

Two boys named McDermott, who belong to the "Cathedral crowd," who have been annoying the residents of Fifth and Grant streets for no end time, were before the Mayor yesterday, charged with disorderly conduct on the corner of Grant street and Virgin alley, throwing stones at persons passing along and using profane and indecent language. They were committed to jail for the purpose of taking steps towards sending them to the House of Refuge.

FURNITURE ROOMS.—One of the largest and most varied assortments of superior and plain furniture, upholstered work &c., in this city is now arranged at Ryan's buildings, No. 81 Fifth street, and will be sold at public sale by Mr. Davis, commencing this morning at 9 o'clock. We would advise such of our readers that want any articles in that line to be sure to attend.

THE alarm of fire last evening was caused by an unusually brilliant light from one of the brick-kilns on Boyd's Hill. Alarms of fire are becoming quite frequent since the pleasant weather has commenced, and are often created from no cause whatever.

ALDERMAN DAVY, of the Eighth Ward, yesterday, committed a woman named Eliza O'Brien to jail for five days for destitution and vagrancy, as appears on the commitment. Verily, it would seem that poverty is a crime notwithstanding all the theories and assertions to the contrary of philanthropists and philosophers.

THE "BLACK MANSION."—A portion of the mansion of Dr. Black, situated between Wylie and Webster streets, on Congress, which building has stood about half a century, and was about the first erected in that neighborhood is being torn down.

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THE WIFE OF LAFFITTE, a tale of low life and iron fortune by Dr. S. P. BROWNE, is commenced in the New York *Ledger*, of May 9th, ready this morning, and for sale every where.—T. B. Callender, wholesale agent, Masonic Hall, Fifth street.

DR. RAMBADE in his travels on the cape of Good Hope says: I found very frequently among the Dutch Boers of the back country, *Ayer's Cherry Pectoral*, which they keep hung up by a thong around the neck of the bottle to a peg over their hammocks. Indeed this seems to be their sole protection against the throat and lung disorders which are quite prevalent among them. Lthought it a speaking comment on the practical genius of the American people, that they should furnish the staple, I believe the only remedy the people buy to use. Asking if they used the same manufacturers Pills, they told me that better purgatives, grew all around them than any body could prepare.

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The following article is from the pen of one of our most celebrated physicians, and one whose name, if we were permitted to mention it, would carry instant conviction to the public mind of the truth of all he states:

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SANDUSKY, Ohio, April 30.—An extensive fire consuming half a square broke out at 12½ o'clock this morning, and raged over two hours before it was checked. Six dwellings, and the extensive buildings of the Sandusky Machine Co., containing tools, materials, and a large number of Heath's Reapers and mowers were destroyed. The loss is about $100,000, only $8000 of which is insured.

ST. LOUIS, April 30.—Salt Lake advice to the 25th of February have been received. The Legislature passed an act for the organization of militia in the territory. A school has been opened to teach the infantry and cavalry tactics. The Deseret News has an article intending to prove that the Federal Government has no power to appoint territorial officers.

AUGUSTA, April 30.—A fire occurred at Apalachicola, Florida, on Thursday last, which destroyed the Union Warehouse, containing 2000 bales of Cotton; the Post Office, and many stores and dwellings. Loss $200,000.

ST. LOUIS, April 30.—No change of importance is reported in the river. All the streams are falling slowly. The weather is cool and cloudy, with appearances of rain.

NEW YORK, April 30.—Advices from San Salvador state that a pavilion of Nicaragua has been consumated by the native, Nicaragua, fully consenting.

LOUISVILLE, April 30.—The river has 7 feet 4 inches water, and the canal 4 feet 6 inches at the falls. The mercury is at 76; weather cloudy.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The brig Ellen which had cleared, was seized this afternoon by the Revenue Cutter Washington as a slaver.

CHARLESTON, April 30.—Sales Cotton to day 890 bales and market very much depressed.

NEW YORK, April 30.—Cotton firm; sales 1000 bales. Flour depressed; 7,000 barrels sold. Wheat unsettled; sales 650 bus at an advance of 4c. White unchanged at $1,80 and red at $1,58. Corn buoyant; 30,000 bus sold; yellow advanced 2c; sales at 90; mixed advanced 2c; sales at 79c. Pork unchanged at $19,70 @19,75. Beef firm; sales of Chicago at $16,50. Lard firm. Whisky firm. Linseed oil has declined 1c. Pig iron dull and declined $1; sales at $34. Lead quiet. Freights inactive. Stocks active; Chicago and Rock Island 98; Illinois Central 154; Michigan Southern 65½; Reading 81½; Erie 41; Cleveland and Toledo 68½; Cleveland and Columbus 103½; Milwaukie and Mississippi 70.

PHILADELPHIA, April 30.—Flour again advanced 25c, 3,000 bbls sales 8,000 bbls at $6,75 for bbl for superfine, $7,25 for extra and $7,50 for extra family. Rye Flour steady at $4. 500 bbls Corn Meal sold at $3,18@$3,25 ⅌ bbl. Wheat in demand at $1,60@$1,66 for red, and $1,65 @1,68 for white. Rye wanted at 85c. Corn again advanced, and 1,000 bushels yellow sold at 74@75, at ret. mostly at the latter figure.—Oats again advanced, with sales at 56c. Groceries and provisions remain unchanged. Clover-seed wanted at $7. Whisky sells at 28@30c in bbls, and 27c in hhds.

CINCINNATI, April 30.—Flour closed inactive at $6@$6,10 for superfine and $6,15@$6,25 for choice to extra. The receipts are fair.—Barley $1,62. Oats advanced to 56c, and Corn to 63c and in active demand. Whisky advanced 1c ⅌ gallon with an active demand in advance of the supply; sales 1,500 bbls at 24½, 25c was refused for to-morrow's delivery. Butter dull; sales 25 bbls roll at 20@22c. The singles are increasing. There is a certain demand for Mess Pork; sales 700 bbls at $21,50@$21,75 chiefly at the latter rate, closing buoyant under the advices from New York. Lard firm at 14c for prime in bbls. Bulk Sides sold at 9½ and 100 boxes of short clear middles at 11½c. The river has fallen 12 inches within the last 24 hours, with 8½ feet water in the channel. Weather warm and cloudy. It looks like rain.

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—There is an improved demand for Cotton; sales to day amounted to 3,500 bales at 12 for middling. The receipts to day amounted to 3,500 bales. The sugar market closed buoyant, with quotations at 10½@11c. Flour closed with advance to $6,90@7 for Ohio. Corn sold at 75c. Pork dull; sales at $23. Gunny cloth quoted at 18@19½. The balance of the markets continue without change.

STEAMBOATS

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.—At a meeting of the Board of Underwriters held on Saturday, April 18, it was resolved, That hereafter all claims for GOODS SHIPPED OR PASSAGE DUE BILLS MADE, must be presented for the removal of the Goods, which, if others than the Consignee or Owner, will be held.

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50 " Lard do.
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COMMERCIAL.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

FRIDAY MORNING, April 30, 1857.

FLOUR.—The market was rather dull yesterday, but with a very marked change in figures, the only sales on the wharf were 250 bbls at $6,50 @ $6,10 for super, and $7,25 for extra, and 100 do super at $6,12. From store, $6,62 was offered for a lot of 200 bbls extra and refused, holders generally preferring to hold, present supplies for the demands of their customers; sales of 100 bbls super and extra at $6,18 and $6,50; 100 do at $6,30 for super, $6,50 for Extra and $6,87 for family do; 50 do do at $6,20, $6,50 and $6,75; $6,12,50 and 50 bbls extra at $6,62, 40 do at $6, do; 50 do at $6,87; and 50 do extra and family do at $6,50 and $6,75.

GRAIN.—Corn continues scarce, sales on arrival of 250 bus car at 69@70. Oats, 100 bus at depot at 46, and small lots from store at 50.

HAY.—Sales at retail of 9 loads at $12@15 per ton, and 10 loads from store at $18 per ton.

BACON.—market firm and steady; sales of 2,000, 3,000, 1,000 and 2,000 lards, sides and Hams at 9¼ and 12, clear 2000 and 1000 do, shoulders at 10, time 7@9 lbs do at 9¼; 2000 lbs sides at 8¾; 1000 lbs do at 11¼, time; 10,000 lbs Hams at 12; 2500 lbs do at 11¼; 2000 lbs city cured do at 12¼; 2000 lbs do at 12½, 5000 lbs Shoulders at 9, 14,000 lbs do at 9¼ and 6000 lbs at 9½; all for cash except where otherwise mentioned. Stock light.

FISH.—Market demand; sales of 16 bbls No 2 mackerel at 12,50; 20 bbls Herring at $5,50; 8 bbls No 2 White Fish at 12,50 and 12 half do No 2 at $6,25.

LARD.—small sales of city No 1 at 12¾@14—tcs and bbls.

MESS PORK.—small sales at 22, cash.

DRIED FRUIT.—a sale of 10 tcs prime new Apples at $3,75.

BUTTER.—very dull; sales of a few bxs prime at 20, but the demand has fallen off remarkably.

CHEESE.—sales of 50 bxs at 9c. P. M. DAVIS, Auct.

BEANS.—sale of 30 bus small white at $1,75.

POTATOES.—sales of 40 bus mixed at $1,40, and 62 bus do at $1,50.

SEEDS.—sales of 24 bus clover from store at $7,00.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

EXCURSION TRAIN.—The quarterly meetings of the temperance of Steubenville and East Wellsville, commenced yesterday (April 9th), at Wolverhampton. There was a full attendance. There are a great number of orders in from all parts of the continent, and home consumers are exhibiting their confidence in the maintenance of prices by buying freely at the quotations of the day, most of the principal houses evincing the clearest disposition to lower rates. It is owing to this circumstance that there is a branch of business usually indeed to a low price, viz: Iron, indeed, one name for the drain of gold from this country to the continent is to be attributed to the entire public understanding of one kind or other which are going on, and for the first time to so large an extent. The trade generally in the present tendency of this district, the demand for finished iron being very great for purposes connected with the understanding referred to. In addition to this there is more than the average quantity of iron going to Australia and India; and the scantiness of stocks in the United States is evidenced by the fact of orders being in at this moment for immediate shipment, which in a commodity must of course enter at the old scale of duty.

There is great complaint in New York of slow collection. This is general. The cause we take to be, the heavy obligations, but it is being diverted from its legitimate channels by the Conventions. The war of gold in the west, if we can hardly fail to outlast the loose credit system that has prevailed. Merchants who have engaged in speculative operations, to the honey-moon of conquest, and at the expense of their own credit, can hardly expect to stand well hereafter. A New York paper suggests that all such men should be registered, so that they may be known in all the leading markets. But we presume the Dry Goods Commission Merchants, Jobbers, and Retailers, will go in with the "jossers" in the future as they have in the past. This branch of business is in a measure, contingent on if Dry Goods cost nothing and yet can be sold at a profit, a man would suppose, purchasers would be a brave upon sellers by "making a bill," even on long and uncertain credit. It is not so in point, however, as a member of the Ohio Legislature, who is somewhat in advance of his fellows, introduced a measure, which, if adopted, would tend to correct the evil to which we refer. The proposition may surprise people at first view, but when carefully considered it appears more severely. Its adoption would lead to a decided improvement in the commercial morals of the country.—Cin. Price Current

There was some increased activity in Money to-day among the brokers, occasioned by the calling in of loans by bankers, who have gold and the bills to pay for to-morrow. The supply, however, was sufficient to meet the demand. Bank Officers do not anticipate any important change in money matters for the ensuing week. They say it appears that the drained gold for foreign shipment will be very much less than the California deliveries added to the receipts from the interior and the disbursements from the Subtreasury. The payments for Coupons and Jury will be light, and the balance of the Treasury continually reduced. It is understood that our Banks would now be welcome to a million of dollars of our coin to meet exchange cities in balance. In the discount house there is not much activity, the supply of paper being somewhat limited. First class paper goes easily at 8@9 ⅌ cent.—N. Y. Trib.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

Pittsburgh & Cleveland, R. R.—22 obls oats, owner; 10 bbls flour, Lamont; 7 rolls leather, Wilkinson & co; 4 car wrings, 4 cut potatoes, Kinnamont; 3 box butter, 1 keg lard, 1 box cheese, Blakely; 10 obls flour, Rockhurst; 15 bxs butter, Hutchinson; 21 box butter, Cornfield; 1 box mdse, 1 bbl butter, Perry.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

WHEELING by Forest City—3 skts rags, 11 sacks 60 bdls paper; 2 kegs paint, 25 bbl soap, Roberts; 22 rolls leather, Lewis & co; 60 sks shinny, Ali & co; 15 sks rags, Spear; 18 bxs, 5 bdls, Hayes & Anderson; 2 do do, Allen; 24 bbl Rock Candy, Carnochan & co; 2 pkgs, Smith.

MONONGAHELA NAVIGATION CO.—1 cwt wheel, Finch, 12 box meat, owner; 6 s. s. 1 bxs, 1 trunk, Frey; 1 box butter, 1 cel beer, Connell & co; 1 do, Dalzell; 37 bbl flour, 18 bbl Rye, 180 bxs glass, Hunter; 16 bbl steam, McCardles, Means & co; 9 box meats, Hall; 20 box do, Swindler; 20 bbls flour, owner; 19 do do owner; 31 bbls whisky, Lamb; 2 box butter, Graham; 12 bbls flour, Mason; 4 box, 1 bbl, 1 trunk, owner; 5 bxs, 25 bbl iron, 25 nags feet, owner; 101 bbls flour, Berry; 8 bbls whisky, Parker.

RIVER TRADE.

Every thing was very dull yesterday. Very little freight arrived, and very little was shipped. There are no more than a dozen boats at the landing at present. A disaster to the City Commercial from St. Louis says:

The wheel was disabled while coming down the Upper Mississippi, Missouri and Illinois rivers, but principally for New Orleans, for which point freights are very scarce and prices very low. Great quantities of corn and all kinds of grain were being shipped up the Missouri, where the cattle are dying of very fast, and even human beings are in a state of destitution. This is attributed to the unprecedented rain and consequently unusually backward spring.

A dispatch from the Captain of the Dunny says:

The Rainbow ran into and sank the Julia Dean—knocked her out of the side of her wheel. The Rainbow then run across our bow this afternoon, after giving the leaboard vitals, which was correctly answered by us.

The Louisville Journal says:

The Julia Dean belonged to Captains Lockhart, Compton and Yerkes. She cost them about $1,100, and they had no insurance. They also owned the sail she had on board. The Dean was in command of Capt Amby. Four of her hands and one mate are over from St. Louis on board Boston come along shortly after the collision and towed the hulk of the Julia Dean ashore which parted from the hull.

The organization of a company to build a steamboat adapted to the Upper Mississippi trade, has been effected, with a capital stock of $15,000. The company are connected to a considerable amount of capital, and so under the supervision of the superintendent who built the Eagle, Crescent and Lucy, composed of the following members: J. W. Davis, Alton; H. H. Bell, Frankfort; J. W. Bishop, St. Louis; J. Hood and Chas. Jouett, Lawrence; J. M. Winship, Quincy; Thos. Wright, Keokuk; Jas. Kennedy, Burlington; Wm. Wood, do. The boat is to be built 175 feet long, 30 feet beam, and 5 feet hold, and to commence in June, by J. W. Davis, who is well known as a thorough, scientific man, having served a long time under the genius of the Mississippi, Capt Joe Brown—the Chief Engineer.

The North Star, Capt Hasleys Wesons, Capt Shunk; Mariner, Capt Dreer; Arctic, Capt Devinney; J. H. Conn and Thos Scott; Hibernia, Capt Occk; Minerva, Capt Gosnell; R. F. Dilbard, Capt Grier; all were to leave Cincinnati for this city on Wednesday noon.

The Alma sailed last evening from this p'rt with a fine freight and a large number of passengers

STEAMBOAT REGISTER.

ARRIVED—Lexerne, Brownsville, Jefferson, do; Col. Bayard, Elizabeth; Tigress, Wellsville; Sheniango, St. Louis; Alma, do; James Wood, do; Forest City, Wheeling.

DEPARTED—Lexerne, Brownsville, Jefferson, do; Col. Bayard, Elizabeth; Tigress, Wellsville; Sheniango, St. Louis; Alma, do; James Wood, do; Forest City, Wheeling.

River 7½ feet and falling. Weather clear and pleasant.

AN ORDINANCE RELATIVE TO Election of Tax Collectors:

Be it ordained and enacted, That the third section of an Ordinance passed the 30th day of June, A. D., 1856, be and the same is hereby repealed, and that the 5th section of an Ordinance passed January 31, 1853, limiting all Collectors ineligible to re-election until the first Tuesday in May next, be and the same is hereby revived.

SECTION 2. That hereafter the per centage to be allowed to Collectors of City Taxes and Water Rents shall be three per cent., and all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law, this 27th day of April, A. D. 1857.

JAMES M'CULEY,

President of Select Council.

Attest, JOHN T. WEETER,

Clerk