



HOW LOU DILLON IS CARED FOR.

Daily Life of Billings' Champion Trotter-Trainer and Two Attendants.

HER FOOD AND EXERCISE.

She Sleeps, Wrapped Carefully in a Padded Box Stall—Each Day's Program.

Few people realize the care that is lavished on C. K. G. Billings' little champion trotter, Lou Dillon. She is constantly attended by her trainer and two other men, experts in the handling of race horses. Her owner apparently cares little for expense so long as his famous little mare is properly cared for. There is a daily routine laid out for her, and it is faithfully adhered to. She thinks a great deal of her attendants and especially of her trainer, Milton F. Sanders. She seems to recognize his footsteps whenever he goes near her stall. This famous animal sleeps in a padded box stall, and is wrapped in blankets. For breakfast she is given two quarts and a half of selected oats and some carrots. After the morning meal she has the bandages of cotton removed and is given a thorough brushing. She is then given a couple of miles exercise to cart or sulky. On her return to the stable she is massaged and rubbed and walked about for a couple of hours. Her dinner is the same as breakfast and is given at 4 o'clock. She is given a little extra exercise after which she is returned to the stable, and given hay that costs \$10.00 per ton. Carrots and oats again at 6 o'clock and the same at 9:30 and then she goes to bed.

The speaking of the characteristics of the trotting queen, Millard Sanders says that in her races Lou Dillon comes to the starting line with a hop, skip and a jump, all wrong from the orthodox point of view, but all right for Lou Dillon.

"In another horse such conduct would be most reprehensible, and would prove a bad habit for a race horse. Lou Dillon is so high strung, so full of strength, that she simply can't hold herself; she must dance and prance. But once in the race, no horse ever goes truer and more steady than Lou Dillon. She is given her hay with the same care and attention as the man behind simply gives a word of advice at critical points.

"Three years ago I found Lou in disgrace on account of what was supposed to be her inebriated condition. As a consequence of this, she was quarantined with higher education, and so the following season I brought her with my stable on the grand circuit, which includes the tracks at Cleveland, Detroit, Buffalo, Boston, New York, Lexington, Cincinnati, etc. Lou Dillon has been a constant change and excitement, and Lou Dillon still all tracks and had been with me since she was a year old. All the time she was gaining in experience and confidence. She had all the benefits of racing and none of the strain. I expect to see her win even the pacing horse record this year. She has paced her mile in 2:25. As an instance of her courage and steadiness, I may mention that the first automobile she ever saw was in the road at Cleveland during her first season away from the farm.

"The machine came at us making much noise, but Lou only looked at it, pricking up her ears. The automobile stopped, and at my request she walked up to and examined the strange looking thing with curiosity, but without the slightest show of fear. The automobile driver took her picture. On advantage that Lou has over most horses is that she can give her the utmost freedom. She wears only a pair of thin boots and a light pair of garter boots, while her shoes are the lightest. Lou Dillon is a fast trotter, her front shoes weighing 4 1/2 ounces each and her hind shoes 2 1/2 ounces each."

RACES AT OAKLAND.

Bombardier Proved a Winner in the California Derby—Judge Second.

San Francisco, Feb. 22.—Bombardier, the clever son of Mario and Middle Dyer, ridden by See, won the California Derby at Oakland today. Judge finished second, but was disqualified for fouling. Bombardier was never better than third after being bumped, and finished badly the last quarter. Toledo was last all the way. Daily rider was at a mile and a quarter, with a value of \$3,000. Bombardier was a strong favorite, and was next in demand. Bombardier was 10 to 1 in the early betting, but closed at 8.

Bombardier and Judge raced on almost even terms to the stand, when Judge showed in front. Bombardier tried to get through with Formator, but the first turn was reached, but Daily cut in with Judge and the favorite was knocked back. After that Bombardier went to the front and was never headed. Judge was a close second until the stretch was reached, when Bombardier drew away, winning easily. Bombardier was never better than third after being bumped, and finished badly the last quarter. Toledo was last all the way. Daily rider was at a mile and a quarter, with a value of \$3,000. Bombardier was a strong favorite, and was next in demand. Bombardier was 10 to 1 in the early betting, but closed at 8.

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Fifth race, mile and fifty yards, selling—Carson won, Ray Dare second, Cloche third. Time—1:40.

Sixth race, mile and a sixteenth, purse—Divina won, Leader second, Esherin third. Time—1:45.

Ascot Park Events.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 22.—A large holiday crowd visited Ascot today, where the Riverside handicap, with \$1,000 added money, a sweepstakes for 2-year-olds and Obidicut at one mile was the feature.

Corseman, a 7 to 1 favorite, won by a nose from Rag Tag, with Nitrate third. The time was 1:28, which is the best made thus far over Ascot track. Rag Tag was second choice in the betting and a large sum went in on his chances. Favorites were successful in the majority of the races and the public took home a snug sum. Results:

First race, four furlongs—El Oros won, Hilena second, Preila third. Time—1:29.

Second race, one mile, selling—Columbia won, Iras second, Milan third. Time—1:45.

Third race, Slauson course, selling—Durbur won, Chief Aloha second, Lady Ponce third. Time—1:31.

Fourth race, one mile, the Riverside stakes, \$1,000 added—Corseman won, Rag Tag second, Nitrate third. Time—1:39.

Fifth race, seven furlongs, selling—Edin King won, Glennevis second, Dolly Hayman third. Time—1:28.

Ten Round Draw.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 22.—Kid Abel of Chicago and A. J. D. of New Haven, Conn., fought ten rounds to a draw before the Riverside Athletic club of this city tonight.

Jack O'Brien Won.

Chicago, Feb. 22.—Jack O'Brien of Philadelphia disposed of Charlie Mack of Milwaukee in the third round of a six round bout tonight. Mack was knocked down several times in the second round and was in no condition to fight when the sixth round was called and the referee gave the fight to O'Brien.

Coming Ring Contests.

Feb. 23.—J. Stone vs K. Beebe, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Feb. 23.—A. Herrera vs B. Ryan, Chicago, Ill.

Feb. 23.—J. Everhardt vs M. Matthews, New Orleans, La.

Feb. 23.—G. Phalen vs P. Dwyer, London, Eng.

Feb. 23.—O. Moran vs D. Morgan, London, Eng.

March 2.—Jack Clifford vs Jack O'Keefe, Salt Lake City.

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March 2.—W. Fitzgerald vs B. Ryan, Butte, Mont.

April 1.—M. Connelley vs J. Britt, San Francisco, Cal.

W. S. A. DEFEATED.

B. Y. C. Basketball Team Turned the Trick at Logan Yesterday.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

Won. Lost. P. C.

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were right, the people of Panama were entitled to be free again, the isthmus was theirs and they were entitled to govern it; and it would have been a shameful thing for the government of the United States to return them to their servitude.

"We shall not give back the money we spend upon the canal any more than we shall get back the money we have expended to make Cuba free and independent, or the money we have expended to set the people of the Philippines on the path of ordered liberty and competency for self-government. But we shall promote our commerce, we shall build our Atlantic and Pacific coasts, we shall render inestimable service to mankind, and we shall grow in greatness and honor and in the strength that comes from difficult tasks accomplished and from the exercise of the power that strives in the nature of a great constructive people."

Alfred Klein, Comedian, Dead.

New York, Feb. 23.—Alfred Klein, a comedian, prominently known on the stage for many years, is dead in a sanitarium at Amityville, L. I., where he had been ill for more than a year. He first suffered from nervous prostration, and recently his mind had failed. He was born in England 40 years ago. His most popular work was in "Wang" and "El Capitán."

The Biggest Briton Dead.

New York, Feb. 23.—The heaviest man in the British empire is dead, from a cancer, says a Herald dispatch from London. He was Thomas Langley of Dover. His weight exceeded 600 pounds, while he was six feet one inch in height and had a chest measurement of 79 inches.

Al-Ki and Ramona Safe.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 23.—The Pacific Coast Steamship company's steamers Al-Ki and Ramona, concerning which there had been much rumor, owing to the terrible storm they were reported to have encountered in Lynn canal, are both safe and on their way to Seattle according to telegrams received by the company last night.

American Drowned in the Seine.

Paris, Feb. 23.—The body of Henry Hazleton of St. Louis, a wholesale dealer in fine lace, was found floating in the Seine, near the Neuilly bridge, since December 29, 1903, was taken from the river. There were no marks of violence on the body.

ELEONORA PETRELLI DEAD.

Once Renowned Opera Singer Dies in Want.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—The Inter-Ocean today says:

Mrs. Eleonora Petrelli, once a world-renowned opera singer, and widow of Prince von Petroff of Russia, has died in an obscure hotel in Chicago, alone and in want, save for the charity of strangers.

Daughter and heiress of one of the wealthiest counts of Scandinavia, this wonderful woman lived to see two great fortunes melt away and to have her title of royalty taken from her.

Driven by necessity to sing for a living in the royal companies of the continent, the singer won her way upward in the profession until at the Russian court in St. Petersburg she became the wife of Prince von Petroff, a Russian nobleman. Then began the series of misfortunes which eventually left her adrift as a poor teacher of music in Chicago at the age of 37 years.

The singer had won fame under the name of Miss Petrelli in three royal opera companies. The name was assumed for stage purposes, and is Italian for Petroff, the name of her royal husband.

Her father was the Count Weigant of Sweden. Her mother was the Countess von Schwerin. Mrs. Petrelli's name when a child was Eleonora Weigant. She was descended in a direct line from the Grand Duke of Mecklenburg and the Rev. Count von Schwerin, and at one time the most noted man in Scandinavia.

Maj. Arthur McClellan Dead.

Philadelphia, Feb. 23.—Maj. Arthur McClellan, brother of the late Gen. George B. McClellan, and uncle of the mayor of New York, died suddenly today at Drifton, Pa., aged 65 years. He was a veteran of the Civil war.

A Disturbance at Prague.

Vienna, Feb. 22.—The disturbance created at Prague yesterday by several hundred Slav students following a service of intercession in the Russian church there for the success of the Russian arms was more serious than at first reported. Before the beginning of the service a rioting occurred between the opposing factions and several students were injured. Fully 1,000 students proceeded toward the United States consulate to make a hostile demonstration, but were prevented by the police. After the service the mayor and officials of Prague were given an ovation by the students, who shouted "Long live Russia and France" and "Down with Great Britain, Germany and the United States."

Students and others who attempted to make pro-Russian speeches were severely beaten.

Cortelyou's Home Deluged.

New York, Feb. 23.—A freshet caused by heavy rains suddenly melting great quantities of snow has deluged Hempstead, L. I., the home town of Secy. Cortelyou. The mansions of many New York millionaires are isolated through the destruction of roads and bridges, while the homes of many persons of smaller means were invaded by the rush of water and the residents were compelled to leave in row boats.

In two hours the water, rushing in from Hempstead Plains, rose nearly three feet. Residents along Front, Lower Main and Little Main streets were compelled to move their household goods to upper stories and the foundations were badly damaged. Water filled the basement of the town hall and covered the trolley line tracks, stopping all traffic.

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Candies
Chocolates
Bonbons
Given Away Free
with
Teas, Coffees, Spices
Baking Powder
It Pays to
Trade at
Great American Importing Tea Co's
245 Main Street,
SALT LAKE CITY.

has been done those buildings. The lawns surrounding the country places of August Belmont and several other millionaires were submerged and roads leading to the houses were destroyed, practically menacing the households until the water subsided.

Oil Engine Explodes.

Bakersfield, Cal., Feb. 22.—At 12:30 today the engine attached to the west-bound Santa Fe limited took fire while stopping at the Tehachapi station on the joint track of the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe. The engine was an oil burner and the oil caught fire between the tank and the engine. An explosion setting fire to a handsome composite coach immediately behind. Both were destroyed. From here the flames spread to the depot, a frame structure, which burned rapidly to the ground. There was a large amount of powder in the station building and when this exploded it made an enormous conflagration, which it was feared would spread to the town and completely destroy it, as it has no fire protection and is mostly of frame building. The fire, however, did not get beyond the railroad property.

The telegraph poles and wires running through the town were burned down, severing all communication to the south. None of the passengers or train crew were injured.

The loss, including engine, car and station, is estimated by the railroad officials at about \$50,000.

Miller and Ballantine Rearrested.

Manila, Feb. 23.—John T. Miller and W. D. Ballantine, who were acquitted in January in the local customs court of appeals before Judge Crossfield and Roxes, of conspiracy to defraud the customs by furthering the illegal entry of the non-exempt class of Chinese, were rearrested here today upon similar charges. Ballantine was an inspector of customs at the time of his arrest for the issuance of alleged fraudulent Chinese certificates, and Miller was an ex-inspector of immigration.

Jewel Cases Robbed.

New York, Feb. 23.—Jewel cases owned by daughters of some of the wealthiest families in the east have been despoiled by a clever burglar who had obtained entrance to a select school for young ladies at Pelham Manor, near this city. The robber made off with property worth more than \$2,000.

The robbery occurred during the dinner. No one saw the interloper, who must have climbed to an upper story and calmly went from room to room, helping himself to diamond rings, watches and chains by the dozen.

When the girls returned there was a man in the room. He was hurriedly summoned, but the thief had made good his escape.

JAMES MARTIN HANGED.

His Crime Was the Killing of J. R. Williams at Silverbow Junction.

Butte, Mont., Feb. 23.—James Martin was hanged this morning for the murder of J. R. Williams at Silverbow Junction in May, 1902. The trap was sprung at 4:45 a. m. The hanging took place in utter darkness and the only indication that the trap was sprung was the thud. His neck was broken by the fall. Martin's only words on the scaffold were "Good-bye, God bless you all."

Shot His Daughter.

Sioux City, Ia., Feb. 22.—Stephen Mauck, a blacksmith, shot and dangerously wounded his sixteen-year-old daughter today and then blew out his brains. He is believed to have been insane.

Scientific Miscellany.

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France to stop the inroads of sand, and now serves as an effective barrier for more than 100 miles.

The heat lost by radiation from bare pipes containing steam at 100 pounds pressure has been estimated by Prof. S. P. Thompson to be that of about two tons of coal a year for each 10 square feet of pipesurface. Another experimenter has found that 88 per cent of the loss is prevented by the best mica covering, but that asbestos covering is much inferior to mica, and cements are less effective still.

Carbon monoxide has been recently found to play a more important part in poisoning by tobacco smoke than nicotine. This poisonous gas forms a considerable part of the smoke, and, as much of the smoke from cigarettes is inhaled, it is thought to explain the harmfulness of this use of tobacco.

Thunder clouds sometimes reach a thickness of eight miles, with varying strata of damp mist and frozen snow and ice particles.

Up to 1903 a total of 634 meteorites was known, of which 182 irons and only 74 stones were from the western hemisphere and 24 stones and only 79 irons were from the eastern hemisphere. The falls of only about 350 of these meteorites have been recorded, the records dating back to the fifteenth century. Despite the small number of known specimens, Prof. Berwerth of Vienna, has calculated that about 900 meteorites—not counting shooting stars that disappear in the atmosphere—must fall upon the earth each year, and that at least 55 of these should come under observation. Prof. Berwerth has noted some interesting facts concerning the distribution of the known falls. He finds that meteorites have been chiefly recorded in civilized countries, but that they are sometimes more numerous in thinly settled than in thickly populated areas, and that they seem to be specially attracted to mountainous regions.

The camera records of human emotions obtained at Geneva by Dr. E. Magnin, and M. Edward Fienheller are of remarkable artistic and scientific value. The experiments have been made upon a very susceptible hypnotic subject, who has been influenced by both musical and oral suggestion, and the entire range of human passions—joy, anger, fear, sadness, gluttony, etc.—have been recorded in about 500 photographs of the woman under the various forms of suggestion. The intensity of the expressions is said to have been rarely equalled by the great artists.

A curious effect of the Ismailia canal in Egypt has been the making of a desert of certain lands formerly fertile. The canal has not only raised the general level of the subsoil water, but it has brought to the surface more or less injurious salts of soda.

The wanderings and migrations of insects is a new subject of study, which has been begun at the Eddystone light-house by Mr. W. E. Clarke.

An investigation at Harvard college observatory has shown that the milky way has about twice as many stars as any other equal area of the sky. This ratio does not increase for faint stars down to the twelfth magnitude, but the proportion of stars of any given magnitude is the same as in other regions. The milky way covers about one-third of the sky, containing about one-half of the stars. About 19,000 stars are of magnitude 6.5 or brighter, 100,000 of magnitude 7, 1,000,000 of magnitude 11, and 2,000,000 of magnitude 11.9, while it is thought—but not certainly known—that 18,000,000 stars are visible in a telescope of 15 inches aperture, that is, down to about the 15th magnitude. There is no evidence of any limit to the faintness of the stars, although the proportionate increase becomes less for each successive magnitude.

Westrumite, the invention of Herr van Westrum, is a mixture of oil, which may be diluted as desired, and sprinkled over a road with an ordinary watering cart. The water evaporates, leaving the westrumite as a moist film, which absolutely prevents the rising of dust. Tested in London on a dry road, where every vehicle raised clouds of dust, the material so affected the surface that several automobiles at highest speed raised no dust whatever.

A new system of wireless telegraphy is based on a detector of electric waves described by W. Schlenker, a German. The detector depends on the property that when electric waves fall on a polarized electrolytic cell placed in circuit with a source of current of slightly higher electro-motive force, the current in the circuit is increased from some cause.

While rays emitted by muscles appear to be the N-rays of Houdot, A. Charpentier finds that those from nervous origin are not deflected by aluminum.

APHORISMS.

Fortune befriends the bold.—Dryden.

Borrowing is not much better than begging.—Lessing.

To see what is right and not to do it is want of courage.—Confucius.

An ounce of contentment is worth a pound of sadness, to serve said with a fuller.

The man who is above his business may say day find his business above him—Cromwell.

We cannot control the evil tongues of others, but a good life enables us to despise them.—Cicero.

It is a wise man who knows his own business; and it is a wiser man who thoroughly attends to it.—Voltaire.

If he could only see how small a vacancy his death would leave, the proud man would think less of the place he occupies in his lifetime.—Laguerre.

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ONE PRICE TO ALL NEVER UNDERSOLD
New Wash Fabrics
WHITE AND COLORED.
We're selling more Wash Goods Novelties every day now than we've usually sold in May. Ladies have been quick to recognize the superiority of our assortments, and to realize that later it may be difficult to get them.
Each freight from the East during the past week has added hundreds of pieces of beautiful Wash fabrics to our stock, until now we can candidly boast of THE LARGEST, THE FINEST, THE MOST ELEGANT STOCK ever seen in the city at the beginning of the season. Beautiful Exclusive things that will be found at F. Auerbach & Bro. only. TAKE ADVANTAGE OF FIRST CHOICE.
Bargain Chances For the Week in Colored Wash Fabrics.
Nubbed Voles—In Baurette styles, for Girls' Dresses and Ladies' Waists, new blues, light blues, pinks and tans, value 25c, here at per yard **15 cts**
New Galatea Cloths, the most durable materials for children's wash suits and perfectly