

HORSE TAMING.

Since the appearance of Mr. Rary with his wonderful feat of horse-taming the interest of the public in the management of vicious animals has received a decided impulse.

"Some fifteen or twenty years ago we witnessed a 'horse-taming' performance among the Ojage Indians. The occasion in question was one of the annual festivals common with our aborigines, and most of the amusements partook of equestrian performances.

"Among the outsiders associated with the Ojages was a white hunter, who, from his prowess, had gained the name of the 'horse-tamer'.

"It was with no common interest we watched the proceedings of the horse-tamer. The Indians, who had given up in despair the trial which the javelin had before us so confidently accepted, were now of powerful strength, and the most astonishing activity, and the best equestrians we ever saw or imagined; and that they could be beaten seemed no less than a miracle.

All these things being to his satisfaction, he next proceeded to roll up an Indian blanket, into a hard ball, which he fastened to the long pommel of the saddle in such a way that the ends of it would firmly bind upon his thighs if once mounted. Then, with a small deer skin thong, he tied the stirrups underneath the horse so that they could not fly above the level of the animal's belly.

"The Ojage then, in a sudden effort, threw off his burden; but this had been anticipated, for as he threw himself into the air, the blanket bound the rider to his seat. The second effort, that of rolling on the ground, also failed; for as the horse threw himself on his side, the tamer landed gracefully on his feet, the deer skin thong kept the stirrups in their places, and at the next instant, as the rider was up with him, a long heavy and prolonged shout followed the initial table exhibition. The wild horse, for the first time, felt the possibility of defeat; his proud bearing was already half gone, for all of his succeeding efforts were those of despair.

"Vain, indeed, were his displays of power. The rearing, pitching, shying, plunging, running, and suddenly stopping, seemed all known beforehand, and met with a perfect guard that displayed the most consummate judgment and skill in horsemanship. At last the tamer seemed tired of the cruel sport, and he took advantage of his infuriated victim as he threw his feet in the air, he slipped quickly behind, and with a slight jerk encoiled the horse over on his back, driving his head deep in the soft turf. Stunned and confounded, the poor disheartened animal rolled upon his side, and the tamer threw his bridle over his back and left him. The poor creature was completely conquered; trembling from head to foot, and half drowned with the profuse sweat that rolled from his sides, he cast a look of imploring despair at the crowd, and big tears actually rolled down his cheeks; he was completely conquered.

"A little coming brought him on his feet, the saddle was removed from his back, the bridle from his head, and the stallion, so long wild, walked slowly off, and by a singular law of nature associated with the pack-horse of the time where he waits patiently to do his master's bidding.

Our Countrymen Abroad.—Papers at home and abroad concur in stating that there are about three thousand of our fellow-citizens away from their native land. We may suppose that one-half of these are about a whole year, and spend, on an average, two thousand dollars annually, which is \$3,000,000. Suppose the other half of these fashionable emigrants to spend one thousand dollars per annum, and we have \$4,500,000. Yast numbers of people on the continent depend on this sum, and that expended by English and Russian travelers, for their support. Hotels, restaurants and restaurants innumerable base their calculations on foreign influx.

Professional Cards. DENTAL NOTICE. DR. BESSENT. HAS REMOVED TO THE DENTAL ROOMS...

W. L. BARRIER, DENTIST, MT. PLEASANT, N. C. March 13, 1890.

BUSINESS CARDS. N. M. MARTIN, BRO. & CO., MERCHANTS, PETERSBURG, VA.

K. M. MARTIN, SON & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANTS, RICHMOND, VA.

WORTH & DANIEL, Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Commission Merchants, WILMINGTON, N. C.

ORRELL & GRADY, HATS, CAPS, Straw and Millinery Goods, No. 18 Cornhill Street, New York.

JAMES HORRAH, WATCH-MAKER AND JEWELER, SALISBURY, N. C.

MICHAEL BROWN, COMMISSION MERCHANT, SALESBURY, N. C.

Collecting Agent. THE undersigned offers his services to the public as a Collecting Agent...

Book Bindery IN SALISBURY. M. W. DICKS would respectfully inform the citizens of Salisbury...

Brown's Livery Stable. I have up at my livery stable...

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