TRAINING HORSES.

ing the Stock for the Circus Ring in Summer.

through the winter circus men training the animals for new s for the next summer. The ar is by no means an idle time. ining horses for the ring is inter- ing work. The first thing done is ge the new horses in the stables the old circus horses to get them to their new company, and a thing noticed is that the old es are jealous of the newcomers. reat deal of patience and time uired to train the horses to run nd the ring. They are blindfold- ntil taught to run around the ring circle. The natural tendency of horse is to run straight, and it hard thing for him to learn. A em of checks and lines makes the ching easier than formerly.

The horse is an observant animal pt to do what he sees another e do, so when the blndfold is re- ved he is placed alongside an old ined horse, and the man who is to ride the new animal does tricks with e old ones, then tries them on the self. A good, intelligent horse soon ms and actually helps his rider. Horses are very sensitive to ap- ause, and with that stimulus will twice as much work as without. ey are just as likely to lose their ds as human performers and have be carefully watched. A well ined ring horse is easily worth $1,- and riders who are stars usually n their horses. The most care ful ention is given these animals. Be- re each act their backs are rubbed ith resin, which has to be washed off terward.

MOULDER'S FORTUNE

Barkley, of Hamilton, finds a Cure for Rheumatism.

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Hamilton, Dec. 11.—George Barkley, a moulder of this city, is satisfied he has found a sure cure for Rheumatism at last. He, as is well known among his friends, has been searching for such a medicine for the last few years and until recently quite vainly. He has since been cured of his own case and he reasonably infers that the remedy that cured him will cure others.

Rheumatism is well known to be a disease resulting from disordered kidneys. That is nowadays an acknowledged fact. Uric acid, which should be filtered out of the blood by the kidneys, remains in the system when those organs are unhealthy, and lodges in the joints, causing rheumatism. The reasonable argument remains therefore to cure Rheumatism by curing the kidneys. This is exactly what Mr. Barkely did. He used Dodd's Kidney Pills—the best kidney medicine in the world—and is to-day entirely free from his old complaint. He writes as follows:

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