

gardens in winter in company with titmouse of different species. Perhaps our correspondent has accidentally overlooked these.—Ed.]

Attack on Keepers by a Rhinoceros at the Zoological Gardens.—

An accident occurred at the Zoological Gardens on Saturday last, the 21st inst., although not of so serious a nature as was at first reported. It appears that two of the keepers were engaged in cleaning out the den of the large Indian rhinoceros while the animal was in the outside paddock. Its uncertain temper and vicious habits have always rendered the assistance of a third keeper necessary to attract its attention while the cleaning process was carried out, but on the day in question it appears that this precaution was neglected, and the animal, suddenly and silently rushing back into its den, caught the keepers unawares, and severely bruised one of them before he could effect his escape. Fortunately no bones were broken, nor any serious wound inflicted, and the sufferer is shortly expected to return to his duties.

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