

PORT ORFORD POST.

THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 1881.

Hints to Writers for the Press.

I. Write upon one side of the sheet only. Why? Because it is often necessary to cut the pages into "takes" for the compositors, and this cannot be done when both sides are written upon.

II. Write clearly and distinctly, being particularly careful in the matter of proper names, and words from foreign languages. Why? Because you have no right to ask either editor or compositor to waste his time puzzling out the result of your selfishness.

III. Don't write in a microscopic hand. Why? Because the compositor has to read it across his case, at a distance of nearly two feet; also because the editor often wants to make additions and other changes.

IV. Don't begin at the very top of the first page. Why? Because if you have written a head for your article, the editor will probably want to change it; and if you have not, which is the better way, he must write one. Besides, he wants room in which to write his instructions to the printer as to the type to be used, where and when the proof is to be sent, etc.

V. Never roll your manuscript. Why? Because it maddens and exasperates everyone who touches it—editor, compositor and proof reader.

VI. Be brief. Why? Because people don't read long stories. The number of readers which any two articles have is inversely proportioned to the square of their respective lengths. That is, a half a column article is read by four times as many people as one of double that length.

VII. Have the fear of the waste basket constantly and steadily before your eyes. Why? Because it will save you a vast amount of useless labor to say nothing of paper and postage.

VIII. Always write your full name and address plainly at the end of your letter. Why? Because it often happens that the editor will want to communicate with you, and because he needs to know the writer's name as a guarantee of good faith. If you use a pseudonym or initials, write your name and address below it; it will never be divulged.

IX. "These precepts in thy memory keep," and, for fear you might forget them, cut them out and put them where you can readily run through them when tempted to spill innocent ink. Our word for it, those who heed these rules will be beloved and favored in every editorial sanetum.

Adam Forepaugh, the great showman, has distanced Barnum in the point of enterprise, having offered a premium for the most beautiful woman in the world. The sum is \$10,000, and hence it is sufficient to call forth the highest degree of rivalry. Contestants are required to send in their photographs by the last of March.

CLIPPINGS.

Ben Holladay, the original proprietor of the O. & C. R. R. will arrive in Oregon this month.

D. S. Joubert, the Boer leader, is an American, and served in the Union army during the Rebellion.

Hugh J. Jewett, who was elected to succeed General Grant as President of the World's Fair Commission of New York, has declined.

Thomas M. Halpin, the widely known Irish leader, who was Secretary of the celebrated movement in 1843, died in Chicago on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stowell, of Eugene City celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding one day last week. They were married in Tennessee in 1812.

Judge Treat, of the United States Court at St. Louis decided that the Singer sewing machine patents have expired, and that any body can manufacture the machines.

The Baltimore Every Sunday commences an item with "An old lady died in the west end last week." It is supposed the result was just as fatal as if she had died all over.—Norristown Herald.

Fifty millions of documents are said to have been sent from Washington by Congressmen and by campaign bureaus last year. This is five documents for every voter. I would be a nice calculation to tell what good they all did.

An aged forester has published the following in a Leipzig Journal: "I do not wish to carry to my grave my much approved cure for the bites of mad dogs, but will publish the same as the last service which I can offer the world. Wash the wound or bite perfectly clean with vinegar and tipped water then dry it. Afterward pour into the wound a few drops of muriatic acid for mineral acids destroy the poison of the dog's saliva."

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of THOMAS TAYLOR, deceased, of Curry County, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them to me at Ellensburg in Curry County, within six months from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to pay the same to me without delay. Dated at Ellensburg, Or., April 8, 1881. a21-47-6 RAN. TICHENOR, Admr.

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