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The contrast between gilts and aged sows has often been dwelt upon, writes G. P. Williams in the Ohio Farmer. The man who has a bunch of gilts is too often like the boy beginning grammar—his suspicions and prejudices are thoroughly aroused, and he does not expect much luck with the young sows. We have tried both young and old and all ages between. Our ideas have changed from time to time. There are reasons for contending in favor of both young and old sows.

When young sows are to be wintered with the old ones then get ready for the realization of your fears. Gilts will be driven from the trough, from the corn and from the nest by old sows. They will be thoroughly cowed so as to be peevish and ill nourished. Gilts should be fed differently from old sows. They cannot stand heavy feeding and do well. They need growth instead of fat. They need exercise. They do not want a 500 pound sow climbing on top of them in the nest at night.

Five years ago we had spring litters from gilts only, wintered together with no old sows. We had better averages at farrowing time than ever since. This spring we have all gilts, wintered together, as before, fed with moderation and a food designed for growth, by far more quiet and careful than the bunch we said goodbye to last spring. They have as nice and even a lot of piglets as one would care to see—averages good, no runts, no half dozen extra pigs to be laid upon and no bad habits, barking and climbing over gates or creating disturbances.

We have found no age better for raising pigs than gilts bred at one year of age and farrowing when weighing 300 pounds or even less. The next two or three litters are possibly as good. After that the pork barrel is a better place for most old sows than is the farrowing pen.

California Solons See Malfeasance

Sacramento, Cal.—Malfeasance in office is the charge made against Frank C. Jordan, secretary of state of California, in a unanimous report of the joint legislative committee which investigated the payment of fees into his department. The committee recommends that the case be put in the hands of the attorney general.

Notice of Special Election

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the City of Ontario, Malheur County, Oregon, at the Council Chambers in said city, and in the territory proposed to be annexed to said City, at house on lots 8 and 9, block 9, Riverside Add. to Ontario on the 27th day of May, 1913, for the purpose of voting upon the question: "Shall the boundaries of the City of Ontario, in Malheur County, Oregon, be enlarged so as to embrace and include the following described territory: Beginning at the northeast corner of Lot 2 in Section 3, Township 18 South, Range 47 East W. M., thence South to the Southeast corner of the NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of section 10, said township and range, thence west to the Southwest corner of the E 1/4 of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of section 9, said township and range; thence North to the Northwest corner of E 1/4 of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of said sec. 9; thence West to the Southwest corner of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of said section 9; thence North to the Northwest corner of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, said section 9; thence west to the Southwest corner of Section 4, said township and range; thence North to the Northwest corner of the SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of said section 4; thence East to the Northeast corner of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of said section 4; thence North to the Northwest corner of the NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of said section 4; thence East 1000 feet on the North

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line of the NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of said section 4; thence North 660 feet to the North line of the SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of said section 4; thence East to the Northeast corner of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of said section 4; thence North to the Northwest corner of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of said section 4; thence East to the section line at the Northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of said section 4; thence North on the section line to Snake river, at the Northwest corner of Lot 1 in Section 34, Township 17, South, Range 47 East W. M.; thence on the South side of said Snake river, along the meander line, to the place of beginning."

The ballots used at said election will contain the description of the property and the words "For Annexation" and the words "Against Annexation." All qualified electors of the City of Ontario and of the territory proposed to be annexed, are invited and requested to vote at said election by marking their ballot either "For Annexation" or "Against Annexation," as the case may be.

The judges and clerks of said election shall be as follows: In the City of Ontario, W. J. Pinney, Con Ryan and J. G. Staples shall be judges and D. P. Dearborn and E. M. Greig, clerks. In the territory proposed to be annexed, T. W. Brown, E. G. Harter and Amos Johnson, shall be judges and H. L. Peterson and Ray Wilson clerks of said election.

Dated at Ontario, Oregon, this 21st day of April, 1913.

By Order of City Council.

Harry B. Grauel,
City Recorder.

Vale 0271, Burns 01304.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, April 5th, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Rolla V. Rusk, of Ontario, Oregon, who on January 22nd, 1909 made Homestead application, No. Vale 0271, for W 1/2 SE 1/4 and E 1/4, SW 1/4 Section 14, Township 17 S, Range 46 E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, on the 20th day of May, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Guy P. Morgan, Frank Welch, Joseph Little, John Taylor, of Ontario, Oregon.

Bruce R. Kester Register.

Vale 0743 Burns 02654 H E 3607.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, April 25th, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Isabella McClelland, of Ontario, Oregon, who on June 1st, 1908, made Homestead Application, No. 0743, for S 1/2 S 1/2, Section 26, Township 18 S., Range 46 E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, on the 9th day of June, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John Walters, Rex Marquis, Edwin Berry, William Butler, of Ontario, Oregon.

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