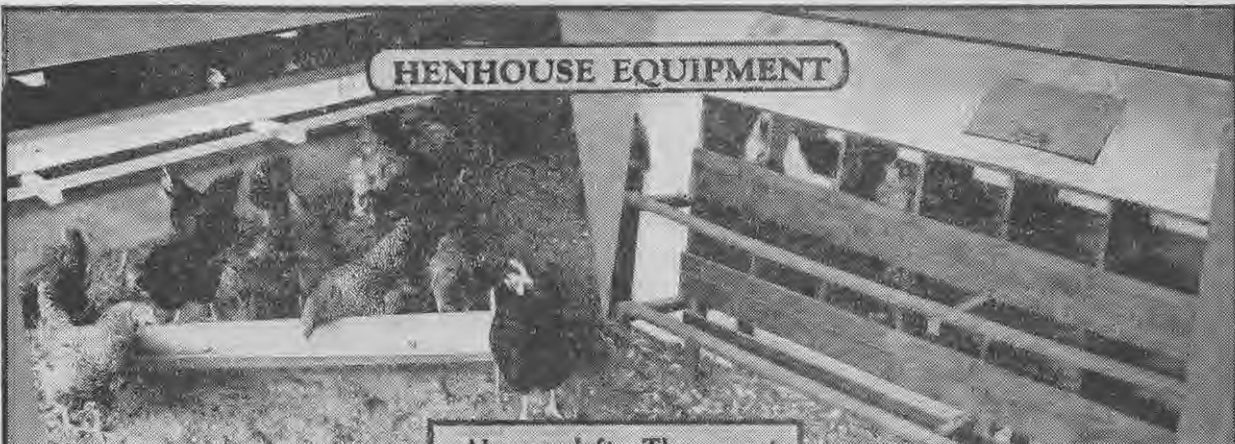
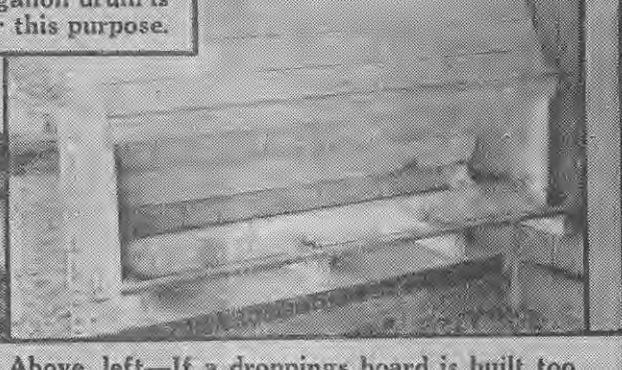
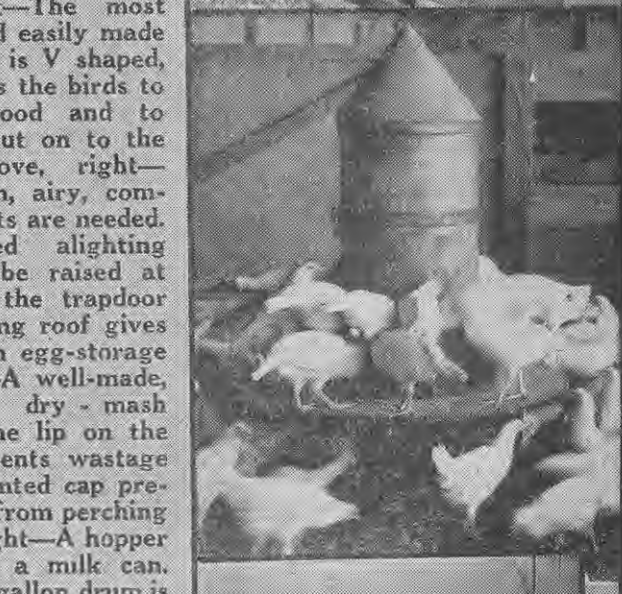
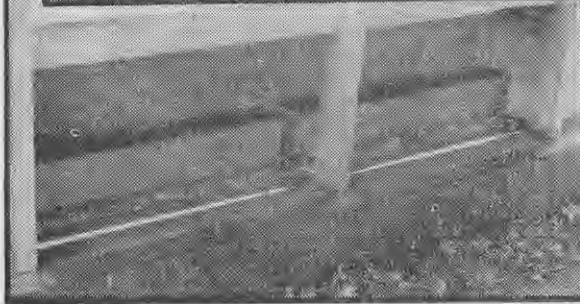
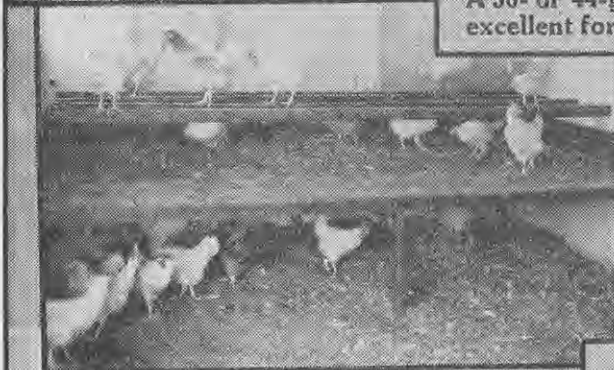


## HENHOUSE EQUIPMENT



Above, left—The most common and easily made feed trough is V shaped, but it allows the birds to foul the food and to scratch it out on to the litter. Above, right—Ample clean, airy, comfortable nests are needed. The hinged alighting board can be raised at night, and the trapdoor in the sloping roof gives access to an egg-storage bin. Left—A well-made, automatic, dry - mash hopper. The lip on the saucer prevents wastage and the pointed cap prevents birds from perching on top. Right—A hopper made from a milk can. A 30- or 44-gallon drum is excellent for this purpose.



Above, left—If a droppings board is built too low, a dark hiding place is formed for timid fowls. The board should be 2ft. above litter level and the perches 10 to 12in. higher. Above, right—The wall type of mash hopper does not obstruct on floor space or provide cover for timid birds. Left—To help keep the floor litter dry, the drinking trough may be placed in a shelter built out on an outer wall of the house and provided with a slatted or netting floor so that the drips fall outside.