floor. The floor is cemented throughout. There is space for 100 tons or more of hay. The cost complete was \$1,925.

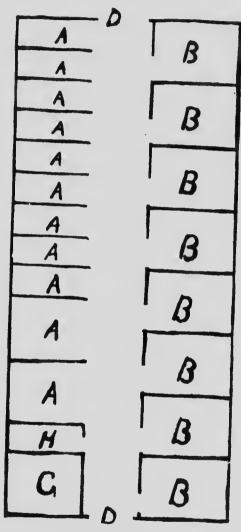


Figure 95.—Ground floor plan of a barn for brood mares. A—open stalls; B—box stalls; G—grain; H—tools.

339. Open Sheds. It is not necessary to build expensive barns to be successful in breeding. An open shed to run under in times of bad weather will give as good results as the most expensive barns. I have been handling mares in this manner for several years, and with very good results. This is also a very good way to winter young colts. Barns are only necessary with