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wers usually have a red
ems, petioles, and veins,
llings, and white-flowered
ably paler. The gardener
antage of this to separate
a mixed sowing into their
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n the seed-bed. But he
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gions, verbenas, and the
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ay be selected before the

be interesting to recall
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e ones. Nasturtiums are
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produce both types. The
th its deep blue flowers,
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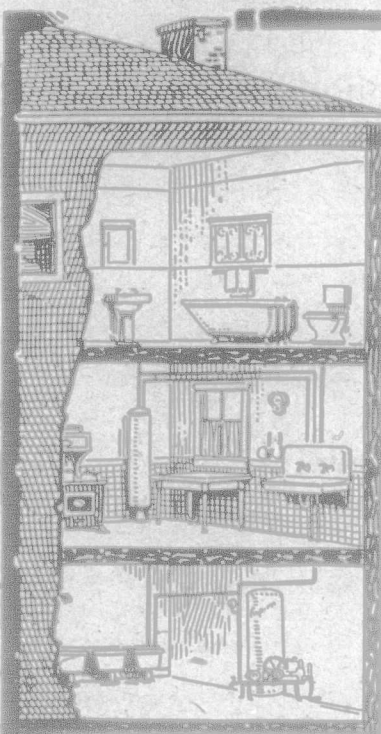
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t" she replied. "I have
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han you are."—Homiletic



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Lumps on Heifer.

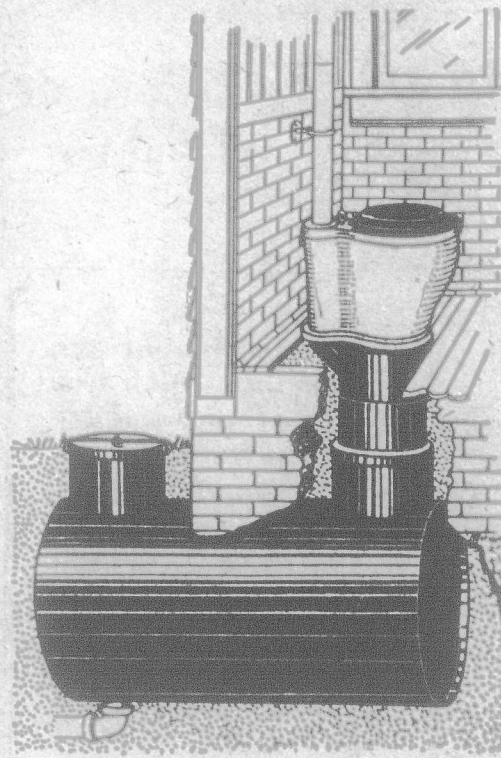
Pregnant heifer about a month ago got some small lumps on her front leg and shoulder. They do not seem to get any worse. F. R.

Ans.—Leave them alone until after she calves. They may disappear or they may remain as they are and do no harm. If they increase in size, they can be carefully dissected out by a veterinarian, but local applications are not effective in such cases. V.

Diarrhoea in Pigs.

Forty 4-months-old pigs on an acre of pasture and fed on oats, corn and barley, have taken diarrhoea and two of them have died. O. R. S.

Ans.—The area of grass is too small for the number of pigs, and this may be the cause of the trouble. Move to fresh pasture. Feed chop of 3 parts oats and 1 part barley, to which you may add a little middlings or bran. Add to the milk or water given $\frac{1}{2}$ of its bulk of lime water. If necessary to check the diarrhoea quickly, give each pig 5 to 10 drops of



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Infectious Abortion.

How should I treat infectious abortion in my herd of milkers? I have been using serum. C. F. S.

Remove the healthy animals to non-infected quarters, or isolate the diseased and thoroughly disinfect the infected quarters, that is, the quarters in which the infected animals have been kept.

Care must be taken to not carry the infection to the healthy cows on the hands or clothes of the attendant, on blankets, pads, stable utensils or in any way. Bathe the udder of the diseased frequently with hot water and after bathing rub well with camphorated oil to which has been added 10 drops of carbolic acid per ounce. Milk 3 times daily and destroy the milk. A diseased cow must not be turned with the healthy until thoroughly free from the disease. The serum you mention is recommended, but I have not had occasion to use it, hence cannot pass an opinion as to its value. It would be well to place the herd in charge of your local veterinarian. V.