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#### **Ouestions and Answers.** Miscellaneous.

### Trespassing Bull.

1. A and P. have adjoining farms A's pure-bred Bull while out for water at noon hour breaks over and gets with B's heifer. Can B collect damages whether B's heifer gets with calf or not

2. If so, if a year has expired and B has not claimed damages can be do so then, or how long after? OLD SUBSCRIBER.

Ans.-1. B has a right of action for the damages, if any. He might have difficulty in proving damage.

2. Yes; he would have at least an-

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### Cement Floor For Hog Pen.

1. How much cement, sand and stone or cement, gravel and stone will be required to floor a log hog-pen 151/ feet by 16 feet 8 inches? Sleeping apartment to be 6x6 feet, raised 6 inches above floor, with 2-foot wall, on four sides. Wall to be 5 inches thick. There will also be a wall 6 inches high, for both sides of trough and around either way to sleeping apartment. The total distance from trough to sleeping apart ment either way will be 32, feet with out wall or trough.

What proportion of cement, sand and stone will we use, or, in using gravel instead of coarse sand, what will be the proportion of each?

3. The land has a slight slope and is more or less springy. How should stone be put in to allow of as free circulation of water as possible? The distance is too far and means insufficient to do both concrete work and

laying tile

4. Have seen hog-pens made of cement and gravel, that were rooted out. Will you please state your opinion as to what was the matter with con

Ans. -1. A layer of stone may be put in as a bottom for the concrete About 3½ cubic yards of gravel and sand and 3 barrels of cement will be required for the floor. The sleeping apartment, walls and troughs will require about 2 cubic yards of grave and sand, and 1½ barrels of cement. would not be advisable to use stone a five-inch wall or in a Linch floor.

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