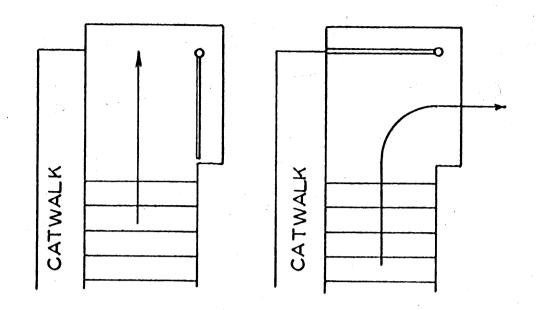




THE LOADING GATE SHOULD BE A TWO WAY GATE, FOR SIDE OR REAR LOADING



(3) <u>CATWALK</u>

THE CATWALK SHOULD BE MIN. 24

4 SCALE THE SCALE IS C

THE SCALE IS OPTIONAL, BUT SHOULD
BE CONSIDERED AN IMPORTANT ITEM TO
DETERMINE LIVESTOCK GAINS AND LOSSES

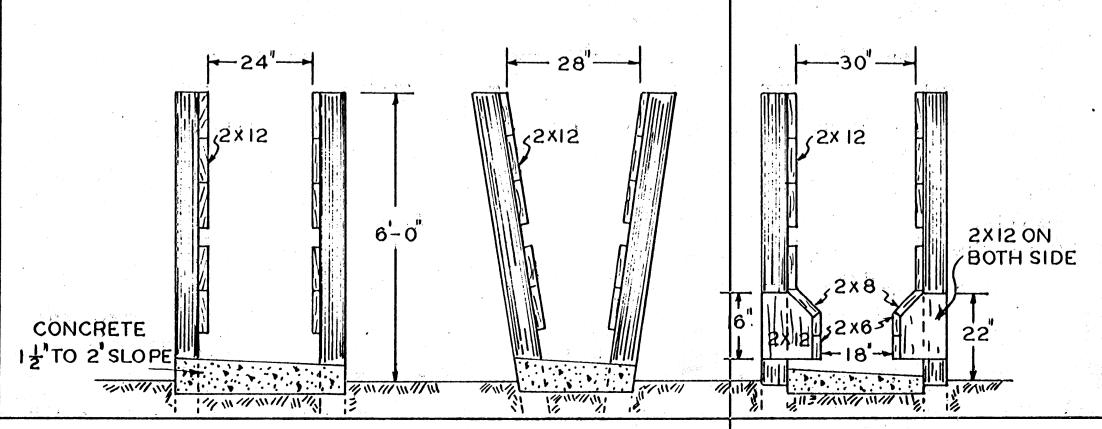
⑤ CALF TABLE

CALF TABLES ARE AVAILABLE FROM
COMMERCIAL COMPANIES, PLANS CAN
BE OBTAINED FROM LAND GRANT COLLEGES

SQUEEZE

A SQUEEZE SHOULD BE A PART OF EVERY CATTLE CORRAL. SQUEEZES ARE AVAILABLE FROM COMMERCIAL COMPANIES

7 CHUTE



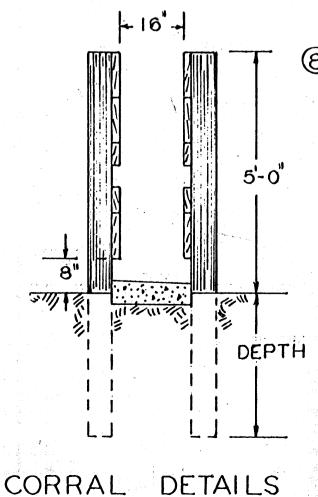
ADJUSTABLE WING GATE 2

PROPER CHUTE DESIGN IS VERY IMPORTANT, A CHUTE MUST BE STURDY AND OF THE PROPER WIDTH AND HEIGHT TO ALLOW HANDLING THE CATTLE WITHOUT PROBLEMS OF CATTLE TURNING AROUND OR JUMPING OUT OF THE CHUTE.

MOST CHUTES TODAY ARE TOO WIDE, A GOOD WIDTH FOR CHUTES IS 24 INCHES, EXTRA LARGE CATTLE MAY NEED A SOMEWHAT WIDER CHUTE.

SUPPORT POSTS FOR CHUTES SHOULD HAVE A MIN. 6 INCH DIAMETER. THEY SHOULD BE SET IN THE GROUND TO A MIN. DEPTH OF 3 FEET. WHERE ROCK IN SOIL RESTRICTS POST DEPTH, THEY SHOULD BE PLACED IN CONCRETE 6-8 INCHES THICK. OVERHEAD BRACES MAY ALSO BE NEEDED TO KEEP THE CORRAL TIGHT.

ECONOMICAL COMMERCIAL CHUTES ARE AVAILABLE WITH ADJUSTABLE WIDTHS TO HANDLE VARIOUS SIZES OF CATTLE CONSULT YOUR LOCAL DEALER.



8 CALF CHUTE

THIS CHUTE IS FOR CALVES UP TO 400 LBS. IT SHOULD BE 5'-0" HEIGHT, AND APPROX. 16" WIDE.

THE WALLS SHOULD BE SOLID BEGINNING 8" FROM THE GROUND. THE SLOT NEAR THE FLOOR IS DESIGNED TO PROVIDE EASIER CLEANING.

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