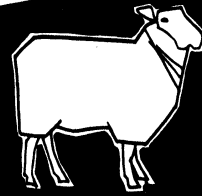




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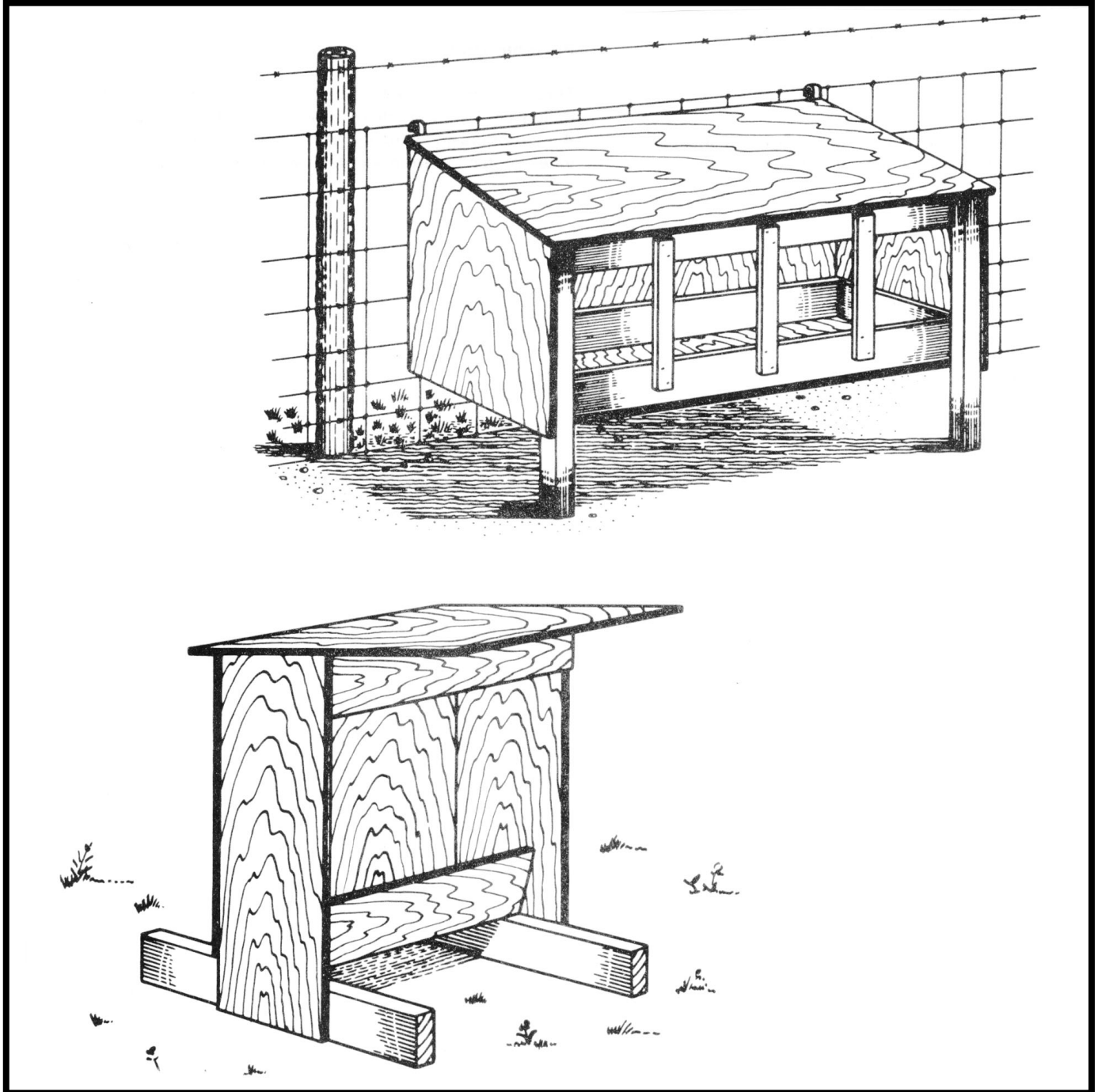
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## MINERAL BOX FOR SHEEP



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### MINERAL BOX

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The mineral box is a practical method of providing minerals to sheep in the field or in the yard. In this plan two types are shown, a fixed unit which attaches to a fence or building and a portable unit which is located anywhere in the field.

#### Construction

##### Fixed Unit

This unit is framed with 2 by 2 in. lumber and sheathed on the back, sides and bottom with 5/16 in. plywood.

A 1 by 4 in. lumber keeper at the front prevents wastage. Vertical spacers provide individual feeding spaces. Flat iron hangers are fastened to the back of the box so that it can be hung on a fence or a building.

##### Portable Unit

This is a simple box feeder made of 1/2 in. plywood nailed on 1 by 2 in. cleats. It is mounted on two 2 by 4 inch runners for stability. An overhanging roof provides protection from wind-blown rain and snow.