

## Local IH Servicemen Attend School

John Boose, Roy Weaver, Eby Hershey, and Charles B Hoobler Jr., Servicemen for C. B. Hooper & Son, International Harvester Dealer in Intercourse, Pa. have completed an intensive one-week training course on tractor hydraulics and hitches, diesel fuel injection systems, power steering, hydraulic pumps, valves and cylinders at International Harvester's Training Center near Tifton, Georgia.

Classes are small enough for each serviceman to receive ample personal direction. Each serviceman "learns by doing" By actually trouble-shooting the equipment and working with it, they are prepared to quickly diagnose and correct service problems. This new and practical experience can be put to use as soon as each man returns home. The service training center was originated to enable dealer service specialists to acquire training in professional skills needed to meet today's demanding requirements of complex farm and industrial machinery.

## Trophy Bucks Turn Up At Check Stations

A dozen or more trophy bucks believed to be big enough for entry in the Boone and Crockett record book were examined at the Pennsylvania Game Commission's four deer checking stations during the first week of the 1967 buck season.

The Boone and Crockett Club is the internationally-recognized organization which compiles official records of North American big game trophies.

About 4,000 bucks were examined at the deer checking stations last week, and a large number of fine specimens turned up. Many whitetails could not be examined because jaws were frozen shut.

The largest deer checked was a 188-pounder taken in Susquehanna County, Westmoreland County also produced several deer weighing over 180 pounds, and a 13-year-old Sandy Lake youth, Mark B. Voorhees, tagged a 12-point, 4½-year-old trophy which weighed 180 pounds. The big buck was taken in Venango County.

Several 7½-year-old deer were recorded. The lightest whitetail's examined were 1½-year-old spike bucks weighing 68 pounds. Among the unusual was examination of one set of antlers still on the velvet.

Veteran biologists concluded that as a whole this year's racks

were "the nicest we've seen in years," and 1½-year-old deer were heavier than normal.

Game Commission Research Chief Harvey A. Roberts thanked hunters for their splendid cooperation in taking the time to have their trophies examined. He pointed out that this is one of the Commission's chief tools in compiling data on the deer herd and hunters are the ultimate beneficiaries through information gained in the operation.

## WOODLOT SAFETY

Edward P. Farrand, extension forester at Penn State University, cautions farmers to be careful while working on farm woodlots this winter. Make sure axe handles are strong and solidly mounted; shut off the motor of the power chain saw while filling with gas. Be careful with footing, and beware of falling trees

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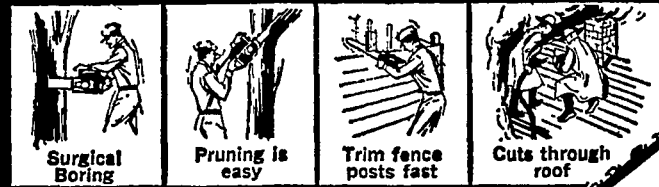
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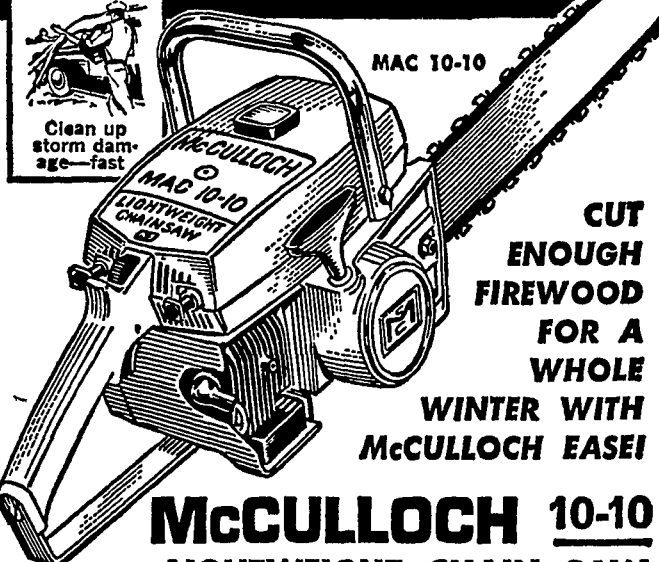
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