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Fall Is Best Time To Control Locust Borer

All varieties of locust trees are subject to attack by locust borers, and fall is the most opportune time to apply control measures, reminds Harold Gunderson, extension entomologist at Iowa State University.

Adult locust borers are beetles 3/4- to 1-inch long, with yellow chevrons on the back.

These locust borers feed on the pollen of goldenrods and a few other flowers. The adults mate and lay their eggs on the bark of locust trees.

The eggs hatch in the fall and the young larvae eat through the bark and burrow into the tree's trunk and larger branches. They will complete their development next summer and emerge as adults next fall, Gunderson explains.

Their burrowing severely weakens the locust trees and makes them susceptible to wind damage. This damage can be



A 3/4-yard loader attachment is the newest of eight quick mounting tools for Vermeer's Pow-R Ditchmaster tractor. This new loader can be mounted in a matter of minutes, the company says. The operator is seated on the front of the tractor unit for increased vision and better control. Heavy-duty 9:00x16 traction tires are driven by a 4-wheel, hydraulic, variable speed drive providing unexcelled "digging" power, it is said. Complete details are available from the company by writing Vermeer Mfg. Co., Pella, Iowa.

prevented by spraying the trunk and large limbs of all locust varieties with a 5% DDT water emulsion spray. Wet the bark and all cracks and crevices with the spray, Gunderson recommends.

Newly hatched larvae must eat through this treated bark and will be killed before they get into the tree. A single application each year will protect against these pests, according to Gunderson.

Nutter Resigns from GCSAA

Dr. Gene C. Nutter, Executive Director of The Golf Course Superintendents Association of America (GCSAA) since 1959, has resigned his position effective April 1, 1965.

Dr. Nutter, who also serves as editor of GCSAA publications, was instrumental in the association's greatest growth period. During the past five years GCSAA membership increased from over 1300 to over 2100 members, and the International Turf-Grass Conference and Show has doubled in scope and attendance.

A successor has not yet been determined. Nutter will continue professional and business interests in the turfgrass industry.

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New Cankerworm Pesticide Harmless to Birds, Animals

A new pesticide that destroys cankerworms without harm to beneficial insects, birds, animals or fish was recently announced by Stauffer Chemical Co.

Called Thuricide 90T Flowable, the new preparation is applied just as the cankerworms begin to eat large holes in newly emerging leaves in the spring.

The company reports that the new pesticide is also effective against gypsy moths, tussock moths, aspen leaf tiers and other insects which strip trees of their leaves.

Producer of Thuricide is Bioform Division of International Minerals & Chemicals Corp. The new pesticide has been field tested for a 5-year period, Stauffer says.

Details are available from Stauffer by writing to 380 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y. 10017.