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## Big brute

Driven by an 8-hp Honda OHV engine, Bach-told Bros.' New Brute commercial-duty log splitter packs a 22-ton wallop of log-shearing force. Forget continuously lifting unsplit logs — Bachtold's "bring-it-back" log tray extends and retracts with the hydraulic cylinder to carry the log while splitting it. It then brings back the unsplit section so the operator can split it again.



The tray has a 200-lb. capacity and holds logs up to 26 in. The Brute's splitting wedge design allows for more efficient log-shearing, even in knotty, twisted wood.

For more information call 877/784-5161 or visit [www.bachtoldbros.com](http://www.bachtoldbros.com) / circle no. 250

## Light up the night

Ponte landscape lighting ballards from Hess-america, a subsidiary of the JJI Lighting Group, Inc., provide indirect/direct pathway and perimeter illumination from a sleek, under-



## One powerful utility vehicle

John Deere's new Diesel Trail Gator 6x4 utility vehicle's low, stable profile and comfortable two-person seating allows it to handle bumpy trails easily and safely. An 18-hp, Yanmar liquid-cooled engine with high low-end torque gives it towing capabilities and excellent fuel consumption.

The cargo box has a 1,000-lb. capacity for a total payload of 1,400 lbs. The Gator can tow an additional 1,400 lbs.

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stated columnar fixture well-suited for use in private parks, commercial building grounds and hotels. The heads rotate 360° so light can be aimed straight up at trees, building facades or monuments. The ballards feature durable, corrosion-resistant cast aluminum construction with stainless steel hardware. The vertical lens is prismatic acrylic; the fixture head features clear tempered glass.

For more information call (704) 471-2211 or visit [www.hessamerica.com](http://www.hessamerica.com) / circle no. 252

## Time to excavate

Schaeff's new HR 18 mini-excavator features a Mitsubishi 47-hp engine, operating weight of 10,300 lbs., bucket capacity of .060 cu. yd. to .26 cu. yd., breakout force rated DIN at 6,890 lbs., digging depth of 12 ft., 3 in. and a maximum reach of 19 ft., 8 in. The system is run on dual variable displacement piston pumps, resulting in lots of power when operating three functions simultaneously. All Schaeff excavators have lateral adjustment of boom; however, the placement of the boom off center allows the operator a better working view. One other common feature is the placement of the hydraulic cylinders and lines on top of the boom which can prevent downtime due to a tool punc-

turing a line by curling the boom too tightly. For more information call 877/908-8300 / circle no. 253

## Precise pressure control

With a larger diaphragm than similar sized regulators, Olson Irrigation Systems' new pressure regulator provides a flat hydraulic curve for more control. A TPR seal maintains regulated pressure at varying flow rates, or with no flow.

For more information log on to [www.olsonirrigation.com](http://www.olsonirrigation.com) / circle no. 254



## Scramoose, goose!

Geese and ducks won't like the taste of grass sprayed with Bird-B-Gone's Goose-B-Gone™. That's because Goose-B-Gone contains a biodegradable, food-grade repellent called methyl anthranilate, which is safe to use. One gallon of Goose-B-Gone covers one acre, and cost is \$85 per gallon.

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