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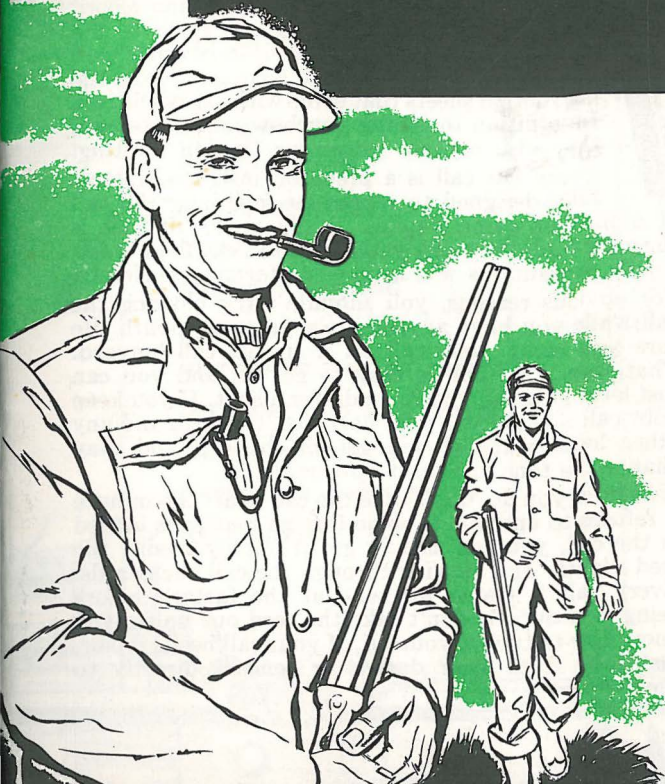
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HUNTING MANUAL



CARE AND USE OF YOUR CALL



With a little practice, game and bird calls can greatly increase your hunting success. For the best results, get a game call instruction record where you buy your call. By listening to the record, you'll get an idea of how your call should sound. You can also learn a lot from the instruction sheets that come with every Olt call. In addition to telling you how to use the call, they also contain numerous tips on hunting.

Every Olt call is a precision instrument carefully designed to reproduce faithfully the call of a bird or game animal. While your Olt call is ruggedly built for many years of use in the field, a few simple precautions will keep it performing perfectly. For obvious reasons, you shouldn't try blowing the call while you have anything else in your mouth. Be sure you carry your call on a special call lanyard. That way, your call is easy to get at, and you can just let it go when you're ready for a shot. If you keep your call in a pocket, dust particles, tobacco, and any other loose material will get in the call and may change the tone or stop it up completely.

Whatever you do, don't take the call apart the minute it refuses to operate. If some foreign matter is lodged in the call, you can usually get it out by raising the reed slightly and blowing through the call backwards. Every call is tested for tone at the factory before being sent out. So don't take the reed out unless you know how to tune it yourself. If your call needs repair, just take it to your dealer, or send it directly to the factory.

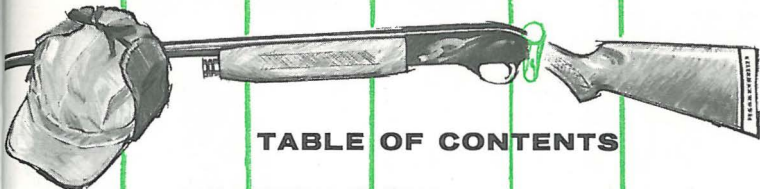
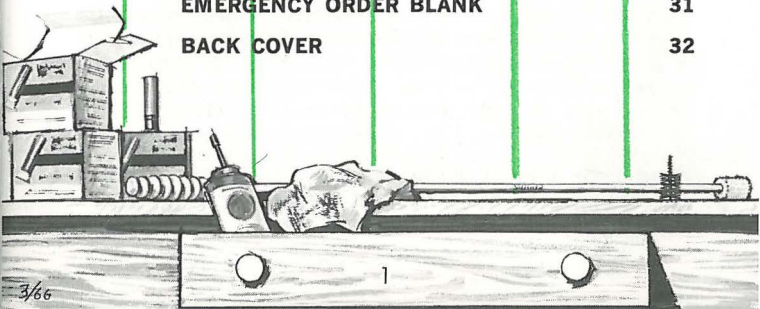


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An illustration at the top of the page shows a flock of ducks in flight over a pond. Below the pond, four ducks are swimming. To the right, two hunters wearing caps and jackets are positioned in a grassy blind, one holding a rifle. The ducks are drawn in a simple, sketchy style, and the hunters and blind are also rendered in a similar style with green highlights for grass and water.

DUCK HUNTING

Undoubtedly one of the most graceful and beautiful sights in nature is a flock of wild ducks coming in to decoys. The wind whistles through their wing pinions as they sweep over the blind. They turn and bank into the wind . . . wings cupped, bodies rocking slightly to lose altitude. Then they hover momentarily over the blocks and gently drop into the water.

And duck hunting is one of the most gratifying sports to the game calling enthusiast. You are dealing with an intelligent and highly advanced bird, one that you can literally "talk to" with your call—a real test of knowledge and hunting skill.

It would take a book to cover the subject of blinds and decoy arrangements. Because of limited space, we will confine our information to calling. If you want more background on these other very important arts, we suggest you get a copy of the OLT HUNTING HANDBOOK.

There are a great many calling techniques used by successful duck hunters. The greeting or "high-ball"

call, the come-back call, the lonesome duck call, and various versions of the feeding chatter are only a few. The beginner or novice duck hunter, we feel, should concentrate on two calls and one modification. They are the greeting call, which when blown in a more rapid, pleading fashion, becomes the come-back call, and the feeding chatter. An instruction record is an extremely valuable aid to the novice duck caller. From it he can learn how to manipulate his call, and exactly how it should sound when properly blown.

Use the greeting call to attract the attention of passing ducks. If there are several hunters in the blind, all should call at once to simulate the clamor set up by a flock of ducks on the water or in a grain field. Also, if several hunters are calling together, they can cover up mistakes if one happens to be less than an expert caller. Use the feeding chatter to reassure the ducks when they are in close. Never call when the birds are directly over your blind, and, above all, keep your face down.

If you asked five different seasoned duck hunters what is the best duck gun, you would probably get five different answers. An excellent shotgun for duck hunting, and also all-around hunting, is a 12 gauge modified choke. Use number 4, 5, or 6 shot on ducks. Number 4 shot gives excellent penetration at long range and does not chew the birds up so badly on the close shots.





A big Canada goose can't fly as fast as a canvasback, and he certainly isn't as hard to hit as a greenwing teal, nor is he as graceful as a pintail. But the majestic honker is difficult to bag and probably the most coveted of all North American waterfowl. The same thing is true of snow, blue, and white-fronted geese. You can bet that the successful goose hunter is going to be considered a man among men in hunting circles.

More than a few geese are shot by hunters after ducks, and certainly you should always have a goose call with you when you're duck hunting. But this is a sometime thing. The successful goose hunter is going to have to specialize and put some effort into his sport.

The first step in bagging geese is to locate a field where they are feeding. They'll usually return day after day until the grain is gone or they're scared off. Dig your pit and remove the dirt. If the geese use the field in the morning, have your blind ready and your decoys out by dawn. If they are feeding in the late afternoon, be ready at noon. Place your decoys in front of your pit and upwind. They should be facing in different directions and not be bunched up, as geese do this when they are alarmed and about to take off.

Geese are wary and intelligent birds with superb eyesight. Your setup must look natural. You can't have fresh dirt, candy wrappers, or empty shell boxes around your pit and expect to get geese. Also, stay hidden and keep your face down until the last second.

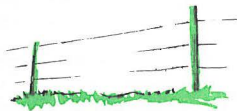
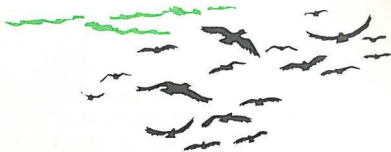
Start calling when you spot the ragged Vee coming toward you. The most used greeting call is a two-tone "her-onk" blown with moderate frequency. If the flock seems unusually "talkative", speed up the tempo of your calling as they get within 200 yards. Use the low-pitched, murmuring feed call as they come in.

A big gander is a heavy, muscular bird with a heavy covering of feathers and down. It takes large shot to give sufficient penetration to bring him down. Use number 2 shot for general goose shooting, and nothing smaller than 4s for close shots. The standard 12 gauge is an effective goose-killer if properly pointed. The big 12 and 10 gauge magnums are even more efficient *if* the shooter can handle their extra weight and recoil.

A hunter used to ducks will find the large size of a goose deceptive. He will often stand up and start shooting when the birds are still 80 yards out. You must get the geese in range—preferably under 40 yards—if you expect to *make clean kills*, and that should be every sportsman's goal. For further tips, get the Olt G-101 Instruction Record.



CROW SHOOTING



If you are a shotgun enthusiast and haven't tried crow shooting, then Mister, you haven't lived!! In one afternoon you can get more action and burn up more ammunition than during an entire season of duck or pheasant shooting. Furthermore, you're doing yourself and other sportsmen a big favor. Crows annually destroy more eggs and kill more young ducks than all the hunters in the United States, Canada, and Mexico. And unlike most game birds, which are affected by heavy hunting pressure, the crow thrives to do his dirty work under the most adverse conditions.

The first step in crow shooting is to locate a roosting area. Drive around the countryside late in the afternoon and watch where the crows are flying to. After you locate the roost, (and you can tell by the smell), get off some distance in one of the flyways leading to it. If you shoot directly in the roost, you'll spook the crows and they might move as much as several miles to a new area.

Most any shotgun will give good results on crows. Crows are often quite difficult to hit, due to their aerial acrobatics, but they are not particularly hard to kill. Consequently, a 12, 16, or 20 gauge with an



improved cylinder or modified choke, and 6, 7½, or 8 shot would be about ideal. If you are a good caller and well-hidden, you can often get them right on the end of your gun barrel.

Pick your spot in the flyway and build a blind out of the surrounding vegetation. Wear neutral-colored clothing, or better yet, a camouflage suit and headnet. Use white coveralls or a bed sheet in the snow. You'll also need about six to a dozen crow decoys, and a hawk or horned owl decoy will also help. A live hawk or owl tied to a tree is pure dynamite on crows.

Probably the two most effective calls for getting crows in close are the low-pitched, grieving caw of an injured crow, and the higher-pitched fighting or rallying call. The grieving caw will entice curious crows into the area to see what has happened to one of their pals. Properly blown, the fighting call coupled with a few occasional shrill screams from a hawk call will keep the crows milling around and fighting mad, even when the guns are roaring and the ground is littered with the bodies of their fallen comrades. For more information, get the OLT C-102 Instruction Record.

A black and white illustration of a squirrel perched on a tree branch, looking towards the right. The squirrel has a bushy tail and is facing forward. The tree branch is simple and extends from the left side of the page.

SQUIRREL HUNTING

No one will ever know how many rounds of ammunition are used every year by squirrel hunters, but the number must be astronomical. Squirrels are found over large sections of the country, their meat is delicious, and hunting them requires more than a little skill and patience.

There are two major kinds of squirrels, the gray squirrel and the red or fox squirrel. The fox squirrel is larger than his cousin, and his range is limited to the eastern-central part of the country. The gray squirrel is more fond of dense cover than the fox squirrel, but otherwise their habits are pretty much the same. You will find them most active in the early morning and late evening, but they are up and around all day unless the weather is extremely warm. Then they will lie up in their nests during the worst heat of the day. When that happens, you might as well stay home, too.

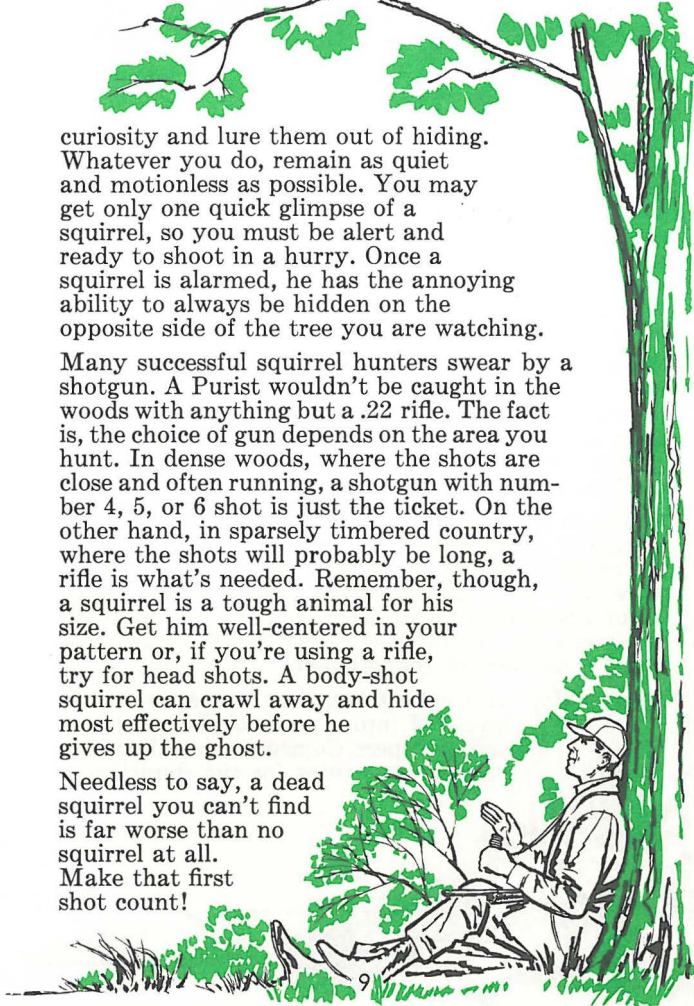
Look for squirrels in hardwood groves and around grain fields where there is timber nearby. If you can find a corn field surrounded by woods, you can get some fine shooting as the squirrels travel back and forth.

Success in squirrel hunting depends on your patience and the overwhelming curiosity of your quarry. Use a squirrel call to imitate their bark and chatter, and to arouse their

curiosity and lure them out of hiding. Whatever you do, remain as quiet and motionless as possible. You may get only one quick glimpse of a squirrel, so you must be alert and ready to shoot in a hurry. Once a squirrel is alarmed, he has the annoying ability to always be hidden on the opposite side of the tree you are watching.

Many successful squirrel hunters swear by a shotgun. A Purist wouldn't be caught in the woods with anything but a .22 rifle. The fact is, the choice of gun depends on the area you hunt. In dense woods, where the shots are close and often running, a shotgun with number 4, 5, or 6 shot is just the ticket. On the other hand, in sparsely timbered country, where the shots will probably be long, a rifle is what's needed. Remember, though, a squirrel is a tough animal for his size. Get him well-centered in your pattern or, if you're using a rifle, try for head shots. A body-shot squirrel can crawl away and hide most effectively before he gives up the ghost.

Needless to say, a dead squirrel you can't find is far worse than no squirrel at all. Make that first shot count!



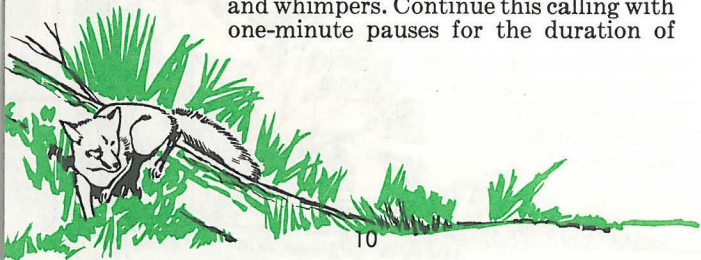
PREDATOR HUNTING

Probably the fastest growing shooting sport in the country is hunting predatory animals like foxes, coyotes, and bobcats. A call that makes the screaming, agonized wail of a rabbit or other small animal in distress is used. This means an easy meal to predators in the area. It's a sport that can be enjoyed by anyone with a minimum outlay of money—all you need is a call and a varmint rifle or shotgun.

Check with farmers or ranchers in your area to secure permission to hunt and to find out where the predators are hanging out. Generally speaking, the first two hours after dawn and the last two hours before dark are the best times to call. Hunting at night with a spotlight can also be productive.

Approach the area you plan to hunt from upwind and as quietly as possible. Don't walk on the skyline. If you're hunting with a partner, don't talk in a loud voice. As in crow shooting, wear neutral-colored clothing or a camouflage suit. Select a calling site that will give you good visibility in several directions and also afford a measure of concealment.

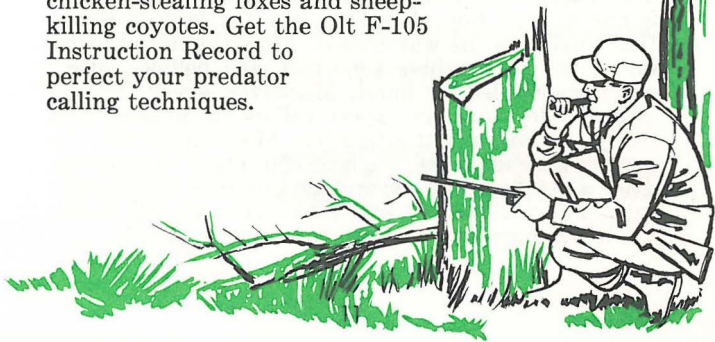
Start calling with a long, agonized squeal and then break off into a series of short screams and whimpers. Continue this calling with one-minute pauses for the duration of



your stand. If you haven't gotten results in 15 minutes or a little longer, move on to another location.

For open-country predator shooting, the poisonous little .222 Remington is an excellent fox-coyote killer. The versatile .243 Winchester, though perhaps a bit powerful for predators alone, is a superb deer-varmint gun. A 4 or 6X scope is about right, and a definite shooting aid in dim light. Avoid the higher powered varmint scopes because of their critical eye-relief and narrow field-of-view. In timber or brushy country, a 12 gauge shotgun with number 2 shot is potent medicine.

After you establish a reputation as a good caller, you'll soon be getting personal invitations from ranchers or farmers to rid their lands of chicken-stealing foxes and sheep-killing coyotes. Get the Olt F-105 Instruction Record to perfect your predator calling techniques.





Arthur E. Olt

HISTORY OF THE OLT COMPANY



James R. Olt

The P. S. Olt Company was founded in 1904 by Philip S. Olt. Mr. Olt had invented a call which worked so well that his friends around Pekin, Illinois urged him to get a patent on it. In the first year of business, his company sold 600 calls.

Since that time the business has prospered. Arthur E. Olt and James R. Olt are carrying on the family tradition, and Olt is now the world's largest manufacturer of game and bird calls. The Company currently makes 31 different calls, one for nearly every type of hunting. Olt calls are sold all over the world.

The reason for the tremendous success of the Olt calls is not hard to find. A visit to the Olt factory shows that quality is the watchword. After the initial forming of the hard rubber tone bell, and bellows, every call is assembled by hand. Moreover, every Olt call is tested for tone by expert callers to be sure it is ready for use without alteration. Most important, the people who make Olt calls are hunters themselves. They are constantly researching and field testing new calls. You can be sure that every Olt call will do the job it was meant to do—call the game in close!

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It's the original "Regular" duck call so popular among all duck hunters for over 50 years. Easy blowing, trouble-free. Produces faithful reproduction of wild duck call—good for all species. Black hard rubber. Length 4¾"—Wt. 1 oz.

LIST PRICE...\$2.95

No. C-3 Mallard Duck Call...\$4.50

REGULAR CROW CALL E-1



The "grand favorite" among the crow hunters. Light-weight—easy blowing. Tone raucous and far-carrying. Black hard rubber. Length 3½"—Wt. ½ oz.

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PREDATOR CALL T-20



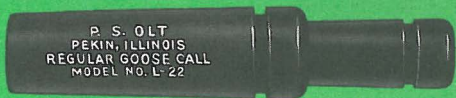
Most effective predator call. Built for year-round use. Makes "distress cry" of small animal. Irresistible to fox, coyote, wolves, bobcats and other predators. Hard rubber. Black barrel, green tone bell. Length 4¾"—Wt. 1 oz.

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BIRD CALLS



REGULAR GOOSE CALL L-22



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Length 4 $\frac{7}{8}$ "—Wt. 1 oz. LIST PRICE ... \$2.95

REGULAR SQUIRREL CALL B-10



Hand operated "bellows-type" call gives perfect imitation of a squirrel's "bark" and "chatter". Easy to use. Gives lots of low-cost squirrel shooting fun. Red bellows, black barrel.

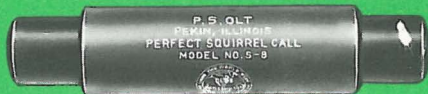
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No. P-17 Regular Squirrel Call...\$2.75

PERFECT GOOSE CALL A-5



The "most popular" goose call among goose hunters. Equally effective on all species of wild geese. Easy blowing—trouble free. Gives exact, realistic tone of wild goose. Black hard rubber. Length 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ "—Wt. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. LIST PRICE ... \$5.50

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CHUKAR CALL 500



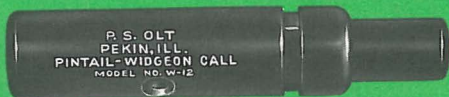
A hand-operated call expressly crafted for the Chukar—a gregarious bird that immediately answers another Chukar's call. This call locates the covey, brings them into the open. Red bellows, black barrel. Length 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ "—Wt. 1 oz. LIST PRICE... \$3.50

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Custom-built for quality minded sportsmen. Toned to the low grieving "caw" of a crippled crow. Black hard rubber. Length $4\frac{1}{8}$ "—Wt. $1\frac{1}{2}$ oz. LIST PRICE... \$4.50

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A "call-type" whistle made especially for Sprig and Widgeon. Adjustable wide-tonal-range built into each call. Black hard rubber. Length 4"—Wt. 1 oz. LIST PRICE... \$2.95

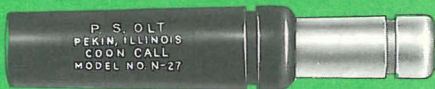
HAWK CALL G-7



A valuable addition to a crow hunter's kit. Effectively produces the whistling "cry" of a hawk. Starts crows toward you looking for a fight. Also may be used to hold a covey of quail on the ground. Brown hard rubber. Length $3\frac{1}{2}$ "—Wt. $\frac{3}{4}$ oz. LIST PRICE... \$3.50

BIRD CALLS

COON CALL N-27

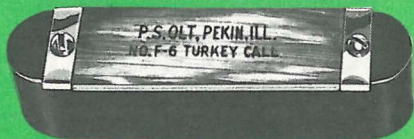


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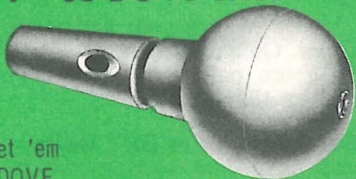


Box type. Used with chalk on any hard piece of wood. Thin edge produces lower-pitched turkey's "yelp" and thicker edge produces the higher-pitched "yelp". Tone box—black hard rubber. Red cedar lid.

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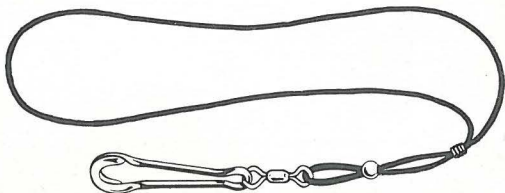


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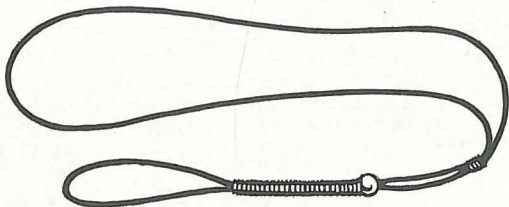
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S-104	Squirrel Calling	2.00
F-105	Predator Calling	2.00
M-106	Moose Calling	2.50
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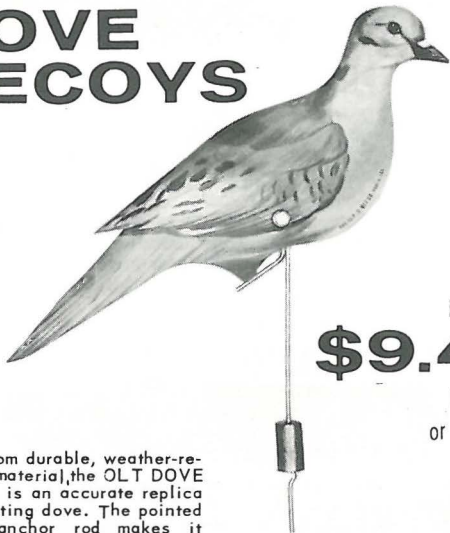
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LIST PRICE \$9.48 per doz.
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 1 dozen 84 ft. loops in display box—Wt. 2¼ lbs. 6 displays to a carton—Wt. 17 lbs.

PRESIDENT "99" DUCK CALL

The finest duck call on the market today. Easy to blow, even after hours of use, the "99" faithfully and consistently reproduces the call of the wild duck. Made from top grain Brazilian Rosewood—comes with the attractive dirt proof cowhide case. Length 6½"—Wt. 4 ozs.

LIST PRICE...\$18.00

MONTE CARLO "88" DUCK CALL

This distinctive call offers the hunter the advantages of an easy blowing call with unfailling tonal quality and maximum range to bring the ducks in close. The Monte Carlo "88" is made of beautifully-grained East Indian Rosewood with a polished Rock Maple overlay. It comes with fine top grain cowhide carrying case. Length 6½"—Wt. 3¼ ozs.

LIST PRICE...\$14.00

BIG BAY "800" GOOSE CALL

The aristocrat among goose calls, the OLT "800" will immediately improve your calling skill and will have you bringing in even the highest flying honkers. This is the call that every serious goose hunter will count as an essential part of his hunting equipment. Hand-crafted of beautiful Cocobolo Wood with polished Teakwood tone bell. Length 6¼"—Wt. 4 ozs.

LIST PRICE...\$10.00

MARK V DUCK CALL



A true-to-life call especially made for the hunter who prefers a light-in-color hardwood duck call. The Mark V faithfully reproduces the tone of the wild duck . . . its tone-tested reed allows maximum range even after hours of use. Made from the finest imported Teakwood.

Length 6"—Wt. 3¼ ozs.

LIST PRICE . . . \$8.00

PREDATOR CALLS



The high pitched distress call faithfully produced by the OLT call brings even the wildest predator within close shooting range. Hand-finished from fine Black Walnut with polished Hardwood tone bell.

Long Range "33" (Maple tone bell) long distance call . . . Close Range "22" (Walnut tone bell) "close in" call. Length 5¾"—Wt. 3¼ ozs.

LIST PRICE . . . \$3.95

SPORTSMAN "44" CROW CALL

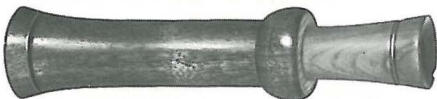


There are always crows around when you sound off with the Sportsman "44". They'll close in fast when they hear the true crow tone. Hand-finished from fine Black Walnut with a polished Hard Maple mouthpiece.

Length 4½"—Wt. 2¼ ozs.

LIST PRICE . . . \$3.95

CLARION "600" DEER CALL



The deer hunter's outfit isn't complete without a good deer call, and no call can match the "600" for ease of operation and trueness of tone. Here's a call that can deceive the most wily buck. Hand-made from select Black Walnut with a fine Walnut tone bell. Length $5\frac{7}{8}$ "—Wt. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ozs.

LIST PRICE . . . \$3.95

LONG RIVER "77" GOOSE CALL



Experienced hunters recognize the "77" as a truly fine goose call. Hand-crafted from select grain Black Walnut with Wild Cherry tone bell, the call offers enduring quality and tone that cannot be found in ordinary goose calls. Length $5\frac{7}{8}$ "—Wt. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ozs.

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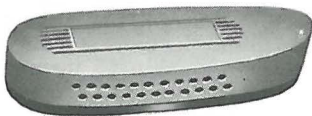
SONDERMAN "66" DUCK CALL



The "66" blows easily and comfortably every time, and in any weather. It's a man-sized duck call and a worthy companion in any duck blind. Hand finished from top grain Black Walnut. Length $5\frac{7}{8}$ "—Wt. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ozs.

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OLT'S RECOIL PAD



A fine supplement to any good gun. For all gun models. *Wt. 9 ozs.*
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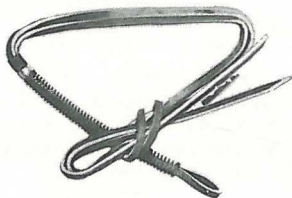
OLT'S GAME CALL CASE



This handsome top-grade leather case will help you give your OLT call the care and protection it deserves. For all models. *Wt. 1 oz.*
LIST PRICE... \$1.95

OLT'S GAME CALL HOLDER

A lanyard worthy of your OLT call, it is made of soft top-grade leather and will keep your call within easy reach the instant you need it. For all calls. *Wt. 1 oz.* **LIST PRICE... \$1.00**



GAME CONSERVATION

As hunters, we all have an obligation to help preserve our game and its habitat. Actually, conservation is an easy task for the hunter. The following rules and a little common sense will help to insure many more years of fine hunting in America.

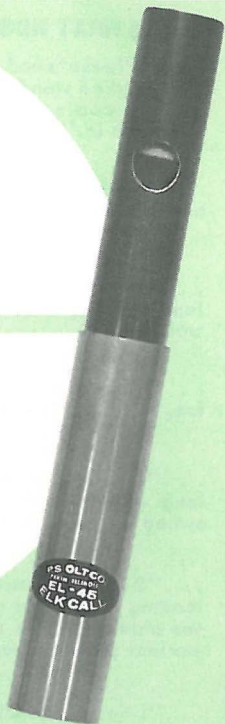
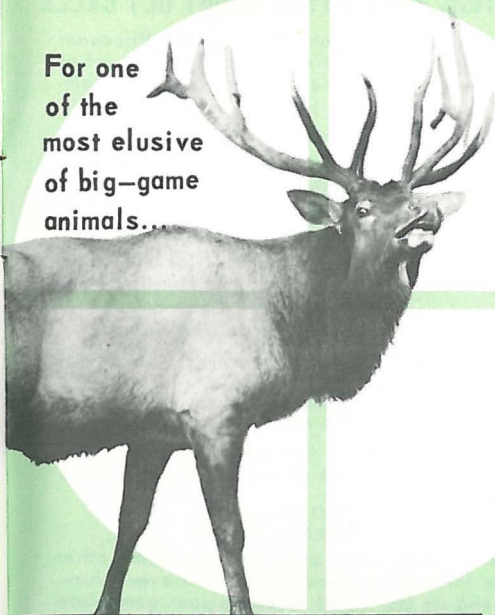
All game needs food, water, and cover to survive, and most of the rules of conservation are set up to provide and protect these rights. If you're a landowner, your state conservation agent can give you information on maintaining a good habitat for game. Hunters on public or private land should take care not to disturb the natural surroundings any more than absolutely necessary. This means burying or removing all trash and refuse, keeping off young plants, and not polluting streams, lakes, or ponds. If you build a campfire, do it in a safe place and be sure you put it out *completely* with sand or water. Also, be especially careful to extinguish all matches, cigarette butts, and pipe ashes.

Your state and local game laws are important parts of any conservation effort. Bag limits, seasons, and shooting hours are all set up to give you a maximum of hunting pleasure. Learn the regulations and follow them. It also pays to report any violations you see.

Remember that every animal taken illegally means less hunting for you. If you want to be more active in game conservation, join such organizations as your state conservation group, the National Rifle Association, and Ducks Unlimited and give them full support.

Above all, keep in mind the fact that as hunters, we are all conservation agents when we are in the field. Use your common sense, obey the laws, and there will be enough game for all.

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EL-45 OLT ELK CALL

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This call is so constructed that the hunter can expect perfect operation in all types of weather. The proper use of the OLT Elk Call will certainly enable hunters to increase their chances of luring Elk close enough for a clean kill. Black and Red color plastic.

LIST PRICE

\$5.50

HERE IS WHAT HUNTERS HAVE TO SAY ABOUT OLT CALLS

... "Please send new free book on using calls. Pheasant Call worked wonderfully. The first time I tried I called a hen and two cocks into shooting distance. I get a lot of fun calling them in."

C. Baxter
Bedford, Mass.

... "Please send manual on hunting. I have four of your calls now and swear by them, especially the Canadian Honker."

Bob Ridenhour
Packwood, Washington

... "I recently bought your B-10 squirrel call for the Maryland season. Great!! Please send me your free Hunting Manual."

Manuel San Gabino
Glen Gurnie, Maryland

... "I have one of your predator calls. It works fine; I call fox, wolves, lynx, even hawks."

Gilles Deschamps
Province of Quebec, Canada

... "I bought your crow call and I can call crows all day long with it, and it is the first call of any kind that I have owned or used. It really works."

Kurt Vilendrer
DeKalb, Illinois

... "Both your crow and duck calls work far beyond the other leading calls, and as far as I am concerned, you haven't hunted unless you've used an OLT call to bring your game into perfect shooting range."

John Deter
Grabill, Indiana

... "I bought an OLT Regular Duck Call and went out; I shot my limit of ducks every time out, regardless of weather."

William Grovjohn
Madison, So. Dakota

... "I've been using your calls for a few years and have been having a lot of fun as well as a lot of success with your OLT Crow Call. In approximately two months, my son and I have taken 89 crows by just a few hours in the evenings."

Dept. Game Protector
Holsapple, Pennsylvania

...“I have been using your D-2 Regular Duck Call since 1954. If anything these fine calls improve with age. I have had wonderful success calling Mallards and Black Ducks, and have won several calling contests.”

W.D. Paul, Ontario Provincial Police
Haileybury, Ontario

...“Your crow calls have been the hallmark of quality and dependability, and I never go afield without my crow calling kit (E-1 & M-9 Crow Calls and G-7 Hawk Call.) This trio will produce results when all else fails.”

Blaine Kloppenborg, Outdoor Writer
Newton, Iowa

...“My friends and I have killed up to 6 timber wolves on one hunt using your T-20 Predator Calls. Our Sportsman's Club has voted you number one in the predator calling field. We've judged other companies, but your calls are indeed the best.”

Greg Sampson, Minneapolis, Minn.

...“Let me tell you I and several of my friends have your fine B-10 Squirrel Calls, and we get a lot of squirrels with them.

Herbert W. Steiger
Bettendorf, Iowa

...“For the past several years, I have been using your L-22 Regular Goose Call with very good results.”

Petur Thomsen,
Official Photographer to
the Government of Iceland

...“Your G-7 Hawk Call not only does a great job of calling hawks and crows; it holds quail and pheasants on the ground and keeps them from flushing wild.”

Glen Novakow
Morton, Illinois

...“I was successful in bagging a 7-point buck deer the last day of bow season in Delaware. I can only attribute my success to using an OLT Deer Call.

Leonard Wertanen
Felton, Delaware

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