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### THE COVER

HANDGUNS FOR HUNTING have gained growing acceptance of late. Our cover shows (clockwise) 5 typical ones with hunting loads: (1) Remington Model XP-100 in .221 Rem. "Fire Ball", (2) Ruger Blackhawk in .41 Magnum. (3) Colt New Police Python with ventilated rib in .357 Magnum, (4) Thompson/Center Arms Contender with .410 shotshell barrel (interchangeable with .45 cal. barrel), and (5) Smith & Wesson Model 29 in .44 Magnum. Cartridges (I. to r., bottom) are: .221 Rem. "Fire Ball", .357, .41 and .44 Magnums, .45 Colt and .410-bore 3" shotshell. For 4 pages on handguns for hunting, see pages 28-31.

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