



The 8-in. dia. auger is 26-ft. long. It attaches to semi truck hopper bottom.

Semi-Trailer Transfer Auger

"We got the idea when a customer came looking for a system to transfer seed from a semi-trailer to their air seeders that would be simple, easy to operate, and fast. We realized there was nothing on the market that would get the job done," says Martha Brand, president of Marwil Metal Works Inc., manufacturer of a new add-on auger that makes it easy to transfer seed out of hopper bottom semi-trailers.

"We designed it last winter and used it to transfer seed to three large air seeders this year that seeded more than 20,000 acres of wheat and barley last spring. It operated trouble-free and filling time was cut in half.

"The auger folds neatly against the side of the trailer for transport. One cam-over lever locks or unlocks the auger into transport position. One man can effortlessly handle the auger since it's suspended by ball bearing rollers on a 16-ft. track.

"The trailer does not have to be parked in one spot since the auger can be easily adjusted and locked into place. The auger is 26 ft. long and its 8-in. diameter gives it excellent capacity. It comes with a flexible rubber downspout and is hydraulic driven



Auger folds neatly against side of trailer for transport.

by the seeder or the truck.

"To fold it for transport, you simply swing out the auger, lift the lock ring up, and lay the tube in its saddle. One lever locks everything in place in about 20 seconds.

"We can custom-build to fit any trailer." Mounts with just 6 bolts. Sells for \$4,995 (Canadian). Hoses not included.

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Custom-Built Toolboxes

If you'd like to put a toolbox on a pickup, truck, or trailer, you'll want to take a close look at these custom-made toolboxes offered by a Nebraska distributor.

"If you've got a spot for a toolbox, we can make one to fit. We can even paint them to match the colors of your pickup or truck," says sales manager Pat Lubischer, of Gro Master, Inc., about the company's all-weather-tight boxes.

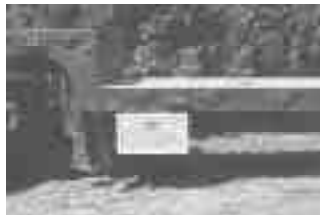
The low-profile side-mount pickup toolboxes are made from 16 ga. metal and come with a sliding removable tray. They provide easily accessible storage for small parts and tools and can be used in combination with cross-mounted boxes. Both single and double lid versions are available. The single lid model is available from 36 to 72 in. long, 10 1/4 in. high, and 12 in. deep. The double lid model is the same height and depth but is available in 72 and 96 in. lengths. Prices range from \$237 for a 36-in. single lid model up to \$460 for a 96-in. double lid model.

Various semi truck and trailer models are available to mount under frame rails or on top of trailer beds. Boxes can be made from steel or aluminum.

One popular accessory is an aluminum "boot box" for semi tractors. It serves as a storage container for dirty footwear and miscellaneous truck tools such as chains, binders, greasy tire jacks, crowbars, etc., and



Unique pickup toolboxes mount on siderails.



Toolboxes can be custom-built to fit any application, such as this under-bed model.

also as a step to service the truck behind the cab. Comes in three models that measure from 12 to 24 in. long, 23 in. high, and 20 in. deep.

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Rhino's D306 is powered by a 107 cu. in. 2-cyl. diesel engine coupled to an 8-speed transmission.

New Mini Dozer Great For Smaller Jobs

This mini dozer is ideal for hundreds of small jobs around a farm or ranch, according to the company importing it from China. The mini rig was shown to the public for the first time at the recent Sunbelt Agricultural Exposition near Moultrie, Ga.

Maybe the best part about the little dozer is its "mini" price, says Lou Cole of Rhino International, Woodland, Wash., who sells the unit for \$15,950.

The Rhino D306 is the only dozer of its size on the market, according to Cole. So far, there are only eight of the mini dozers in North America.

The dozer is powered by a 107 cu. in., 2-cyl. diesel engine coupled to an 8-speed (6 forward, 2 reverse) transmission with dry

manual clutch. It's equipped with 10-in. wide, 77-in. long standard Grouser steel tracks that operate on a 5-roller system.

It features a hydraulically operated, 6-way 64-in. wide blade that will dig to a depth of 6 in. and can be raised to 16 in.

Overall length of the 5,800-lb. dozer is 114 in., width is 64 in. and height to the top of the full 6-pt. rollbar is 86 in.

Most parts are "off the shelf" components so repairs can be made anywhere, Rhino says.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Rhino International, 625 West Scott Ave., P.O. Box 670, Woodland, Wash. 98674 (ph 800 282-0141 or 360 225-5224; fax 6225).

Lightweight Portable Calf Warmer

"New-born calves have a better chance of surviving cold weather if you place them in this new calf warmer that runs off any 110-volt outlet," says Roger Hutley, Smucker Mfg., Harrisburg, Ore., noting that you can take the unit to the field in a pickup if you have a small gas-powered generator.

The "Roy-L-Heat" incubator, developed by Montana rancher Duane Roy, is made from high-density polyethylene and measures 37 in. long, 22-in. wide, and 3 ft. high. It's big enough for calves or sheep to lay down or stand up. Weighs 65 lbs. A 110-volt heater and fan at one end circulates warm air around the calf and also under a raised floor grate. A rubber "head boot" opposite the heater lets the calf poke its head outside so it can breathe fresh air without lowering the temperature inside. An adjustable "attic vent" on top allows excess moisture produced by animal respiration to escape.

The unit is hinged on one side to make



A 110-volt heater and fan circulates warm air through the warmer.

it easy to open up to place the calf inside.

"The heater and fan are protected inside a separate enclosure that can be easily removed, allowing you to rinse and disinfect the chamber. One person can easily carry it with a handle on one end," notes Hutley.

Sells for \$495.

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"Corn Saver" For Deere Heads

"We're selling them faster than we can build them," says Jim Herrmann about a new attachment his company makes for Deere heads to keep cobs from jumping out of the head and to keep trash from building up on the top of the feeder house.

Distel Grain Systems' "Corn Saver" attachment bolts to the head above the cross auger. It has a rubber skirt on bottom to keep cobs in. It has an expanded metal top panel that acts as a window so you can see what's going on. It's hinged so it folds back on top of the feeder house so you can clean and service the auger easily.

Installs easily. May require drilling two holes, depending on model head.

Models available for all Deere heads.



A rubber skirt at bottom of device keeps cobs in header.

Sells for \$239.95, plus shipping.

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