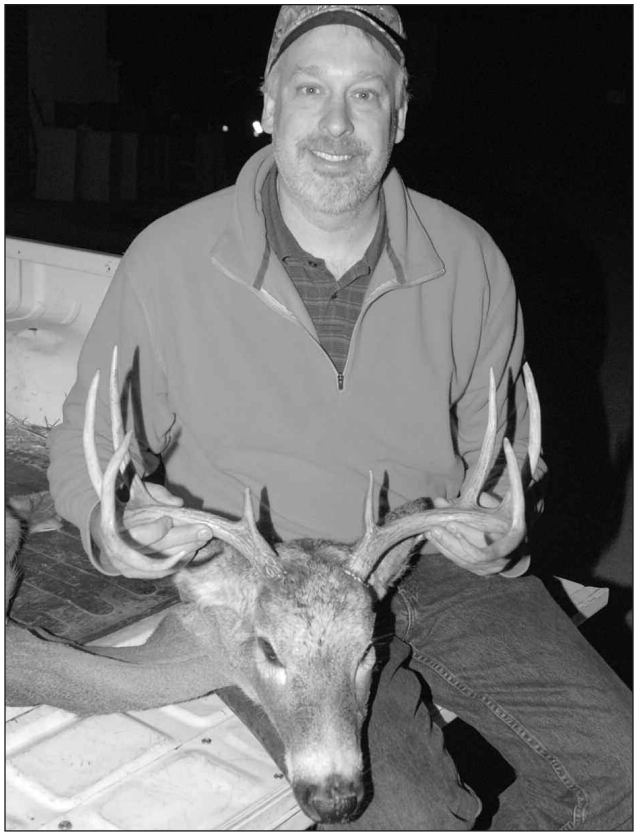
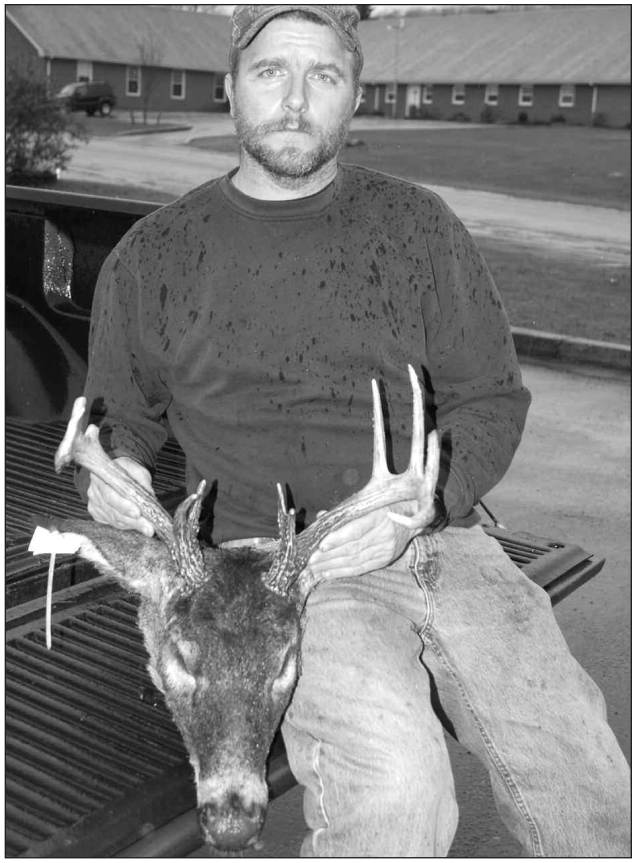
BIG BUCK CONTEST

Albert Beers Jr., of Lewistown, downed this eight-point buck on Dec. 2 at 3:30 p.m. in Licking Creek in Mifflin County using a Savage .270 rifle. The outside spread measures 18 1/2 inches. This is his largest buck and he plans to have a shoulder mount done. He said the buck just popped up out of nowhere.



Kevin Weader, of McClure, shot this 10-point buck on Dec. 10 at 9 a.m. in Blair County on Ice Mountain near Tyrone using a .30-06 Remington rifle. The outside spread measures 18 1/4 inches. He plans to have a shoulder mount done. He was hunting with his brother, son and nephew. He said he got this buck 300 yards away from where his son got a big buck nine years ago.



Ted Rhoades, of Milroy, shot this 12-point buck on Dec. 1 at noon in Milroy using a Remington .7mm magnum rifle. The outside spread measures 16 inches and he plans to have an European mount done. He said he hunted all morning and went home to eat lunch and came out of the house and 'there it was lying in a patch below the house.'

Kevin Rose, of Lewistown, shot his largest deer on Dec. 2 at 10:30 a.m. in New Lancaster Valley using a Savage .30-06 rifle. The eight-point buck has an outside spread of 13 1/4 inches. He is pictured with his son, Hunter.

Robert Ingram, of Lewistown, shot his first deer on Nov. 29 at 7:30 a.m. in Potter Township, Centre County, using a Remington .25-06 rifle. He is pictured with his daughter, Andrea.