Boosts Professionalism

I am very pleased to note the editorial in the November, 1964, issue of *Weeds Trees and Turf*, "Setting A Good Example." This, it seems to me, is good advice for many of our horticultural activities. I like, very much, your emphasis on professional status of the industry. We in the nursery industry could use a little more of this feeling, both within our industry, and in creating the image of professionalism among our clients. It has been discussed at great length at some recent meetings of the American Association of Nurserymen Education Committee.

I am also very much pleased to see, in the same issue, the reporting of the Minnesota Shade Tree Conference, held recently at the University of Minnesota St. Paul campus. You have done a good job in reporting this and I think the conference has helped to stimulate an awareness on the part of park superintendents, golf course operators, and others, that there are several species that are well adapted to the area. This is a good article.

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Plastic Weeds for Study?

Would it be impractical for some manufacturer to reproduce weeds in plastic—in color—and sell them to schools, golf courses, parks, cemeteries; every place where weeds are studied or there is a weed problem?

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This idea has so many possibilities in weed education programs that we present it here for all to read.—Ed.

Needs a Lift

Please furnish us with the names and addresses of manufacturers and/or distributors of the following described equipment: A one-man, mobile, self-propelled unit with personnel boom. Used in tree pruning, thinning, spraying, fruit pick-