The Basis for Turfgrass Success — Quality control of grass seed is where it all begins for the turfgrass manager to make sure he has as close to a weed-free stand as he needs. This is a report on Seed Technology, Inc., Marysville, Ohio, and how they test seeds.

Tree Feeder System Aids Washington Elms — One of the biggest projects connected with the nation’s anniversary is Bicentennial Mall in Washington, D.C. Construction of the mall endangered 120 native American elms that had stood for over 75 years, but a new tree-feeding system was utilized.

Sod Producers Updated in Clearwater — Almost 200 members of the American Sod Producers Association traveled to Florida for their winter meeting, and WEEDS TREES & TURF was there to report.

Malpass Chosen GCSAA President in Minneapolis — Over 3,000 persons packed Minneapolis Auditorium and Convention Hall for the 47th Golf Course Superintendents of America turf show and conference. A four-page picture report by the WEEDS TREES & TURF staff.

New Jersey Turf Expo — In only its second year the combination of the well-known New Jersey Turfgrass Conference and a trade show drew 700 persons to Cherry Hill.

New Brush Control Concepts — Portland, Maine arborist Keith Jones has started a brush control program for several areas in his city using a new brush control agent.

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THE COVER — Common foreign matter found in many seed lots: Poa annua, center; lamb's quarter, brown and black seed at left center; smooth brome, upper left; giant foxtail, upper right; tall fescue, right center; chickweed, red seed at lower right; and white clover, yellow seed at bottom.