**Bombardier MPV-20 has first two-seat design**

The Bombardier MPV-20 features the industry's first two-seat design for tractor-type applications. This allows the transportation of an additional worker from one place to another.

The 20-horsepower vehicle is designed to do work like a compact tractor, but with appearance, operator comfort and visibility superior to tractors. It can be used with front or rear snowblower, mower, or blade. Also, the MPV-20 can be used with rear tiller, front loader, backhoe and agricultural plow.

The MPV-20 is marketed for people with small acreages and for use in municipal, light industrial and institutional work. Distribution throughout the United States is anticipated within 18 months.

**Improved Trident R-834 built for efficiency**

The 1986 Trident R-834 provides operator comfort and improved vehicle serviceability, according to its manufacturer. The newly designed aluminum cab lowers the vehicle's weight by about 100 pounds, increasing its fuel efficiency.

Another modification in the Trident R-834 is the front end design. Adjustable shocks have improved the turning radius to within 17 feet, allowing easy in-field service to flat tires.

The Trident R-834 still uses the rugged four-cylinder, 40 hp engine. The vehicle can be fitted with pick-up bed, storage box, dumping refuse or turf beds.

**Heavy duty edgers are for the pros**

Pro/Inc. has introduced its Pro 1586 heavy duty edger series for lawn care professionals. Originally designed to meet lawn care requirements in the southeastern United States, the new edger series will be marketed in other regions.

The new models include the Pro 1586 edger and the Pro 1586ET. Both models use extra-wide wheels (8 1/4 x 2 inches) for stability and maneuverability. Also, the front wheel has three positive lock positions to accommodate most curb sizes.

The edger series uses a 3 hp engine with a PTO bearing to handle belt load stress. Other features include replaceable bushings at all pivot points, operator controls on the handlebars, and easy drive belt replacement.

**Moisture-sensing controller saves on water usage**

The Scanex, introduced by Griswold Controls, is one of the most advanced moisture-sensing irrigation controllers on the market. The Scanex eliminates the need to manually calculate evapotranspiration and precipitation.
rates, which reduces overwatering problems.

The Scanex also ends accidental irrigation during rain by providing its own moisture control capabilities. Field adjustments are eliminated since all moisture monitoring information and adjustments are done at the controller. It is not necessary to install probes at the valve locations.

The Scanex electronic sensors consist of special stainless steel alloy probes, not tensiometers. The low voltage AC signal ensures a long maintenance-free life.

Krum Perlite is now 'dust controlled'

Silbrico Corp. has improved Krum horticultural perlite by providing "dust control" for cleaner handling. Krum controls growing conditions by loosening and aerating soil.

Krum quality begins in manufacturing with sterilization, uniform particle size control and screening. Coarse and medium grades are available. Another improvement is the new weatherproof plastic bag which allows Krum to be stored inside or out.

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Middlesworth Engineering introduces rotary mower

Middlesworth Engineering and Manufacturing, Inc. is marketing a new commercial rotary mower with the same features as Middlesworth's larger mowers. Model C40R has hydrostatic transmissions with variable ground speeds.

The rotary mower has the same heavy construction as larger Middlesworth mowers. It is offset by three inches for trimming and mowing next to buildings. The mower has a six-
inch ground clearance for backing over curbs.

The mower is designed for comfortable operation. Features include a handrail for assisting the operator in getting on and off the machine and a deluxe seat with armrests.

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Herbicide controls annual grassy weeds

Leco, Inc. has developed a new herbicide which controls annual grassy and broadleaf weeds in most northern and southern turfgrasses. The new pre-emergence herbicide, Leco Pre-M 60DG, contains pendimethalin and has been tested at private and university facilities during the past five years.

Leco Pre-M provides long residual and prevents many annual grassy weeds like crabgrass, goosegrass and broadleaf weeds. Watering isn’t necessary for up to seven days following application. Leco Pre-M is compatible with most fertilizers, insecticides and herbicides.

The herbicide is packaged in small-acre increment bags for easy shipping, handling and convenient disposal. The formulation eliminates triple-rinsing and does not require heat storage.

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Deere adds two backpack power blowers

John Deere has added two new power blowers to its line. The blowers include a backpack model, 3E, and an improved power blower, 4E.

Both blowers feature electronic ignition for faster starting. The 3E is powered by a 30.8 cc two-cycle engine, which delivers 2.2 hp at 7500 rpm. It uses a large coupling pipe for maximum air flow. The backrest is rippled for comfort.

The 4E is powered by a 39.7 cc engine which delivers a 3.2 hp at 7500 rpm. The blower has a maximum speed of 135 mph and 280 cubic feet per minute.

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A mist attachment is available for both models. The attachment allows liquid chemicals to be applied in mist form.

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Hydrograssers reduce loading time, clogs

Reinco Inc.’s new “G” Series Hydrograssers features pump and powertrain changes, tank modifications, and a water-powered hydraulic mulch grinder which aids mixing during loading, according to the manufacturer.

Reinco says by using the grinder, tightly-packed mulches can be assimilated in as little as 10 seconds per bale. Loading time can be reduced by 1000 percent or more.

The grinder’s chopping motion reduces the chance of clogs since many are caused by mulch clumps which haven’t been broken apart.

The “G” Series Hydrograssers are available in 1000-, 1500-, and 3000-gallon sizes.

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