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Looking like the progeny of a cross between a hay baler and a refuse truck, this rock picker can minimize manual labor chores considerably. Here, Jack Parkhurst of Smith Tree & Landscape Service, Inc., Lansing, Mich. shows the ease with which this Armor Anderson Rock Picker effortlessly handles the big ones. The cost of manual labor on a single job can go a long way in paying the depreciation on a machine such as this.

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