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Industry People On The Move

Equipment and supplies for the Green Industry are highly complex. The 1974 Managers Guide To Equipment And Supplies captures some of the action in this montage. Included are: a section of Certain-Teed pipe, Edwards sprayer mounted on a Jeep; Ford skid-steer loader with sod; Toro Whirlwind rotary mower; International Harvester flail and bell-mounted sickle cutters; and Stihl chain saw.

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