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CRABGRASS CONTROL...A 10-minute video on strategies for controlling crabgrass with Acclaim 1EC herbicide is available from Hoechst-Roussel Agri-Vet free to lawn care operators. To receive a copy, write to: Crabgrass Control Strategies, 3343 Peachtree Rd., Suite 1220, East Tower, Atlanta, GA 30326.

ON THE ENVIRONMENT...Golf superintendents who have been frustrated by negative reports about golf courses now have "Links with Nature," a 14-minute video to help respond to misconceptions about golf course management. Price is \$20 for GCSAA members and \$30 for non-members. To order, call (913) 832-4480.

WESTERN WEEDS...More than 300 weeds found in 12 western states have been identified in a new book available through the New Mexico State University Cooperative Extension Service. "Weeds of the West" is directed at anyone with weed problems. Copies are \$19.50 each. To order, phone Diane Lopez at (505) 646-5280.

PESTICIDE DIRECTORY...Thomson Publications has released its newly-revised "1991 Pesticide Directory." Cost is \$75 plus tax. For ordering information, write P.O. Box 9335, Fresno, CA 93791 or phone (209) 435-2163. Thomson's fax number is (209) 435-8319.

ON MOWER SAFETY...A 20-minute video on commercial mower safety and preventive maintenance is available for \$15 (plus sales tax in Illinois and Iowa). To order, phone (800) 544-2122 or write to: Responsible Front Mower Operation (DS0457), John Deere & Co., Distribution Service Center, Safety Films Dept., 1400-13th St., East Moline, IL 61244. Credit card and money orders are accepted.

COST ESTIMATING...The University of Georgia Cooperative Extension Service has a revised 3.2 version of Hort Management computer cost estimator for landscape managers. It operates on SuperCalc 4 or SuperCalc 5 software which must be purchased through private vendors. The program can be purchased by sending \$10 to: Extension Ag Economics Dept., Hort Management Software, The University of Georgia, Athens, GA 30602.

A CHEMICAL REFERENCE..."Turf & Ornamental Chemicals Reference" is available through the Professional Lawn Care Association of America for September shipment. Cost is \$95 for approximately 1200 pages of information. Send your check payable to the PLCAA to: Turf & Ornamental Chemicals Reference, 1000 Johnson Ferry Rd. NE, Suite C-135, Marietta, GA 30068-2112.

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