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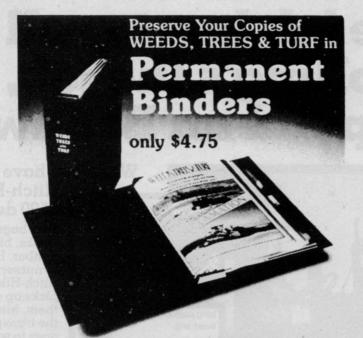
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Oftanol adds Virginia registration

Oftanol 5% G, manufactured by Mobay Chemical Corp., Kansas City, MO, has been registered for use in Virginia. Oftanol is a granular organophosphate insecticide that is used for control of white grub larvae (such as Japanese beetle, Black turf grass Ataenius and Green June beetle), Hyperodes weevil, billbugs, chinch bugs and sod webworms.

In an effort to get Oftanol into the hands of potential users more rapidly, Mobay applied for both state-by-state and federal registration. While federal registration is still pending, Oftanol has been approved for use in Connecticut, Delaware, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Maryland, Michigan, Missouri, North Carolina, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island and West Virginia.

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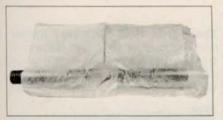
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Drain-Chek by Brighton By-Products

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of a vertical fin drain protected by filter cloth, and can be used with or without standard drain tubing.

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Miller Tilt-Top Trailer, Inc.'s model 1406 compact trailer measures 78 inches between its fenders and has a 14-ft. loading platform. It was designed



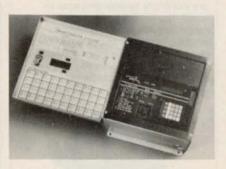
to carry wider and longer loads than comparable 6,000 lb. capacity units. Forged spindle 4-in. drop center axles give a loaded 1406 a low 13-in. ground clearance for increased stability.

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Flyking Kentucky Bluegrass produces a thick, low-growing turf that the Jacklin Seed Company recommends as an excellent "backbone" for any turfgrass mix. According to Jacklin, Flyking has improved resistance to many diseases, and improved tolerance for drought, heat, cold, smog and traffic.

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Regency Electronics has introduced an energy management controller for commercial use. The EMC 5700 stores up to 57 timed commands and programs can be scheduled for 24-hour, weekday, or weekend only cycles. An



external input feature allows for activation of a pre-programmed set of commands from a remote location.

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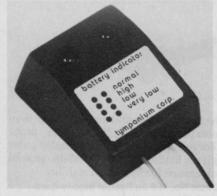


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Tympanium Corp. has introduced a battery voltage indicator for monitoring 12v lead acid battery systems. The encapsulated indicator features a pair of colored LED's that light to signal any of



3 malfunctions: amber for insufficient charging, red for overcharging, and both for serious loss of charge. Circle No. 162 on Reader Inquiry Card

Weed Popper from Wonder Products Mfg. was created to remove hard-to-pull weeds, such as Dallis grass, by the roots without the user having to kneel or bend. The tool is made of heavy-



gauge steel, zinc-plated for rust resistance, with a lacquered wood handle and tines of hardened steel. Circle No. 163 on Reader Inquiry Card

The John Deere 650 is a compact utility tractor providing 14.5 hp at the PTO. Powered by a 2-cylinder, water-cooled 52.1 cubic-inch diesel engine, it features a sliding gear transmission with eight forward and two reverse speeds, and a ground clearance of 11.3 inches. Power steering and mechanical front-



wheel drive are optional.

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The Woods' S260 ditch bank mower was designed to cut a five foot swath from 90 degrees upward to 70 degrees downward. Overlapping free swinging blades were created for clean mowing



and the mower deck can be locked into a vertical position for road transport. Safety features include shielded universal drive line and belts. Circle No. 165 on Reader Inquiry Card

Reusable anti-mud grids by Grass Pavers Ltd. were created to prevent wheel rutting and mud bog down of heavy vehicles running over soft soil. The polyethelyene grids are designed



to be laid over non-reusable filter cloth and can be utilized wherever vehicles are needed for off-the-road purposes. Circle No. 166 on Reader Inquiry Card

Midmark Corp. has introduced a compact, 7.5 hp walk-behind trencher with a variable digging speed for different soil conditions. Its 20,000 lb. digging chain is designed to trench as deep as 30-in. and as wide as 6-in. Other Continues on page 89



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An operator-programmable nuclear gauge for the automatic processing of irrigation scheduling data is now available. According to the manufacturer, Campbell Pacific Nuclear Corp., the Hydroprobe is the first device of its



kind, allowing the operator to enter data directly into a computer, and within seconds get back scheduling information in printed form. Circle No. 168 on Reader Inquiry Card

The Ground Ox by Taylor Manufacturing Co. is a three yard scraper/leveller featuring positive forced ejection and patented guidance systems.





With the ejection door opened, the Ox operates as a scraper; with the door closed to one foot behind the cutting blade, it becomes a field plane. It is designed for simple maintenance and

easy manuversability according to Taylor.

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Sudbury Laboratory, Inc.'s weatherresistant plant stakes are constructed of lightweight steel with a plastic coating. Available in a variety of lengths, the dark green Dura-Stakes have a toothstyle surface created for easy tying and vining.

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