# **PRODUCT REVIEW**

Clippings and leaves are delivered to the hopper by way of a see-through tube.

The hopper is hydraulically dumped from the operator's seat. Dump height is ample for discharge into trailers or pickup trucks.

The new collectors are designed to simplify yard waste removal and minimize operating time for grounds keepers and commercial lawn care operators.

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### Interlocking timbers easy to install

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The patent-pending system uses 4x4 and 6x6 timbers, with pre-cut, pre-drilled interlocking ends. Pegs hold the timbers together, and two or three timbers can be connected at a joint.

Thompson Industries of Russellville, Ark., says the the timbers are made of southern pine, pressure-treated with Wolman preservative and Wolman Extra water repellent additive.



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### Mower system features 72-inch swath

National Mower Co. of St. Paul, Minn., is in full production of a new 72-inch mower system with floating out-front reels.

The TAC-1 features an extremely tight turning radius and three newly-designed mowing units.

National says the mower lets operators

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### Vacuum picks up fine chemical dust, powder

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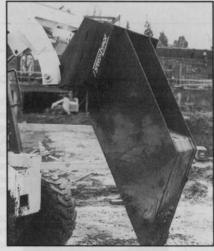
The vacuum can be equipped with polyliners so that spilled powder can be disposed of or re-used. In addition to collecting spilled powder, the vacuum cleaner should be used to clean loose powder which often attaches itself to workers' clothing.

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### Power shovel attaches easily to skid-steers

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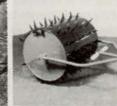
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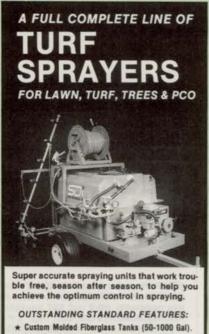
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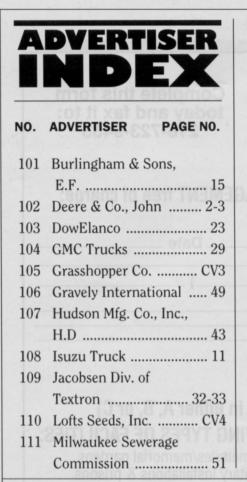
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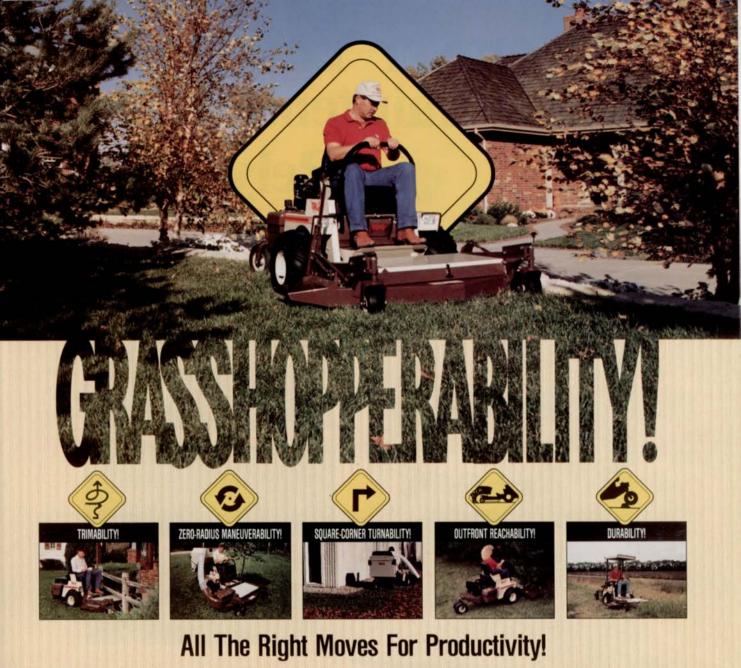
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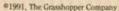
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