The 1972 weed control recommendations are to be replaced by new weed control guides. The walnut guide will be a separate leaflet containing chemical and cultural weed control programs.

Update on the registration status of Surflan(R), Kerb(R), Devrinol(R), Ronstar(R), Zoria1(R), and Roundup(R) for use in walnuts.

Trials using the Reddick digger to layer Treflan(R) and Casoron(R) have looked promising for perennial weed control.

An annual weed control plot was set up in March 1974 on two-year-old Tehama walnuts. The materials to be tested included wettable and liquid Simazine(R), Roundup(R), Paraquat(R), and tank mixes of Simazine(R) and Nitralin(R), Simazine(R) and Devrinol(R), Simazine and Surflan(R), and Simazine and Ronstar(R). The plot was discet up in June but not before it was rated once for weed control. This rating indicated that only the pre-emergence materials gave economic weed control in this trial.