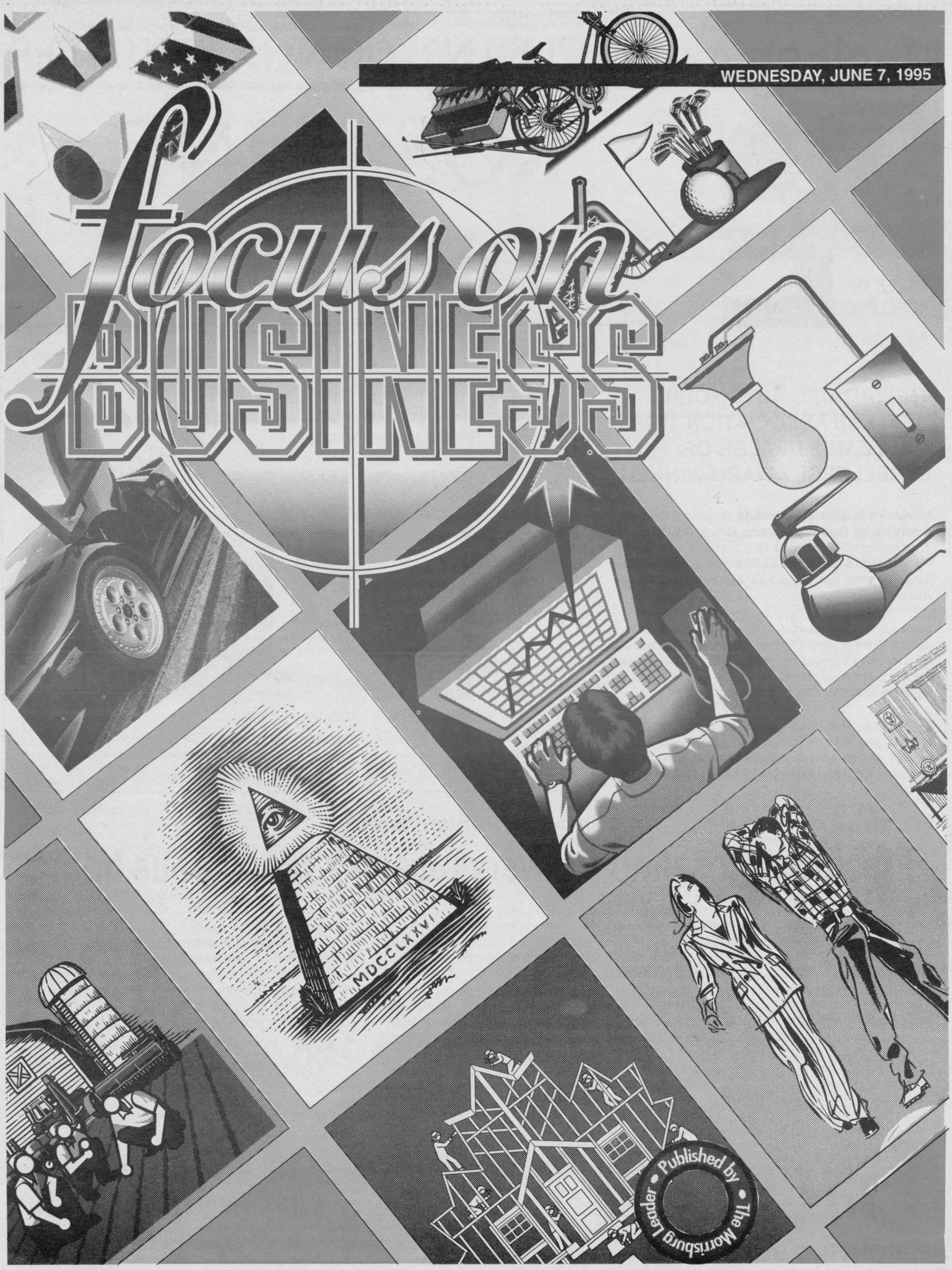
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DEALER OF EXCELLENCE

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ROSALIND DREWERY

THE ONTARIO AUTOMOBILE DEALERS ASSOCIATION 1995 MACLEAN'S DEALER OF EXCELLENCE AWARD WINNER

Maclean's is pleased to salute Rosalind Drewery, president of Drewery Pontiac Buick GMC Ltd. in Winchester, Ontario and the first woman to win the Maclean's Dealer of Excellence award in conjunction with the Canadian Automobile Dealers Association.

Rosalind got her start in the auto business at the age of 16 as a parts clerk at Guest Motors in Hull, Quebec. She worked her way up from clerk to secretary treasurer, general manager in 1977, and finally president of Drewery Motors in 1984.

Ever since, Rosalind has won over customers and judges alike with her business acumen, as well as her extensive involvement in automobile associations and commitment to her community.



Award of Excellence
Rosalind Drewery displays her Dealer of Excellence she received from Maclean's Magazine last month as the best automobile dealership in Ontario.

Drewery Pontiac Buick

President Rosalind Drewery receives prestigious honor

WINCHESTER—To receive a prestigious honor from Canada's news' magazine—Maclean's Magazine—is pretty special.

Just ask Rosalind Drewery of Drewery Pontiac Buick in Winchester.

"I was totally shocked to receive this award of excellence," she said.

"It never occurred to me that I would get it. Never dreamt."

She was pretty pleased though, as she said. "It proves that Drewery Pontiac is the best. We (all 23 staff members) are the best in Ontario."

Nominated in April by another dealership (she had three votes actually), Rosalind didn't realize she had won the award until her name was called at the annual Ontario Automobile Association convention in Bermuda at the end of April.

"It's a great honor to receive this award. I am very pleased."

Sixty per cent of the marks for this award are based on customer service, body shop, customer satisfaction, performance as a dealership and above average sales.

Twenty per cent is based on community service. Drewery Pontiac Buick donates to such charitable organizations as the Cancer Society and the Winchester District Memorial Hospital.

The other 20 per cent is based on Ontario Automobile Association work. Rosalind is a director on the board for the association.

Her duties keep her busy on the road as well as at the dealership.

Rosalind was chosen the winner of the Maclean's Award of Excellence over 964 other nominees from across the province.

Of the 9,000 dealerships in Ontario, she is proud to be the president of the number one rated dealership—Drewery Pontiac Buick Ltd. of Winchester.

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Rod & reel combos **$42.99**
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Every day is Father's Day at Swenssons

All this week at Swenssons, you can get some great Father's Day gifts for that special Dad on your shopping list. From golf clubs, to swim suits, prices are slashed up to 20% on selected merchandise.

Footwear by Nike, Reebok, Wolverine, Avia, Etonic and Rawlings are reduced by 20%. Swimwear and fishing lures are also slashed by 20%.

You can also get some great savings on golf accessories, as well as clubs, bags and carts. With the purchase of Tilley and Straw hats (minimun purchase price of $24.95) you will receive a free sleeve of golf balls.

Bicycles are also reduced to clear and you can save up to $90 on Norco bicycles. Inline skates are reduced and you will receive a piece of protective gear (ie. elbow, knee or wrist pad) at no additional cost.

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Hats galore
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A family tradition since 1937

WILLIAMSBURG—For almost 60 years, Whitteker's Meat Market Ltd has been offering its customers some of the greatest deals and friendliest service in the area.

Not only does the store offer fresh cut meat, but owners Glen and Heather Whitteker as well as staff members Keith, Wayne, Sharon and Sandra, also prepare freezer orders. The store also has deli products available, as well as a wide variety of groceries and fresh produce.

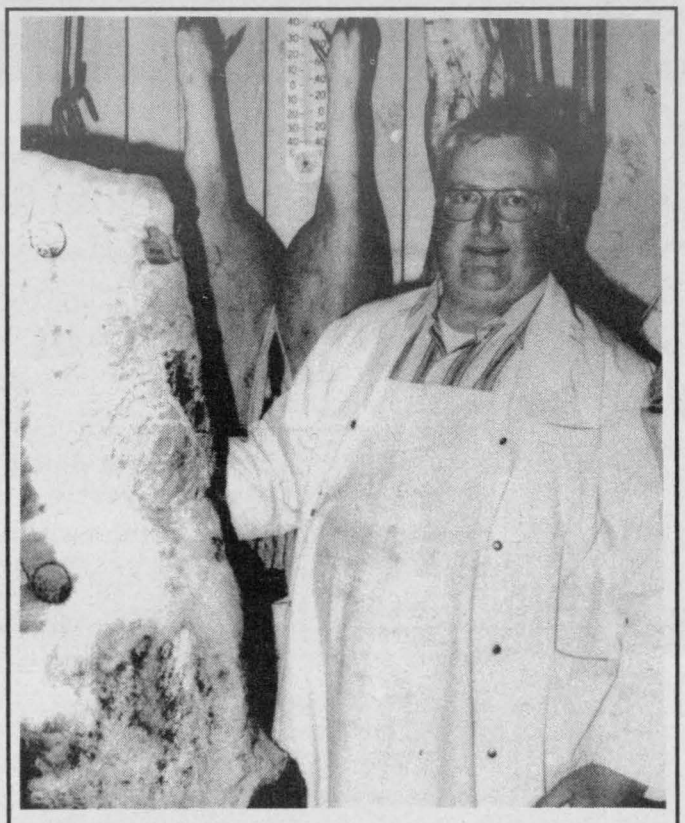
"We guarantee all freezer orders are prepared from Canada Grade A Red Brand Beef," says Glen. "The freezer orders have always been in great demand. These orders have changed from only beef and pork to an ever increasing variety of meat products."

Many large orders are called in by telephone as the customer gives Whittekers a few days to have the order ready for pick-up.

Together with J.M. Schneider, Whitteker's Meat Market has earned the distinction of being the longest standing active customer in Canada.

The Whittekers have been offered many accolades over the years, including a special silver tray and gold pen on the occasion of their 50th anniversary.

The friendly atmosphere, coupled with light chatter around the old wood stove, are traditions founded years ago which still draw the customers to the tiny hamlet.



Glen Whitteker of Whitteker's Meat Market Ltd. Williamsburg, will cut your meat to suit your needs.

It wasn't until 1970 that Glen took over the business from his father Walter.

Things have changed over the years, including meat prices and people's preferences. In 1937 one pound of pork could be purchased for six cents, and bacon was 10 cents a pound. Steak and seafood were not popular items in 1937, and stewing meat and roasts were the big sellers.

Besides the quality meat, the store is famous for conversation. Glen remembers taking out the old wood stove that had been in the shop for many years. He got so many complaints that he says he had to put it back. "A lot of problems have been solved around that old wood stove," he says.

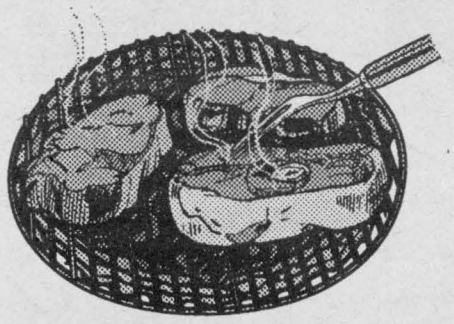
The reputation of quality products and service has spread throughout the area. Former Williamsburg residents who have moved out of the area are still coming back to purchase their meats.

From the Ottawa River to the St. Lawrence River, Whitteker's Meat Market is a down-home place that keeps its customers coming back for more.

Special freezer packages

$100.00 package*

10 lb Ground Chuck - 85% lean	$21.90
10 lb Boneless Top Sirloin Steak	$42.90
10 lb Chicken Breasts	$22.90
4 lb Schneiders Jumbo Smokies (Hot or Mild)	$12.30
Total:	$100.00



$200.00 package*

10 lb Ground Chuck - 85% lean	$21.90
10 lb Boneless Top Sirloin Steak	$42.90
10 lb T. Bones	$56.90
10 lb Pork Loin Chops	$25.90
8.8 lb Box Boneless Skinless Chicken Breasts	$39.95
4 lb Jumbo Smokies (Hot or Mild)	$12.45
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MORRISBURG—Tony and Linda Cummins and Roger Stitt started their motocross business as a hobby at home.

Little did they know that in 11 years, they would become one of the most popular suppliers of Kawasaki, Lawnboy, Homelite, and Murray products in the area.

"It really started as a hobby as our son was into motocross," says Linda.

After a few short years, the Cummins expanded their business, took on the name "Seaway Cycle" and moved to Morrisburg to the old Texaco service station.

"We bought the Kawasaki franchise when we moved to Morrisburg," says Tony.

"We now offer a complete line of motorcycles and ATVs, as well as our popular line of jet skis."

Their jet skis range from the popular family models to the 100 hp models. Prices vary starting at $4,200.

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The Cummins' latest franchise to come aboard is the Murray line of riding lawn mowers, chippers, shredders, snow blowers and rototillers.

They also have Homelite Power Products which include chain saws, mowers and trimmers.

"We can really accommodate all your lawn and garden maintenance needs," they say.

As well as all these products, the Cummins have a complete line of wet suits, life preservers, protective gear and even fire extinguishers.

Tony also has a garage at the rear of the shop where he repairs all makes and models of small engines.

"When it gets really busy, I hire a part-time mechanic to help out," he says.

But for the most part, Linda and Tony are the sole operators of their business.

Steve Morrow is a familiar face around the shop as he is a part time employee this summer.

So if you're in the making for a new jet ski, or motorcycle, or even a lawn mower, drop into Seaway Cycle



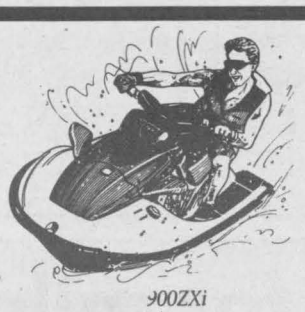
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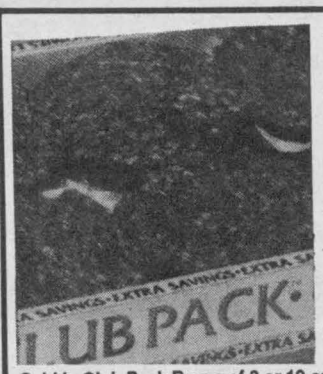
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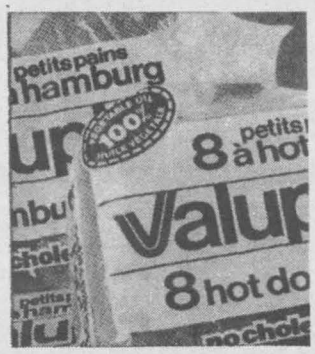
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Mr. Grocer's deli staff members are always ready and willing to help serve your special needs. Party platters or cheese trays can be ready with a day or two notice. Their deli-made pizzas are always fresh and priced just right.

The meat department offers a variety of cuts from bacon to prime rib and roast beef. Produce is always fresh and plentiful.

Biba

The place to shop for great Father's Day gifts

With Father's Day just around the corner BIBA is the place to find quality clothing for your dad.

BIBA's shelves are filled with top brand name clothing and shoes with price ranges which fit any budget.

The store has a huge selection of shoes ranging from Nike and Reebok sandals to Wolverine desert shoes.

The most popular sandals for the season are the Nike Dechutz and Reebok Amazon which go for $74.95.

The store has Birkenstocks on their shelves from between $52.95 to $140.

For the father who's trying to reclaim his old shapely figure Biba is the place to shop for Nike and Reebok crosstrainers.

For those summer strolls there's also Rockport walking shoes. Ginette Smith, the store's manager says " a lot of men really like them because they're really comfortable."

The store also stocks a wide selection of Wolverines including the most popular Alamo desert shoe for $79.95.

The friendly staff at Biba can help you select a jacket like Wolverine duster style jackets for $79.95.

You can also get your father fashionably ready for summer with Biba's summer wear.

The store has Point Zero shorts in four colours at $29.95. Smith says Point Zero shorts are very popular because they're both sporty and formal.

They also have stylish Henly and Polo shirts.

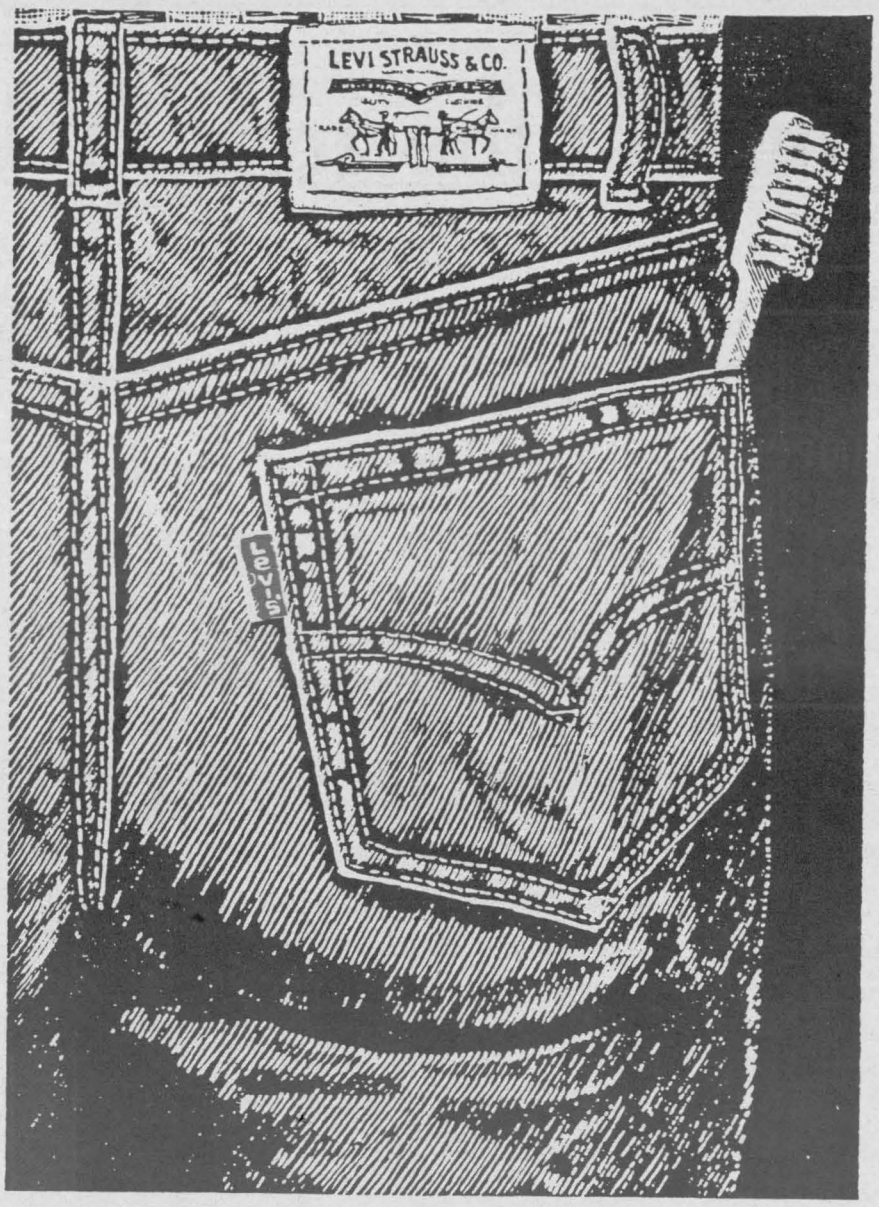
Biba has sportier fashions like Umbro shorts for $24.95 and Umbro t-shirts at $24.95.

For the more formal occasions Biba also has men's blazers at $134.

There's also a wide selection of jeans including all styles of Levi's on sale for $49.95.

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'95 Caprice Impala SS
Stock #1562, 5.7L HO V-8 engine, power seats - driver and passenger, leather interior, bucket seats, Impala SS pkg.
Reg: $32,460
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Reg: $22,675
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OSNABRUCK TWP.—A newly developed family-oriented plumbing and heating business has recently opened its doors in Osnabruck Township, and owners Malcolm (Mac) and Bonnie MacDonald are pleased to be able to offer their clients the friendly, personalized service that they feel is imperative to run their venture successfully.

Mac, one of the two partners of BMAC Plumbing and Heating, is highly skilled and well educated in the plumbing and heating fields.

After becoming certified as an Inter-Provincial Plumber, he continued his education to obtain his Master Plumber's Certificate. Later Mac obtained the certificates of Fitter 2 as well as Natural Gas Appliance 1. His most recent achievement was his Oil Burner Technician 2 certificate.

Now Malcolm has 23 years experience in his field and has held the position of supervisor or foreman at most of his jobs. He has also challenged himself by being a leader in his church, a coach in several different sports, and is a certified softball umpire. He also participates on the executive of two bowling leagues.



BMAC Plumbing & Heating
Bonnie, Malcolm and Chris MacDonald of Osnabruck Township own and operate their plumbing and heating business from their home near Ingleside.

Bonnie MacDonald, the second partner of BMAC Plumbing & Heating, has been employed in areas of food service and plant assembly for 16 years. She enjoyed dealing with people as she gained a better understanding of herself by attending seminars in self-evaluation and leadership training.

She has spent six years as a bowling league secretary. Bonnie has further shown her talents in public relations, and a strong commitment to her community, by organizing church dinners, volunteering for seniors,and doing door-to-door canvassing for a well-known charitable organization. Her knowledge of public relations, and her dedication to her community, will be strong assets to BMAC Plumbing & Heating.

The Seccess Small Business Management Course has equipped Bonnie with marketing, accounting, communications and administrative skills.

Together, Mac and Bonnie were delighted to learn that their son Chris would like to continue his education in the air conditioning field to further expand this family-oriented business in the future.

The 17-year-old grade 11 student at Rothwell-Osnabruck School has plans to attend college after he attains his Gr. 12 diploma and apprentice alongside his parents to learn the business.

The MacDonalds' daughter, Cheryl, has also been instrumental in their business through her skills obtained as she presently attends the University of Ottawa studying linguistics. This has enabled her to help Mac and Bonnie capitalize on her talents in numerous ways.

BMAC Plumbing & Heating will provide the customer with certified professional support, competitive prices, quality service, and variable working hours.

"We will work to provide the services that our customers need and expect, so that they will no longer need to turn to the city for competent plumbing and heating service," said Bonnie.

"Our competitors are not only encouraging our business venture, but are willing to assist us in any area which we may need help."

The MacDonalds work closely with Stewarts' Home Hardware installing natural gas, water heaters, ranges and appliances, as well as with numerous other plumbing and heating businesses in the area.

"We would like BMAC Plumbing & Heating to be known as the plumbing and heating business that cares for their customers," Mac added. "We will always be there with quality and dependable services and a friendly smile that show we appreciate their patronage."

BMAC Plumbing & Heating

Specialists in the business

BMAC Plumbing & Heating specializes in plumbing and heating for residential, commercial and industrial clients. The business offers 23 years of licensed experience in sales, installation, and repairs to both oil and gas high-efficiency furnaces.

They also offer complete bathroom and kitchen remodeling to assist with every individual's plumbing needs. They are experts with water pressure systems and pumps.

BMAC Plumbing & Heating is located on Sandtown Road, which is the 8th Concession of Osnabruck Township, just north of Ingleside, Ontario.

Owned and operated by Malcolm and Bonnie MacDonald, BMAC Plumbing & Heating takes pride in guaranteeing quality workmanship. Their motto is "No job is too big or too small". Free estimates are always available.

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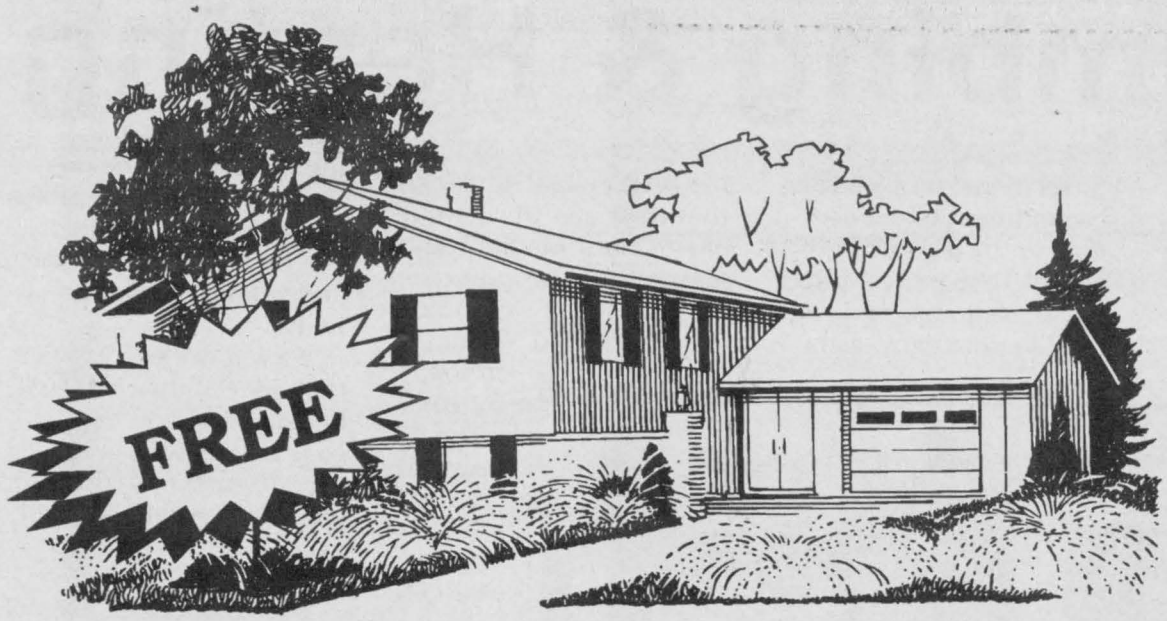
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MORRISBURG—It was in 1957 that Dwight Crowder got in the monument business.

Being a farmer in Williamsburg Township in the mid-fifties, money was tight. Starting a new business was a way to bring in a little extra money.

According to Dwight's son Dale, that's how Crowder Monument's got its start.

"Now Crowder Monuments serves the better part of Eastern Ontario," says Dale. "We moved from Williamsburg to Morrisburg in 1978 and we've expanded to burial vaults as well as the monuments."



From start to finish, the average monument takes approximately one and a half days. But because of the new etching designs—which are accomplished by hand— some monuments may take up to a week to do.

"We can even sandblast or etch photographs, says Lisa Crowder-Gibson, a third generation in the business. "The business is certainly becoming more personalized."

Crowder Monuments serves the area from Kingston to the Quebec border and as far north as Ottawa. With two other staff members, Lyle Tyo—whom Dale says is his right arm in the business with 16 years experience,—and Jeff Allen, Crowder Monuments is fast becoming a trademark in the area.



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Air conditioning tips for a cool summer

WILLIAMSBURG—Summer is on the way and now is the time to get your air conditioner ready.

Arthur Thom Electric of Williamsburg offers the following tips to enable you to have a cooler summer and save some money too.

If you have had your air conditioner covered, take the cover off. Do a quick visual inspection of the unit and look for any damage to the coil that may have occurred from falling ice or snow. If there is any debris around the unit, clear it away.



Truck load of air conditioners
Jimmie Thom of Arthur Thom Electric just received a truck load of air conditioners. Now's the time to purchase your air conditioner for a much more comfortable summer.

If your unit is mounted on brackets locate the mounting bolts and tighten them.

Turn on your breaker for the air conditioner in the electrical panel. Over the winter the oil in the compressor will become thick. There is a small heater that will warm the refrigerant and make it thin. This needs to be on for at least 24 hours before you start the unit.

Clean or replace your furnace filter. A clean filter is very important for proper air conditioner operation.

If you have a power humidifier installed on your furnace you need to close the bypass damper. This damper is located at the end of the hose on the warm air plenum.

Set your thermostat to 23°C and turn your system to cool. You should now be ready to enjoy a cool summer.

From the outside

• Trim brush and shrubs surrounding outdoor units to prevent airflow obstruction.

• Make sure the outdoor coil is free from grass clippings, leaves and other debris.

• Make sure you indoor unit's filter and blower are clean.

•Keep in mind that a properly ventilated attic can reduce your system's cooling load.

•The best thing you can do is contact Arthur Thom Electric in Williamsburg. Only then will you get the efficiency you paid for.

Reducing costs

Turn off the air conditioner when you're away from the home for extended periods—like vacations.

To save energy, set the thermostat at 23°C or higher and leave it there...don't be a thermostat jiggler. Continually changing the temperature setting wastes energy and costs more money. Each degree cooler than 26°C uses substantially more energy.

Use portable fans or ceiling fans to circulate air. Turn off fans when you leave the room.

Set the air conditioner fan switch on the thermostat to automatic. This costs less to operate than the "continuous" or "on" setting.

Don't place lamps or heat producing appliances, like televisions or stereos, close to thermostats.

Use your washer, dryer, oven, dishwasher and range during cooler parts of the day.

In summer, close blinds and drapes to keep out direct sun. keep windows and doors closed.

Keep outdoor portions of air conditioner units free of leaves and plant overgrowth, which interfere with air circulation.

Keep your unit well maintained. Dirty units cost much more to operate. If you have any questions, call the experts at Arthur Thom Electric at (613) 535-2720.

SUMMER AIR CONDITIONING TIPS

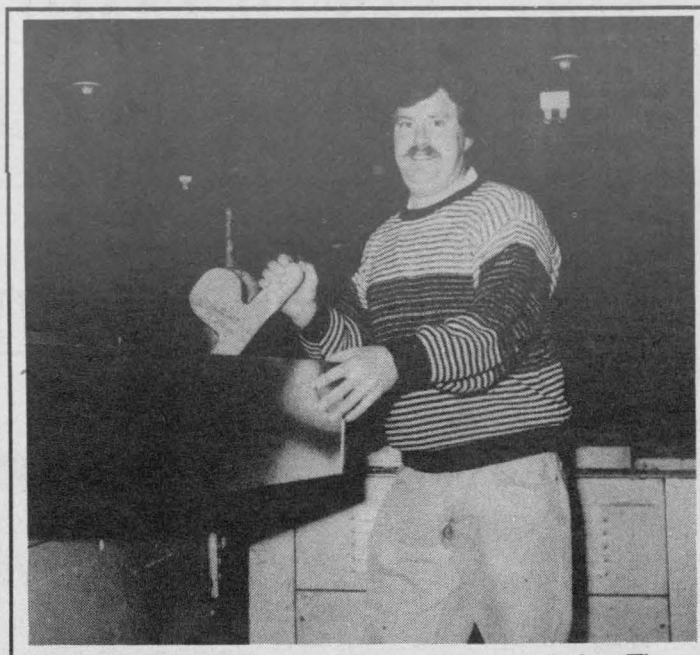
- Turn off the air conditioner when you're away from home for extended periods, like on vacation.
- To save energy, set thermostat at 76° F (22°C) or higher and leave it there. Don't be a thermostat jiggler. Continually changing the temperature setting wastes energy and costs money. Each degree cooler than 78°F uses substantially more energy.

  Use portable fans or ceiling fans to circulate air. Turn off fans when you leave the room. (Ceiling fan and a 20-inch portable fan each costs about one cent to run for one hour.)
- Air conditioning fan switch set on "automatic" costs less to operate than one set on "con tinuous" or "on".
- Don't put lamps or heat producing appliances like televisions or stereos close to thermostats.
- Turn off the television, radio, lamps, lights and other heat-producing appliances when not in use.
- Use washers, dryers, ovens, dishwashers, ranges during cooler parts of the day.

  In summer, close blinds and drapes to keep out direct sun. Keep windows and outside doors closed.
- Keep curtains and furniture away from return air grilles, vents or air diffusers, because they restrict air flow.
- For windows exposed to direct summer sun, use exterior shading, like awnings, over heads, solar screens, large trees or shrubs. Especially shade windows facing south and

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EMPLOYEE PROFILE



Mark McClinton has been an employee at Arthur Thom Electric for three years now. Mark is a licensed sheet metal mechanic who fabricates duct work at the tin shop. He has two kids, Ryan and Justina, and resides at Elma. In just a few more days—June 10th— Mark will be marrying Marilyn Polentz.

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