

Local man arrested in break-in

A 19-year-old Milton man faces charges following an early morning break-in at an Ontario Street residence Monday.

A female occupant was in the driveway warming up her car. Upon going back inside at about 6:38 a.m., she discovered a young man — who quickly fled and headed in the direction of Commercial Street.

Halton Regional Police's canine unit was immediately dispatched and a man was arrested a short time later. He was charged with both break and enter and possession of a dangerous weapon.

His bail hearing was held yesterday.

Mattamy targeted

Mattamy Homes' Derry Road sales office was targeted by thieves twice in the

Police Blotter

past week.

During the first incident — overnight last Friday — unknown culprits stole a tool chest and tools valued at \$5,773. Then sometime between Saturday and Monday, \$436 worth of hand tools were removed.

In each case, bolt cutters were used to gain access to the office.

Credit card used

Police are investigating a credit card being used several times after a Milton woman reported her wallet lost Tuesday

morning.

The wallet was lost at the Milton Leisure Centre sometime between 9:30 and 10:45 a.m. The credit card was used five times later in the day.

Expensive tools taken

Electronic telephone testing equipment, valued at \$1,800, was removed from a 1999 Dodge pick-up truck parked at Anderson Avenue overnight Saturday.

The equipment was inside a tool box in the back seat of the vehicle.

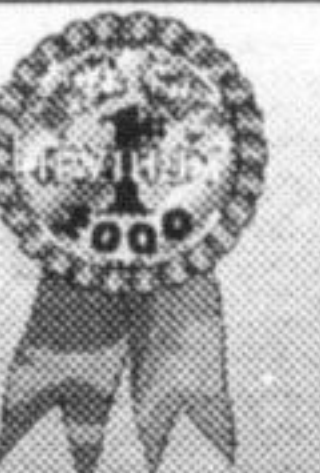
Compressor stolen

A \$900 compressor was stolen from a Peru Road residence sometime last weekend.

It was removed from an unlocked garage.

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Police seeking vandals

Police in Milton are investigating property damage of three large glass windows at Milton District High School.

The offence happened November 10 at 7:35 p.m. The unknown culprit smashed the rear windows of the school using large pieces of wood, which were probably taken from the forest behind the school.

The caretaker heard the noise of the shattering glass, but the suspects were gone when she arrived on the scene. Do you know who smashed these windows at Milton District High School?

If you have any information about this property damage, or any other crime, Crime Stoppers of Halton wants to hear from you.

If you have any information that leads to an arrest in this or any other matter, you may be eligible for a cash reward.

You need not give your name when you tell us your information and you will remain anonymous. Crime Stoppers does not subscribe to the telephone call display feature. Please call 1-800-222-TIPS or 825-TIPS (825-8477).

11 Things You Need to Know To Pass Your Home Inspection BEFORE You Sell Your Home This Spring

MILTON - According to industry experts, there are over 33 physical problems that will come under scrutiny during a home inspection when your home is for sale. A new report has been prepared which identifies the most common of these problems, and what you should know about them before you list your home for sale.

Whether you own an old home or a brand new one, there are a number of things that can fall short of requirements during a home inspection. If not identified and dealt with, any of these 11 items could cost you dearly in terms of repair. That's why it's critical that you read this report before you list your home. If you wait until the building inspector flags these issues for you, you will almost certainly experience costly delays in the close of your home sale, or, worse, turn prospective buyers away altogether.

In most cases, you can make a reasonable pre inspection yourself if you know what you're looking for. And knowing what you're looking for can help you prevent little problems from growing into costly and unmanageable ones.

To help homesellers deal with this issue before their home is listed, a free report entitled "11 Things You Need to Know to Pass Your Home Inspection" has been compiled which explains the issues involved.

To hear a brief recorded message about how to order your free copy of this report, call 1-888-475-8645 and enter ID#1003. You can call anytime, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

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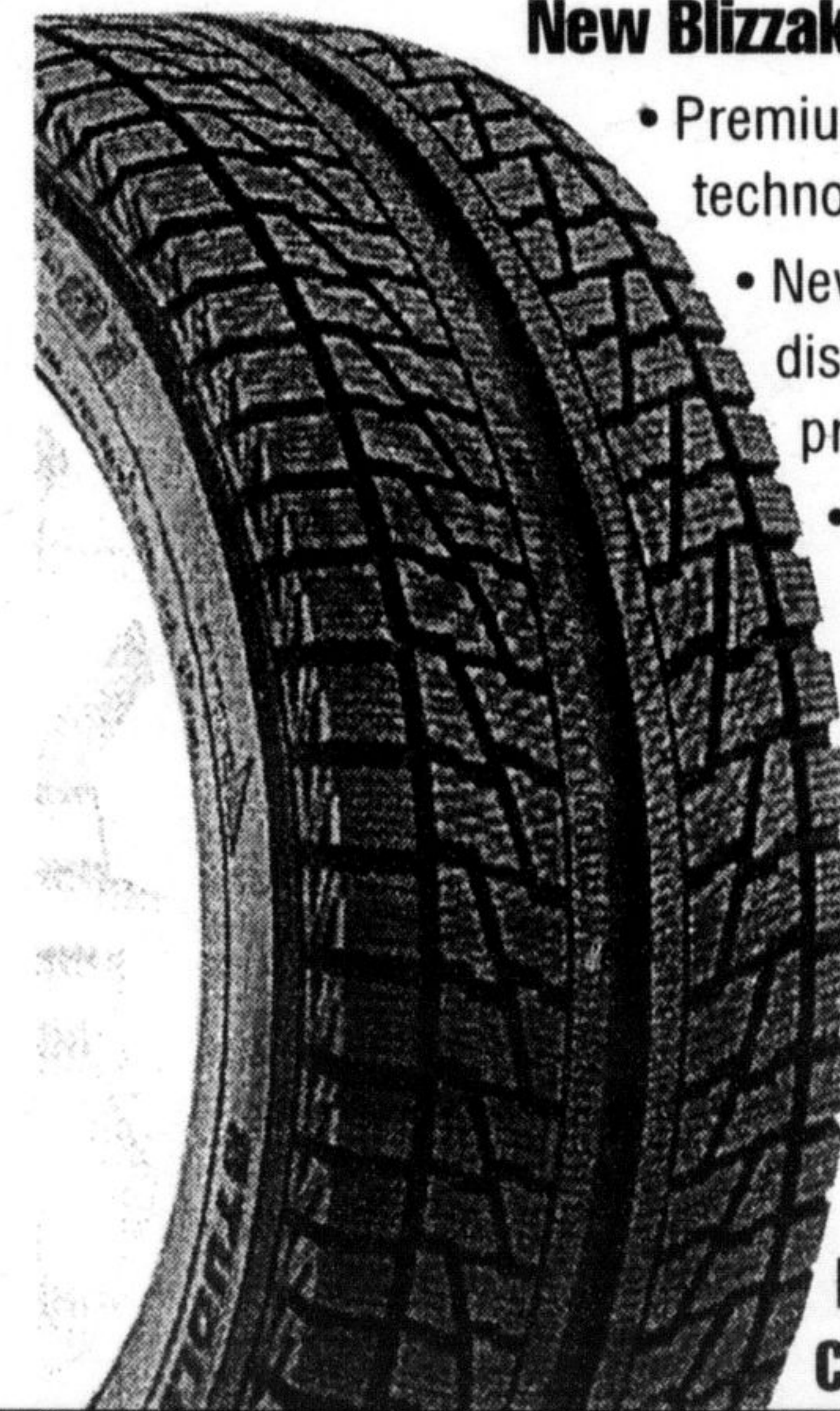
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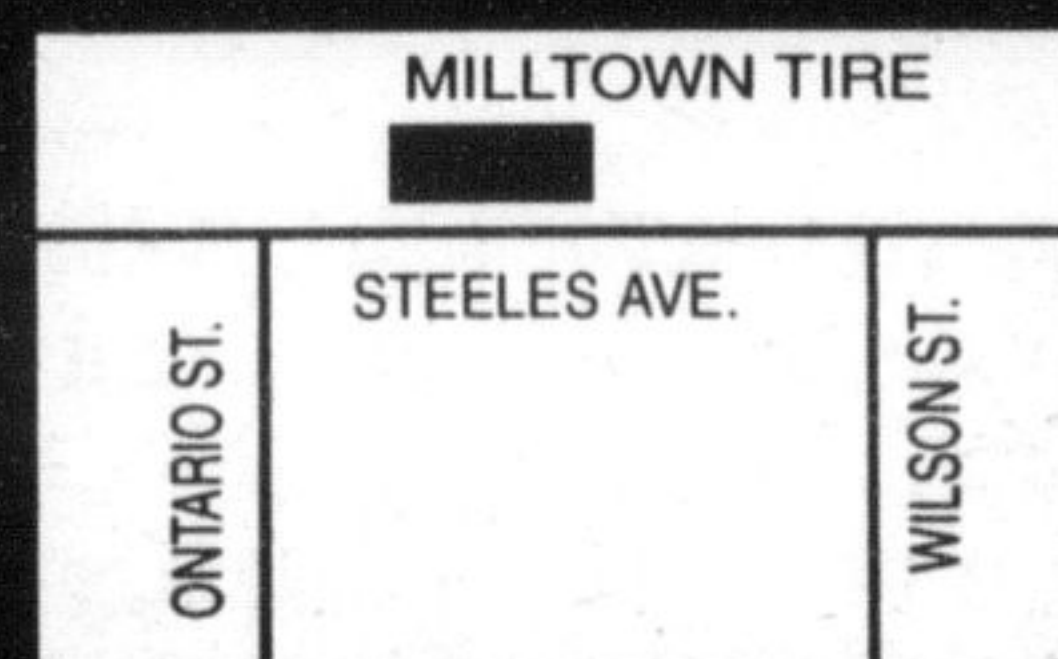
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