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If last weekend was any indication, spring is finally here.

Homeowners were outside raking leaves, cleaning the garden and other tasks that have to be completed during this beautiful season.

But Savio Vaz, owner of V Care Inc., said spring is also the time to clean the inside of the home.

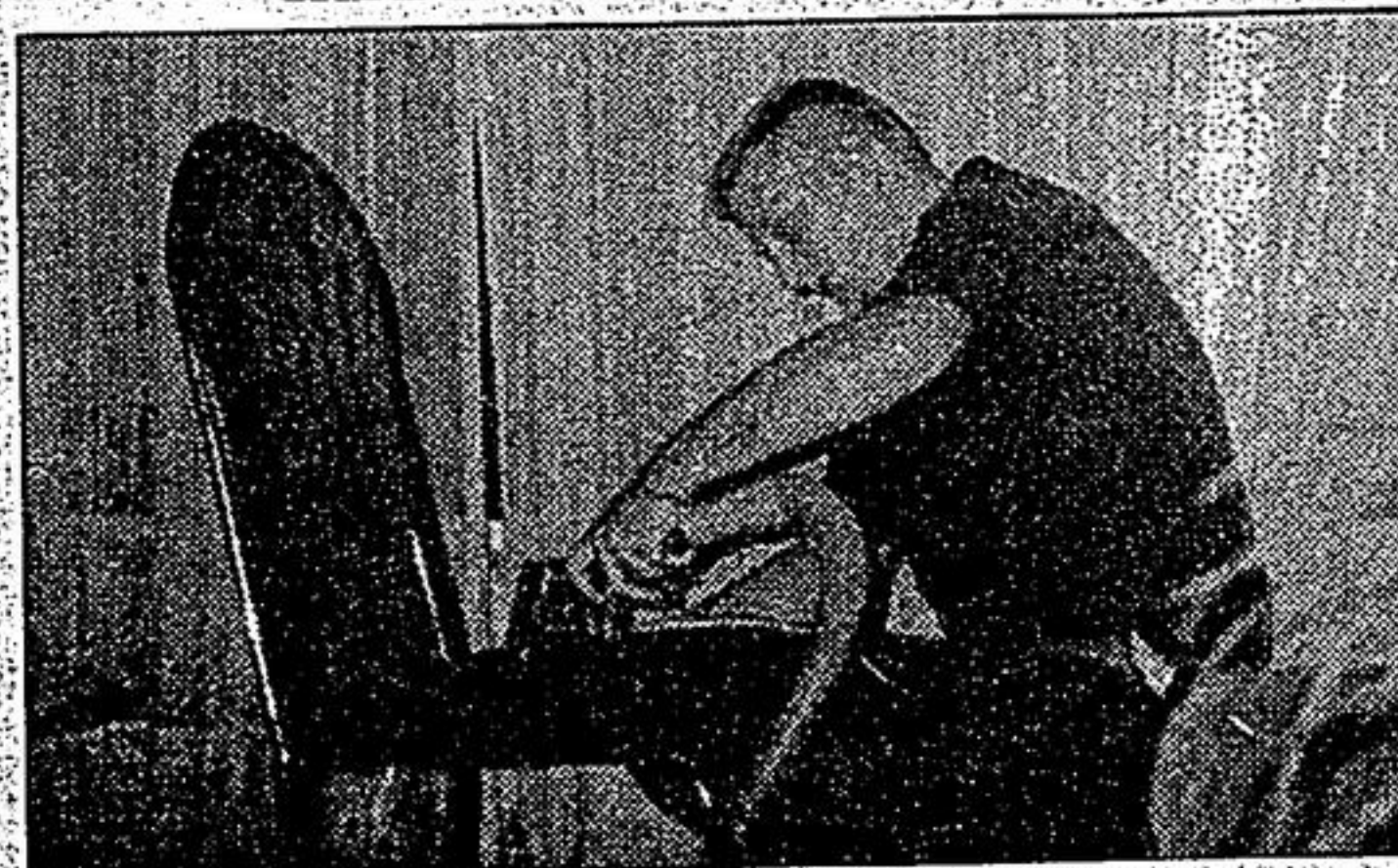
"Now is the perfect time to clean the last remnants of winter from your carpets, upholstery and windows," Vaz said. "And, if your ducts haven't been cleaned in a while, now is the perfect time to do that, as well."

V Care, which has been offering a superior cleaning service since 1986, has a highly-trained staff who go out of their way to ensure every need of the customer is met.

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DUCTS

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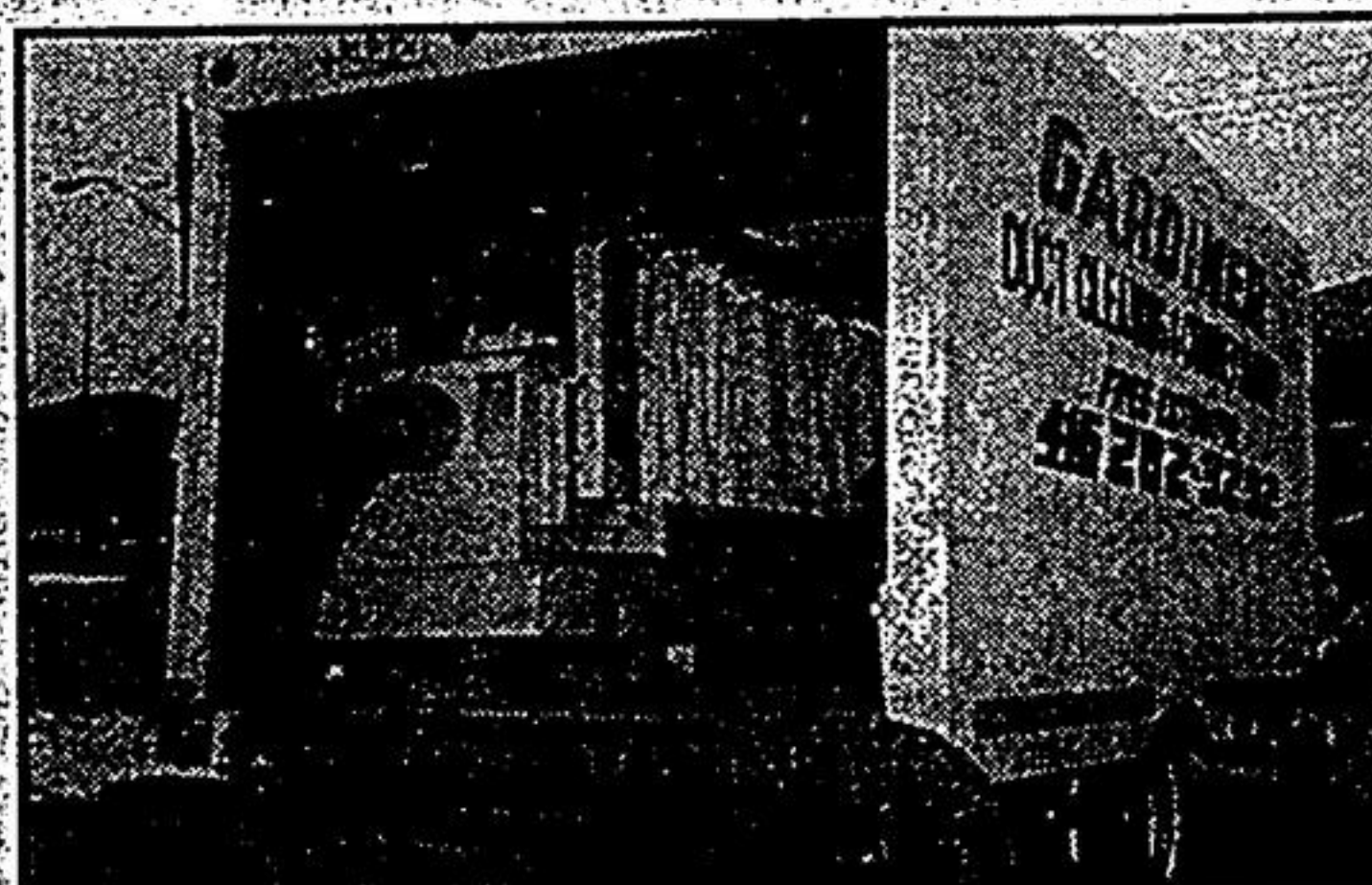
Dust can be more than just an annoyance if you don't do something about it.

Not only can it be a constant source of work come cleaning time, but it can also irritate your eyes, throat and cause breathing problems.

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who has not had them cleaned for a long time to get it done as soon as possible. It's a procedure that takes very little time compared to the amount of time clients enjoy clean, dust-free air in their homes and it's further beneficial in that it reduces heating and cooling costs.

The large, truck-mounted, vacuum unit shown in the photo below, packs more power for those tough jobs they encounter.

The procedure is simple. Sam first closes off vents and makes an opening in the main duct. Then, while the vacuum unit sucks air into a holding chamber, a hose is put into the upstairs vents, one at a time, and blows the dust and dirt into the downstairs unit.

They also use the air snake method which ensures ducts are completely rid of dust and debris. This method consists of a device being inserted into the ductwork while a mobile head reaches into every inch of duct work to dislodge dust and debris.

"Dust will not only affect your health but ruin furniture and draperies," says Sam. "Having your ducts cleaned cuts down on cleaning and adds life to your furniture, carpets and drapes."

Sam also provides chimney sweeping at competitive prices with service that is always friendly and courteous. Caps and screens are also available to keep out unwanted pets. In addition, there are two new services available with the purchase of duct cleaning: dryer duct cleaning for only \$20 and brick and stone fireplaces cleaned with free estimates available on request. Gardiner's Duct Cleaning provides an affordable, long-term solution to home dust build-up.

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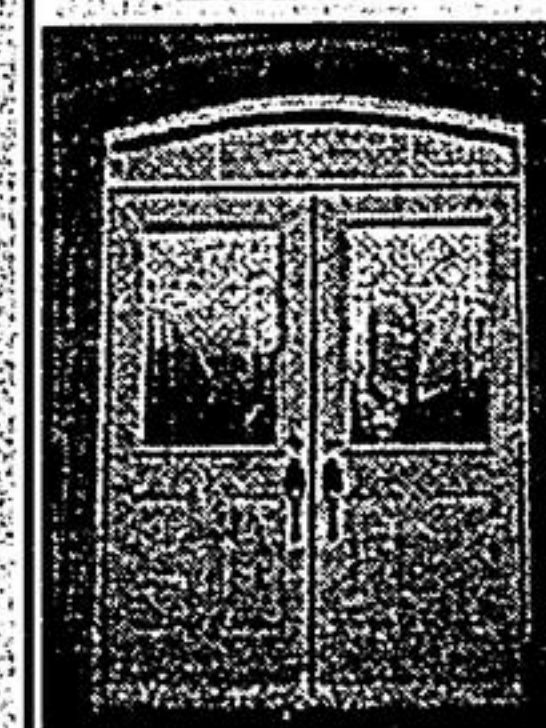
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