



CONSUMERS REVIEW

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OROWEAT FOODS COMPANY

Complete Lines of Whole Grain And Premium White Breads

For better baked goods, look for the name OROWEAT on ALL the bakery products you buy.

Located locally at 1029 Cox Road in Gastonia, these fine products are the result of time-tested recipes, exacting procedures, the most modern equipment, and the dedication and experience of recipes, exacting procedures, the most modern equipment, and the dedication and experience of skilled bakers. OROWEAT features a complete line of English muffins, whole grain and white breads, as well as rye, pumpkin, french, french, rolls, and Arnold breads.

Retailers enjoy stocking this quality line of baked goods and smart homemakers know that their family is getting the very best when they pick up a loaf of this fine bread at their favorite store. If your grocer isn't carrying OROWEAT products, mention to him that you want only the Best for YOUR family!

The writers of this 1977 Review suggest that you keep the name OROWEAT in mind the next time you go shopping!

SHONEYS OF GASTONIA

RAYMOND BARBER—Manager
JESS COUNTS—Asst. Manager

If you've been under the impression that you just couldn't get good food at a drive-in restaurant, then you haven't tried SHONEY'S OF GASTONIA INC. at 1601 Wilkinson Blvd. in Gastonia, phone 864-7769!

This is one drive-in where every item on the menu is prepared with the same type of care and quality ingredients that most people are accustomed to finding only in the fancier "sit down" restaurants. Whether you choose the all-American favorite: the hamburger, SHONEY'S famous "Big Boy," a seafood dinner, breakfast, lunch or any of the other outstanding items on the menu, you'll be in for a pleasant surprise. The food at SHONEY'S OF GASTONIA is so delicious and well-prepared that you'll want to make dining at this fine drive-in restaurant a regular habit. You may eat in your car or relax in their very pleasant dining room.

The writers of this 1977 Review are pleased to recommend this premier restaurant for great food and fast, convenient service.

E.S. WILLIAMS AND SONS

For experienced painting or remodeling, call E. S. WILLIAMS & SONS in Gastonia at 911 E. Franklin Avenue, phone 865-4200. This qualified firm of licensed and bonded contractors will handle the WHOLE job... from helpful decorator advice on choosing a complimentary color scheme to expertly applying paint of the highest quality. In short, they do EVERYTHING! Call A. R. Williams, (H. L. Williams), or C. R. (Buddy) Williams for estimates.

Whether it's your home or office that requires the master's touch, you can rest assured that this firm will do the best job in the shortest possible time with the least inconvenience to you. Start planning now to have that much-needed painting done!

Since E. S. WILLIAMS & SONS does both interior AND exterior work, decorator service, ceramic tile, linoleum, all phases of remodeling, install and sell custom made storm windows and doors, and minor repairs, you needn't search for separate firms to do the total job. Wallpaper, special finishes and many other unique services are also offered by this outstanding contractor. They are wholesale and retail distributors of famous "Gleem" paint, also.

The writers of this 1977 Review urge ANYONE needing the BEST in residential or commercial painting to contact this reputable firm!

THE MUFFLER BRAKE SHOP

Taylor and Larry McElveen—Owners

Does your car sound like a AA fuel dragster? Maybe it's time for you to visit the MUFFLER BRAKE SHOP and have a new muffler installed. If you didn't know it, a faulty exhaust system robs power from your engine, adds greatly to air and noise pollution and can be hazardous to passengers.

A quick stop on Kings Mountain Hwy. 74 West in Gastonia, phone 864-1286, will let these professionals check your car and recommend the exact replacement. A short installation period, and you're back on the road in a safe, quiet car. They have, in stock, mufflers for most any model car or truck and will install the proper unit while you wait. They also specialize in muffler and exhaust systems for all foreign cars! This firm has been serving Gastonia for over 15 years!

If it's performance you want, they have a full line of custom headers and dual exhaust systems as well as pipe bending equipment to make any exhaust system to your exact specifications.

The writers of this 1977 Review recommend the MUFFLER BRAKE SHOP to all of our readers.

GASTONIA NATIONAL GOLF CLUB

ED ANTHONY—Owner-Mgr.

The area's best golfers agree that the GASTONIA NATIONAL GOLF CLUB is just about the finest course around! Located at Linwood Road in Gastonia, phone 867-9452. This outstanding facility features EVERYTHING for making your game more rewarding and enjoyable.

From the smooth, even greens to the long, watered fairways, this is one course which challenges the ability of the professional as well as the beginning golfer.

Another reason for the GASTONIA GOLF CLUB'S immense popularity is their complete pro shop. Located in the clubhouse, this "department store of golfing equipment" features name brand clubs that are personally fitted to your exact requirements by the resident pro. You can find golfing apparel, practice accessories and professional quality equipment for your favorite sport at this well-equipped shop.

The writers of this 1977 Review urge ALL area golfers to play this demanding AND fun course and to visit the pro shop for better equipment!

CAROLINA AND SOUTHERN PROCESSING CORP.

Animal Carcass Removal

Dead animals are removed free by CAROLINA & SOUTHERN PROCESSING CORP. located in Gastonia on Hwy. 321, S. phone 864-8941. If you have a dead horse, cow or hog, on your place, it is of no value to you whatsoever and only causes you time and trouble to dispose of it. If you will call this concern, they will gladly come to your home or farm and remove the animal with no obligation on your part at all.

They have been recognized by the people of this community as a helpful and worthy institution. They have well earned the reputation of being reliable because of their efficient ways and quick service. They are also the areas leading rendering and processing companies, buying bones, fat, grease, and tallow from local retail concerns and individuals.

Why have difficulties trying to move dead animals yourself when you can call this dependable concern, and they will do it for you?

The editors of this 1977 Review praise the reliable service this concern offers and suggest you remember them when you have need of this type of service. We recommend CAROLINA & SOUTHERN PROCESSING CORP. to all of our readers throughout Gaston and Cleveland counties!

MOM 'N POPS HAM HOUSE

Located on Cox Rd. off I-85 in Gastonia, phone 864-0832, this restaurant is recognized as headquarters for "the finest in Country Cooking." Come and bring your friends, you are always welcome here.

They feature country ham and country steak, chicken, home made biscuits and gravy along with home made desserts. They have meeting facilities for clubs and organizations.

Here, people can be seen from every walk of life, who make this popular restaurant their regular eating place.

In this entire section there is not another establishment that surpasses this well known restaurant in service and satisfaction. They are particularly well equipped for proper handling of food.

And last, but not least, the attention and courtesy of the attendants is a feature that receives more than passing notice from the customers.

In making this 1977 Review of the city we, the writers, are pleased to give MOM 'N POP'S HAM HOUSE recommendation for the excellent service they give and for the leading position they hold here.

HOLBROOK ROOFING COMPANY INC

Thomas Holbrook—Owner

Located at 515 North Modena in Gastonia, phone 864-1272, the HOLBROOK'S ROOFING CO., INC., specializing in residential and commercial roofing has made a most exhaustive study of the roofing problems of this particular area. They have looked over the entire field of roofing products offered by various manufacturers and have selected the most artistic and maintenance-free materials available. They will be happy to survey your home or business to aid you in selection of styles, types and colors which will be best for YOUR needs. They do expert workmanship on built-up roofing, patching and on gutters.

With the very latest in roofing equipment and one of the area's finest crews, this dependable contractor has more to offer in terms of a quality roofing job. Whether it's new construction or re-roofing, call the HOLBROOK'S ROOFING CO., INC. and get the opinion of the best before you have any roofing work done on your home. They are fully insured, bonded and carry full liability and workmen's compensation to protect the homeowner.

The editors of this 1977 Review think you'll appreciate the careful estimate and the outstanding work that this qualified contractor will give you!

GASTON COUNTY TREE SERVICE

JAMES PHILBECK—Owner

As specialists in all phases of tree care and beautification, GASTON COUNTY TREE SERVICE can analyze, diagnose and treat ANY disorder in trees from fungus and insect damage to soil deficiencies and weather damage. Your trees will look their absolute best after these qualified professionals are through with them!

Located at 503 S. Chestnut in Gastonia, phone 867-2145, this experienced tree service can do your necessary shaping, pruning, trimming, topping, cabling and spraying. Call them today for a free inspection of your tree problem.

GASTON COUNTY TREE SERVICE also can handle tree and stump removal with their modern equipment. They specialize in lot clearing and dead wood removal from the homeowner and can SAVE you money by increasing your property value!

The writers of this 1977 Review would like to make prominent mention of this outstanding tree service and recommend them to all of our readers.

BLU-GAS COMPANY OF GASTONIA

ED WATFORD—Manager

Rural residents will be pleased to know that BLU-GAS COMPANY INCORPORATED OF GASTONIA is the authorized distributor for LP gas in both bottled and bulk forms. This friendly concern specializes in personalized service and regular deliveries to all outlying areas. You won't be without the clean warmth of gas with this reliable company on the job.

Located on Kings Mountain Highway in Gastonia, phone 867-1248 with a branch in Shelby at Patterson Springs, phone 482-9678, this is one fuel company which realizes the importance of keeping the customer satisfied.

Whether you're a small or large user of LP gas, BLU-GAS COMPANY INCORPORATED OF GASTONIA will do their utmost to keep you satisfied. They value their customers above all else and their record of dependability shows it! Please feel free to give them a call anytime you have a question regarding LP gas service in the local area.

The writers of this 1977 Review would like to congratulate this well run firm for their customer satisfaction and constant improvements.

PUTMAN'S AUTO PARTS

Call Dean Or Doug

With the price of auto parts as high as they are today, the average person cannot afford to keep his car in the best of repair, unless he is a wise owner and saves his money by selecting his parts from PUTMAN'S AUTO PARTS located on Kings Mountain Highway in Gastonia, phone 864-2601.

These men are experts in their field and can help you select just the right part to fit any particular project. They keep in stock a complete line of good used engines, and with their use you can save many dollars over having your present engine overhauled.

From generators and alternators to transmissions both standard and automatic this firm can supply you with practically any part you might need. They never sell parts they know are worn out or damaged without first telling you the condition of what you buy.

We, the writers of this 1977 Review suggest to our readers that they save their money by selecting good used parts from this reliable concern. Remember the name, PUTMAN'S AUTO PARTS.

NEAL HAWKINS CONTRACTOR, INC.

"Grading And Paving"
KERMIT MOSER—Gen. Mgr.

For dependable, expert asphalt paving, it's NEAL HAWKINS CONTRACTOR, INC. at 203 S. Avon St. in Gastonia, phone 865-1281! This reliable firm has been paving streets, parking lots, driveways, mobile home parks, service stations and many other applications for over 60 years! They have established an enviable reputation for doing some of the best paving anywhere! They have asphalt plants located in Gaston and Cleveland counties.

If you're a homeowner, you can benefit by talking to these professionals. They'll set you straight about the low cost involved in increasing your property with a paved driveway. Businessmen, too, can do themselves a favor by paving their parking lots and driveways! The customers will be grateful... and they'll show it!

Regardless of what kind of surface you want to pave... for whatever reason... this outstanding firm can do a better job in the shortest possible time! As the writers of this 1977 Review, we suggest that YOU call the NEAL HAWKINS CONTRACTOR, INC. first!

BISCAYNE SOUTHERN COLLEGE

The BISCAYNE SOUTHERN COLLEGE is a non-sectarian co-educational institution of high learning licensed by the State of North Carolina located at 160 W. Franklin Blvd. in Gastonia, phone 867-1273. This is one of the foremost educational institutions and offers courses which thoroughly conform to the modern business methods of the day. Graduates from this popular institution may be found as leaders in all sections of the country.

Through the efficient work at B. S. C.; students are offered educational advantages unexcelled anywhere. Few communities of this size are favored with such modern institutions as this one. B. S. C. is approved for Veteran training and licensed by the Board of University of N. C. to confer the Degree of Associate of Applied Science in Business Administration.

It is with great pleasure that we, the editors of this 1977 Review, give extended mention to this school which is furthering our community through the development of our young leaders.



BETH BATES

Beth Bates Wins Spelling Honors

Beth Bates, Kings Mountain Junior High eighth grader, is Kings Mountain District Schools spelling champion for 1976-77.

Beth won the district spelling bee Thursday at the Kings Mountain Senior High Library, defeating the champions from the other elementary schools in the district.

Miss Bates correctly spelled 88 of 100 words.

Second place went to Mark Branton of Central School, who spelled 84 of 100 words.

As Kings Mountain champion, Beth will represent the school district in the 23rd annual Regional Spelling Bee in Charlotte on April 22. The bee will be held in the auditorium of the Charlotte Observer building.

She will be competing against the best spellers from Anson, Cabarrus, Cleveland, Cumberland, Gaston, Henderson, Hoke, Johnston, Lincoln, McDowell, Mecklenburg, Montgomery, Polk, Richmond, Robeson, Rutherford, Scotland, Stanly and Union counties in North Carolina; and Chester, Chesterfield, Cherokee, Dillon, Lancaster, Marlboro and York counties in South Carolina.

The winner at Charlotte will go to the national competition in Washington, D. C., June 6-10.

Beth is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bates of Kings Mountain. Her father is the assistant superintendent of the KM School District and her mother is a teacher in the KM schools.

Stewardship Programs

During the month of April, Oak Grove Baptist Church, Rt. 3, Kings Mountain is observing a Stewardship Emphasis Program.

Their theme is "Bold Believers in Giving Through a Christian Life Style."

Each week the Sunday School hour and worship service will emphasize tithing. Among the planned activities are banquets, dramas, and tithing testimonies by the church family.

Everyone is invited to join with us during this special month.

Easter Cantata Is Set

The choir of Oak Grove Baptist Church, will present the Easter Cantata, "No Greater Love" by John W. Peterson, Sun., Apr. 10, at 7 p. m.

The choir will be under the direction of LaCount L. Anderson. Soloists will be Bobby Webster, tenor;

Giles Bell, baritone and Mrs. Betty Ware, Mrs. Ollie Jo Ross and Mrs. Betty Philbeck as sopranos.

Narrator is Russell Hinton.

Instrumentalists will be Mrs. Marty Southards, organ and Mrs. Lillie Hinton, pianist.

WILLIAMS AMERICAN SUPPERETTE

DALE WILLARD—Owner

LEM YATES—Mgr. (Belmont)

The place to go to pick up something for that late night snack or for something to eat at breakfast is WILLARDS AMERICAN SUPPERETTE conveniently located at 1024 E. Ozark in Gastonia, phone 865-2186; and a second location in Belmont on Wilkinson Blvd., phone 825-2746, where they carry a complete line of bait and tackle and fishing supplies.

The idea behind their business is to serve the people of this area with a wide variety of name brand merchandise, and fast and friendly service. WILLARDS AMERICAN SUPPERETTE, carries a complete line of beer and wine for your convenience.

They have scientifically stocked their shelves with items often forgotten at the supermarket, and items we all need at usual hours of the morning and evening.

They offer ample free parking space and fast checkout service, which adds to the reason why so many people drop in morning, noon, and night when they're in a hurry.

The writers of this 1977 Review compliment the management of this minimarket for their efforts to offer what is needed, when it is needed. Remember the names, WILLARDS AMERICAN SUPPERETTE in Gastonia and DALES SUPPERETTE in Belmont, you'll find their stock complete and their service extra fast. We urge all of our readers to stop in often!