UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549
FORM 8-K
CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 29, 2004

BRIGGS & STRATTON CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Wisconsin (State or other jurisdiction

1-1370 (Commission File Number) 39-0182330 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

Identification No.)

12301 West Wirth Street, Wauwatosa, Wisconsin 53222

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

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Registrant s telephone number, including area code (414) 259-5333

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ITEM 2.06. MATERIAL IMPAIRMENTS

On November 30, 2004, Briggs & Stratton Corporation issued a press release announcing that it is currently evaluating the potential acquisition of selected assets of bankrupt Murray Inc. (Murray) and the determination of additional impairment on the trade receivable from Murray.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

- (a) Not applicable
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Exhibits. The following exhibit is being furnished herewith:
 - 99.1 Press Release dated November 30, 2004 announcing Briggs & Stratton s evaluation of the acquisition of selected assets of bankrupt Murray, Inc.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

BRIGGS & STRATTON CORPORATION

(Registrant)

Date: November 30, 2004 By: /s/ James E. Brenn

James E. Brenn Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer Duly Authorized Officer

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