



# BEAVER

## More Rec Room Values If You Do-It-Yourself



\$1.00 OFF ANY IN STOCK

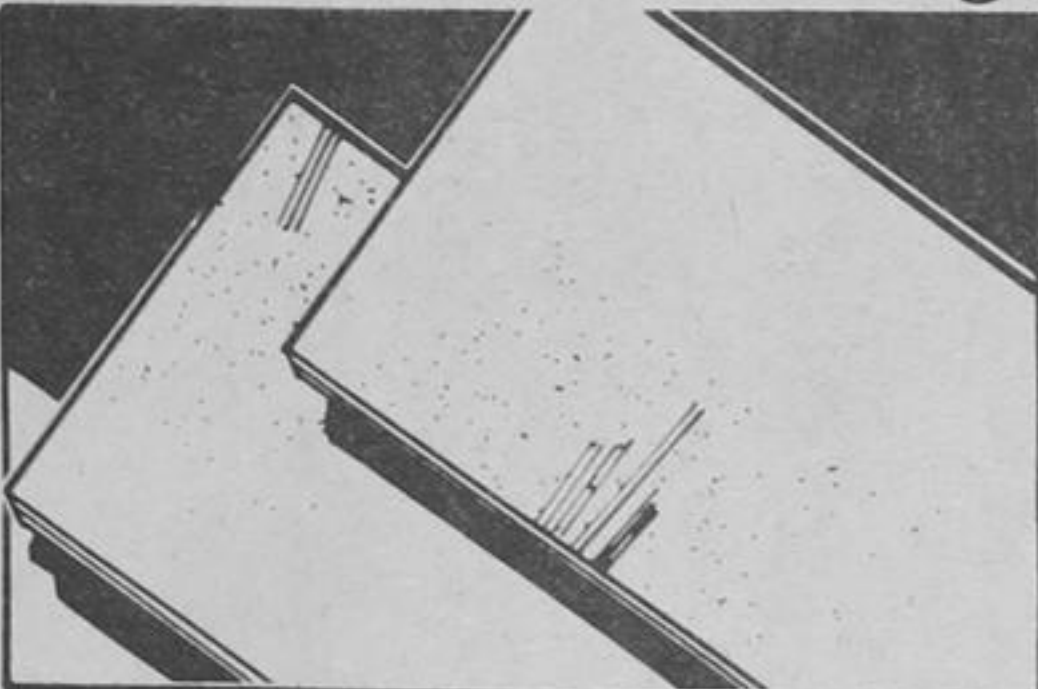
### Pre-Finished Panelling

Easy to put up pre-finished panels to get your rec room in shape quicker than you think! There's a variety of woodgrain patterns to suit your decor. Each panel is 4' x 8'



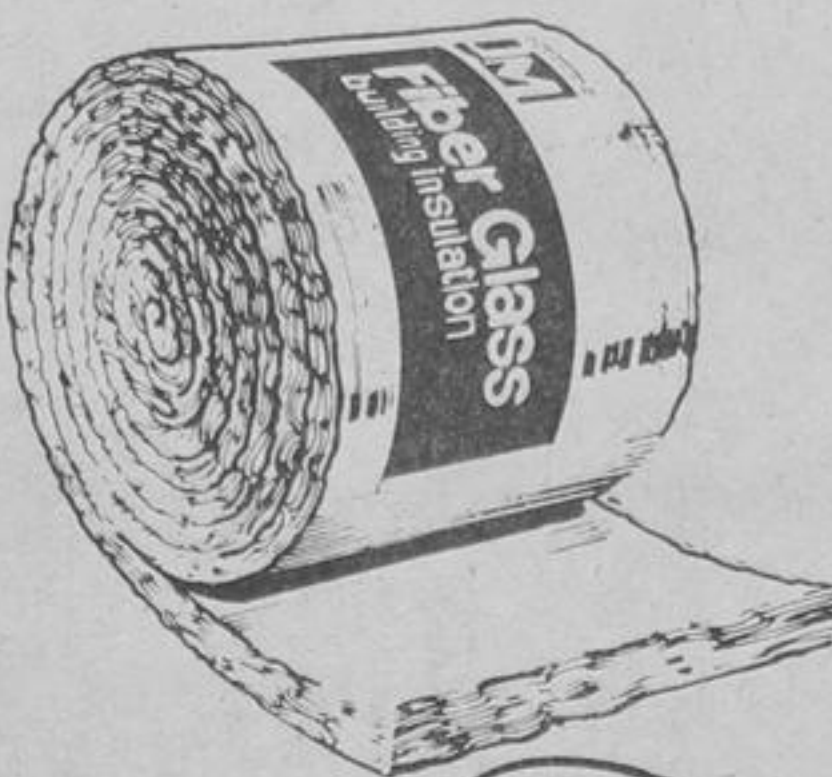
### Save On Quality Lumber This Summer!

**Spruce Strapping** 2 x 4 x 8' ..... **143**  
**Economy Studs** 2x4x92 1/2" to 96" AS AVAILABLE ..... **79c**  
**Underlay — Poplar** 4'x4'x1/4" ..... **699**  
**Particle Board** 4'x8'x1/2" ..... **699**  
**Spruce Plywood** 4' x 8' x 1/2" ..... **1288**  
**Unfinished Mahogany** 4'x8'x5.5m.m. ..... **695**



### Gyproc Wallboard

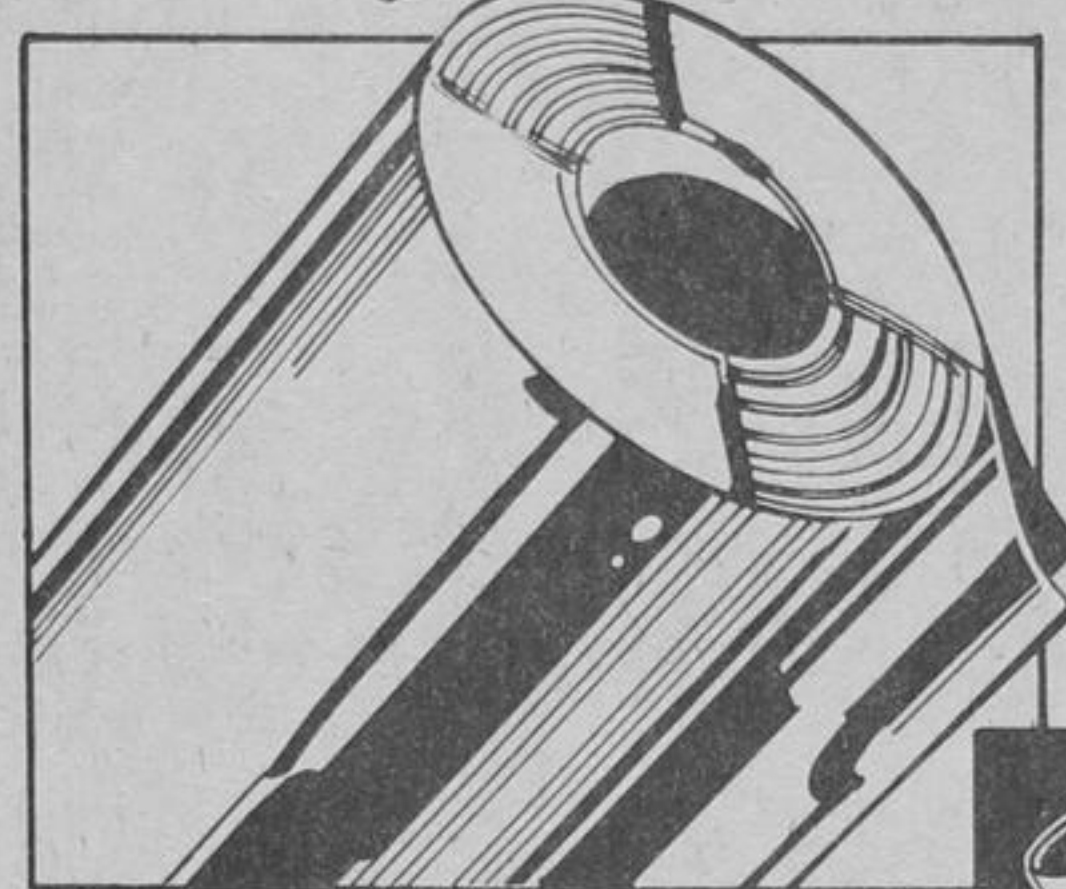
Low cost, easy to install wallboard. Won't warp. Has a strong fire-resistance. Tapered edge for a smooth joint treatment. 4' x 8' x 3/8" **329**



### R10 Mini-Rolls Paper-Back Batts Fiberglass Insulation

Convenient rolls of insulation. R10 is ideal for updating your existing insulation in attics, basement, crawl space, etc. It's lightweight and easy to handle. Fire-resistant, too! Keep the warm out in Summer, the cool out in Winter.

**549**  
 Beaver's Reg. 6.49  
 40 sq. ft.



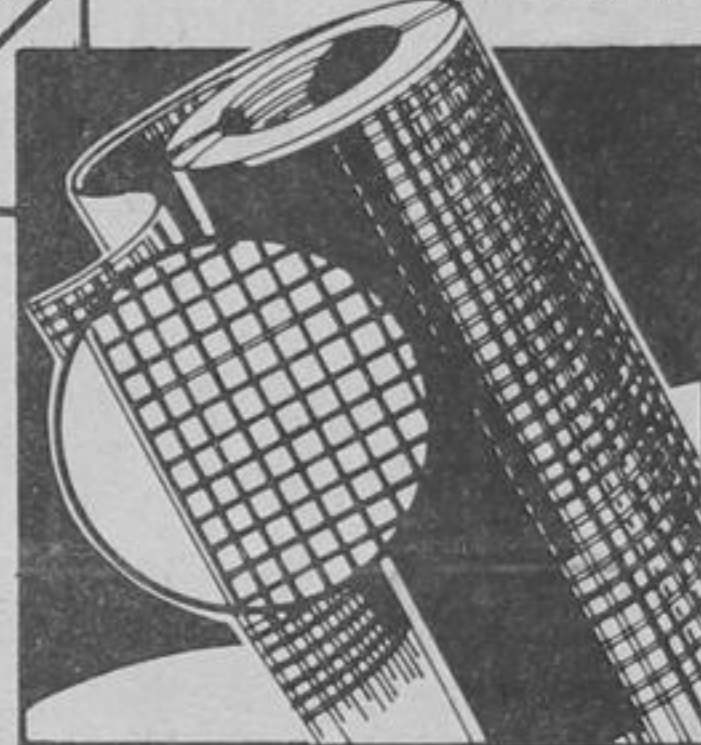
### Aluminum Foil Insulation

Aluminum type 1 insulation that acts as a great vapour barrier for basement walls. Available in 100 sq. ft. roll. Easy to use.

**349**  
 36" wide  
 Our Reg. 3.98

### Be Cool with the Sun-Shield Reflecto Film!

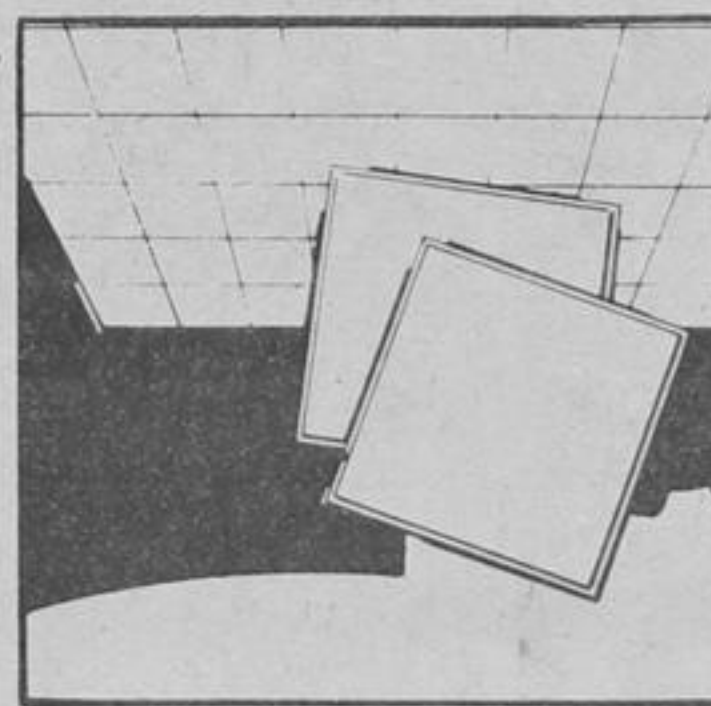
**79c** per sq. ft.  
 36" wide (not shown)



### Black Fiberglass Screening

A great idea for re-screening aluminum doors, windows- anywhere you want the breeze in and the bugs out. Several sizes.

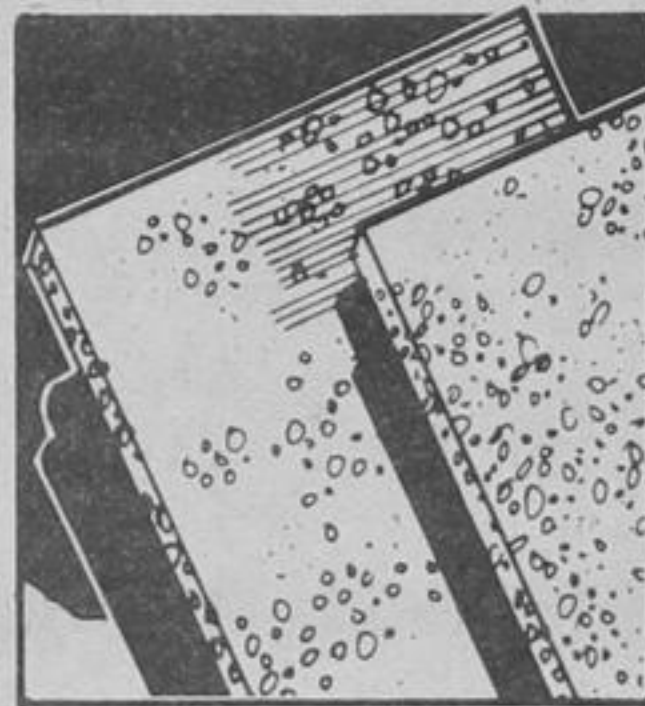
**24c** lin. ft. 24" **36c** lin. ft. 36"  
**30c** lin. ft. 30" **48c** lin. ft. 48"



### Ceiling Tile

Easy to put up with tongue and groove design. 12" x 12". White

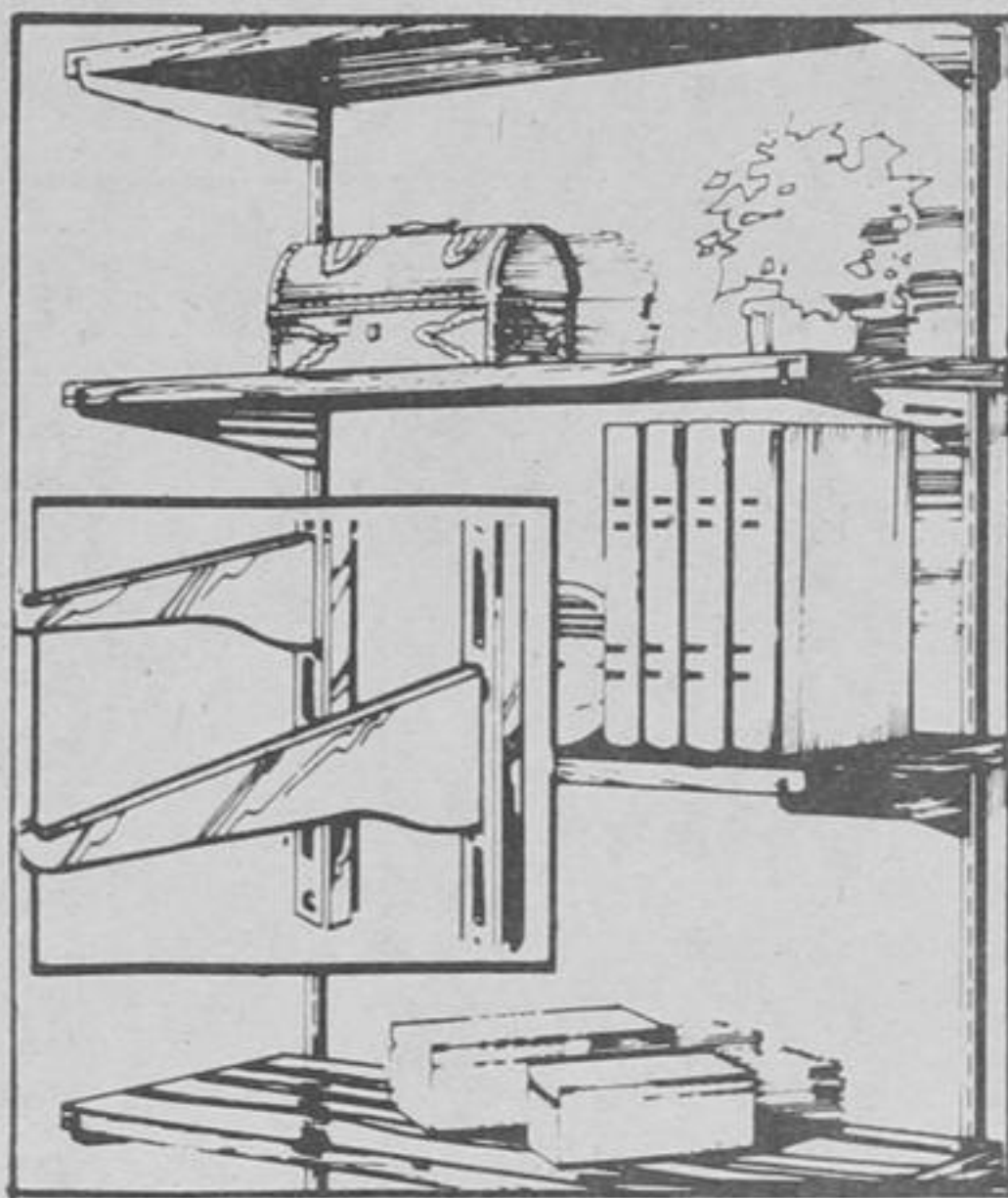
**729**  
 36sq. ft.



### Rigid Foam

Easy to handle rigid foam insulation-ideal for basement walls.

**249**  
 4' x 8' x 3/4"



### Need Extra Shelving? Try Economical Melamine Attractive and Practical

Walnut finished Melamine shelving is the ideal shelving for extra storage. Great for books and odds and ends in the rec room, too! Standards and brackets are available in attractive Satin Bronze finish. Special price on our most popular size.

Brackets 6" to 12" **99c to 119**  
 Standards 24" to 72" **169 to 499**

### Melamine Shelving In Several Sizes:

	24"	36"	48"	60"
8"	177	269	369	499
10"	244	355	479	619
12"	289	429	577	719

## 400 teachers attend two-day conference

School may have been out last Wednesday, but for nearly 400 teachers of the York Separate School Board it was off to two serious days of professional activities at the King campus of Seneca College.

Communications '78, a conference which focused on experiences in language instruction and communications, is the largest undertaking of its kind the Separate Board has ever tried.

Even though attendance by teachers was compulsory, there was an atmosphere of enthusiasm at the chance of being able to exchange views on different methods of teaching and pick valuable concepts from special guest speakers.

There were 30 two-and-a-half hour sessions on various areas of communications teaching and theory, spread out over the two days.

All three divisions — primary, junior and intermediate were covered and there were also discussions designed for principals and vice-principals.

Susanne Eden, a consultant co-ordinator for programs has set up professional activity days (PA) for the board over the past five years.

This year, she began in January lining up speakers and making arrangements to make sure teachers get the most out of the time spent out of the classroom. She was pleased with the early results.

"This is a big undertaking for a small system like ours," she said. "We have strong support, though, from administration who stress and encourage professional development."

She pointed out these PA days are not a "one-shot deal" for teachers and that the work done would be put together with other workshops used for program planning for next year.

Teachers had a choice of which presentations they could attend, most of which were prepared by three program consultants: Claudette Wheeler, a junior-intermediate consultant for social sciences (history, geography) and

English; Betty Goulden, a general consultant for the primary division and Pauline Cassidy, a junior-intermediate consultant for mathematics and science.

"Very few teachers realize how much work goes into organizing these PA days," said Ms. Goulden. "This is the first year I've helped work on them from the ground up — usually I just walk right into a workshop and that's it. You begin to appreciate that they're worth a lot more."

In one of the workshops called Language in the Content Area, teachers were asked to explain what makes a light bulb light up when it is connected to a battery with two wires.

After verbalizing their thoughts, they were asked to write down what they had discussed.

The idea was to frustrate teachers so they could better understand a student's position — especially when he or she has trouble explaining something they did in class.

"How often do we give our kids a chance to write out what they've verbalized?" asked Pauline Cassidy. "It can be very frustrating for them to go through the steps of scientific reporting from the actual experiment, to the verbalization and finally to the actual write-up."

That was one example of part of a work session teachers could have attended.

On the first day of the conference, there was little evidence of teachers taking off early.

About 25 of those attending were teachers from other Separate School Boards. Represented were Waterloo, Durham, Simcoe and East York.

Next year, organizers will work on a similar PA program but have not yet decided if it will run in February or June.

Board trustees, who have the final say on how many PA days administration can have in a given school year, were also invited to the conference.

According to Superintendent Frank Bobesich, none showed up.

## Local artist has exhibits at the library

The Richmond Hill Public Library presents an exhibition of paintings by local artist Jennifer Wood, throughout the month of July in the Auditorium of the Main Library on Wright Street.

Mrs. Wood, a native of Dakota, received her fine arts training in Cincinnati, Columbus, Ohio and Berkeley, California.

She started to paint seriously at the age of nine and within three years had sold her first painting.

For the past five years the artist has committed herself to commercial artwork, painting and editing educational filmstrips.

Her present employer E.T.H.O.S. has commissioned her to undertake filmstrip artwork on subjects ranging from the metric system to Inuit legends and beliefs.

The exhibition will be open for viewing during Library hours.

## Boogie at the Y every Wednesday this summer

Teenagers in Richmond Hill and Thornhill who are looking for something to do this summer are invited to the Family Y's "Wednesday Night Fever".

The program is disco dancing from 8 to 10:30 p.m. every Wednesday at the Y Centre on Dunlop Street.

Curtis Levy, an 18-year-old Thornhill resident who dances and models professionally, will give dancing instructions from 7 until 8 p.m., each Wednesday, but lessons are not compulsory.

Gwen Halliday, program director for the Y said, "There's no place for teens to go in Richmond Hill in the summer."

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 Keele St. North of Highway 7, Concord ..... 661-9550  
 2251 Lawrence Avenue East ..... 752-3490  
 3701 Lawrence Ave. E. of Markham Rd. .... 431-4333  
 1731 Weston Road, South of Lawrence ..... 244-1128  
 BRAMALEA CITY CENTRE  
 Highway 7 & Dixie Road ..... 457-7100  
 THORNHILL, 7171 Yonge St. .... 881-5230

MISSISSAUGA, N. Service Road  
 Applewood Village Shopping Centre ..... 279-8071  
 Rockwood Mall, Dixie & Burnhamthorpe ..... 624-0695  
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