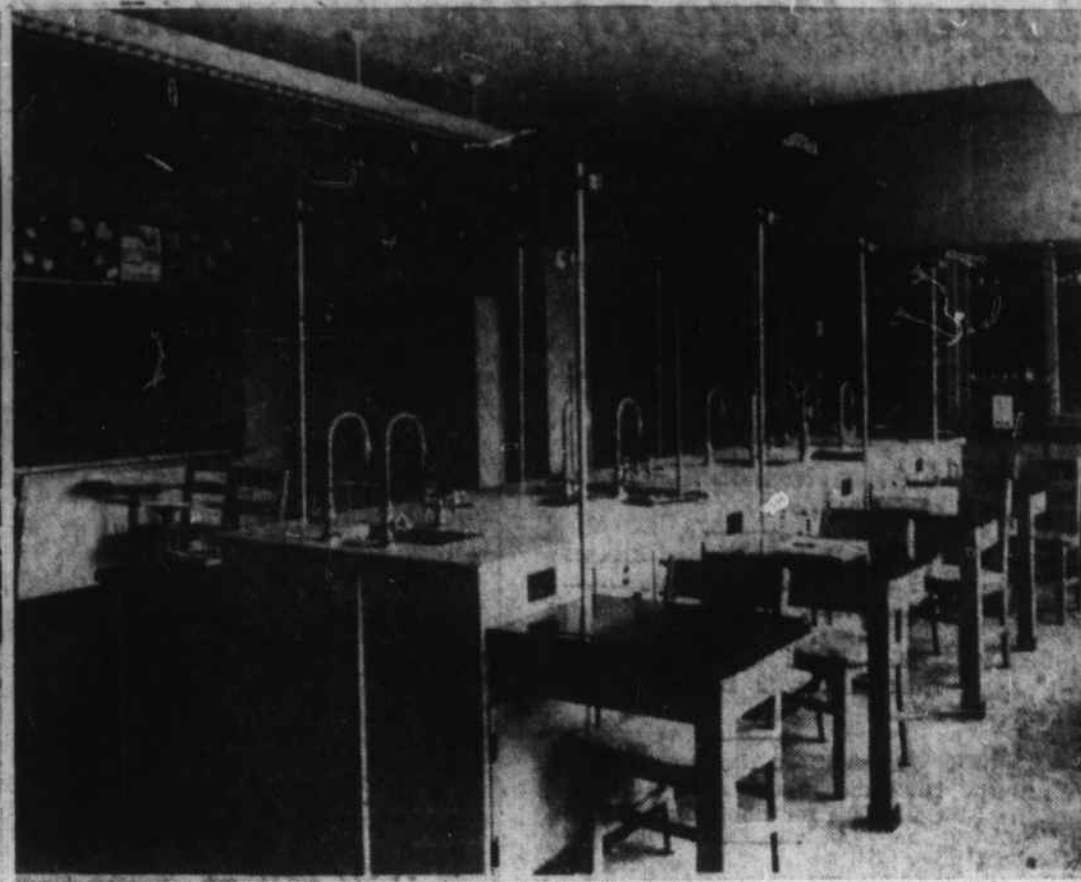
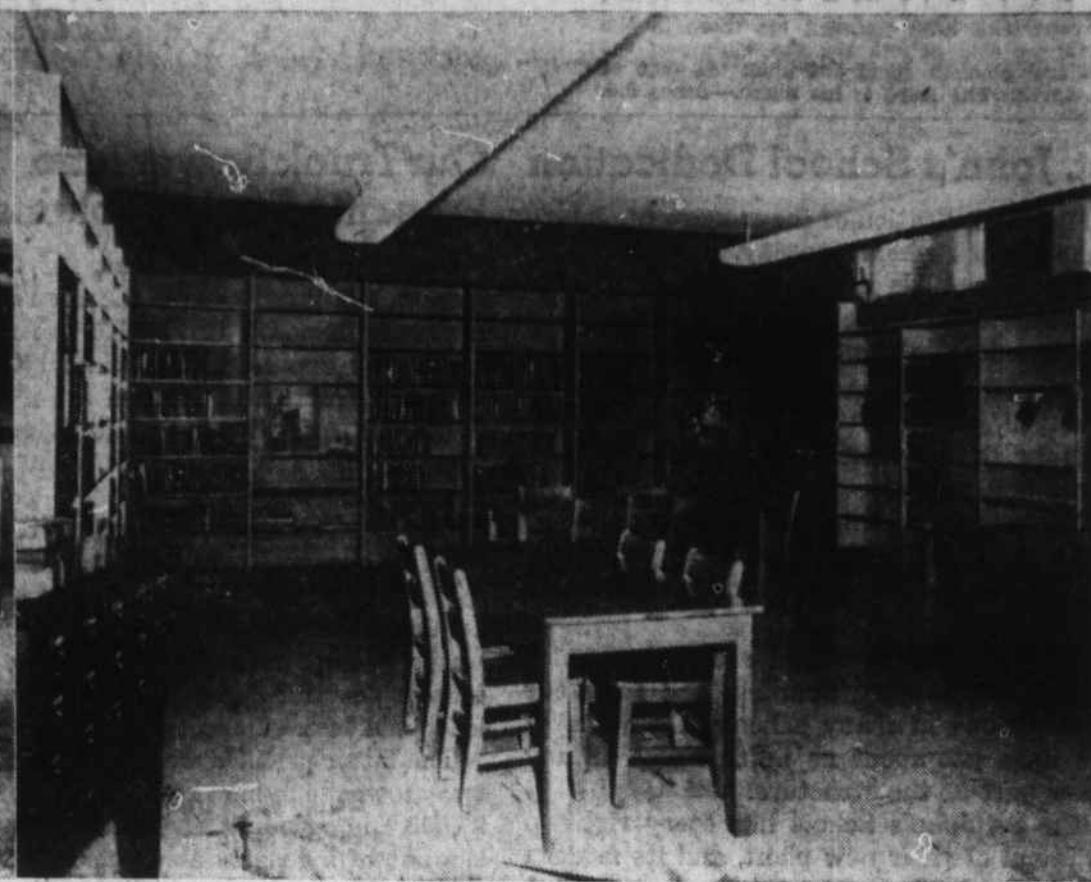


THE 7th AND 8th GRADE classroom of St. John's. The classrooms are well lighted throughout, and are well lighted with both natural and artificial light.



THE MODERN SCIENCE ROOM of St. John's. Chemistry, biology and physics are taught here in the well-equipped laboratory. Among the many features of the room is a darkroom in the far left hand corner.



THE LIBRARY, with about 2,000 books, is nearing completion at St. John's. A library workroom is just off to the left of the main room, which is 22 by 30 feet. (Mountaineer Photos).

'Family Courts' Proposed By Study Group For State; Session Held Here Thursday

Creation of a system of "family courts" in North Carolina, and other measures to combat juvenile delinquency in the state were discussed by representatives of seven WNC counties at a meeting here Thursday afternoon at the courthouse.

The local meeting was one of eight held throughout the state by the Governor's Youth Service Commission, Attending the session here were welfare workers, law-enforcement officers, and court officials from Asheville, Waynesville,

Brevard, Sylva, Murphy, Bryson City, Franklin, Hayesville, Burnsville, and Robbinsville.

The discussion Thursday was led by Mrs. W. T. Carpenter of Lenoir, a member of the Governor's Youth Service Commission.

Mrs. Carpenter explained that the commission has recommended to Governor Luther Hodges that the General Assembly enact legislation to provide for the establishment in North Carolina of a system of family courts, state admin-

istered and financed, and operated on a district basis.

She pointed out that such courts would have jurisdiction of all types of cases involving the troubles of families and children, and would, to a large degree, substitute diagnosis and therapy for the philosophy of guilt and punishment.

She added that the commission is of the opinion that the operation of such a court system would decrease the number of commitments of children to state correctional institutions and of youthful offenders to the prison system of the state.

Mrs. Carpenter also led a discussion on other points recommended by the Governor's Youth Service Commission, including:

1. State-wide expansion of the system of testing students in public schools.

2. Expansion of the program of instruction in the public schools for special education of handicapped children.

3. Expansion of the guiding and counseling services in all public schools.

4. Expansion of the programs of family life education offered in junior and senior high schools.

5. Use of the visiting teacher, sometimes referred to as the "school social worker," as an integral part of the public school system.

6. Enactment of legislation requiring that in divorce actions where there are children involved, the court be required to have a pre-trial investigation made of the parents and a report rendered to the court before an order is entered as to the custody of the children.

7. More financial assistance to the State Recreation Commission in order that they can cooperate more fully with local areas in the development of programs suitable for children.

8. Closer cooperation between religious and educational institutions and the courts dealing with juvenile offenders.

9. Enactment of a legislation extending the juvenile court age of North Carolina children through the 17th year.

10. Reemphasis and revitalization of the philosophy of rehabilitation on which state correctional and training institutions were established.

11. Early establishment of a center for the care of psychotic children.

Mrs. Carpenter told the officials at the meeting that suggestions made at the meeting here and at others throughout the state will be reported to the governor and to the next General Assembly.

Other than poachers, one of the most destructive elements for such American wildlife as rabbits, opossums, foxes and game birds are speeding automobile drivers. Kentucky estimates that 13,267 game birds and animals were killed by speeding drivers on their highways in 9 months.

Cheese-Apple Recipe Offers Flavor Appeal

Cheese is so popular that a cook can be pretty sure of a welcome for a dish that features cheese.

More than a billion pounds of cheese are made in the United States every year, and about three-fourths of this is the type named Cheddar. People in this country often call this type American Cheddar because it is so widely used and liked. In flavor it ranges from mild to sharp and tangy, and in color from almost white to yellow-orange.

Cheddar cheese, made from sweet whole milk, contains in concentrated form the many different nutrients that whole milk provides. So, when you feature cheese in a dish, the family eats some of the milk that is so valuable in the diet.

Because of the popularity of cheese and the plentiful supply of apples on the market, try this delicious combination.

CHEESE-APPLE CRISP

- 1 quart sliced pared apples
- 1 teaspoon lemon juice
- 2 tablespoons water
- 3/4 cup brown sugar
- 1/4 cup nonfat dry milk
- 1/3 cup all-purpose flour
- 1/4 cup rolled oats
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/8 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 cup butter or margarine
- 1 cup shredded cheese

Arrange apples in greased baking dish. Combine lemon juice and water; pour over apples.

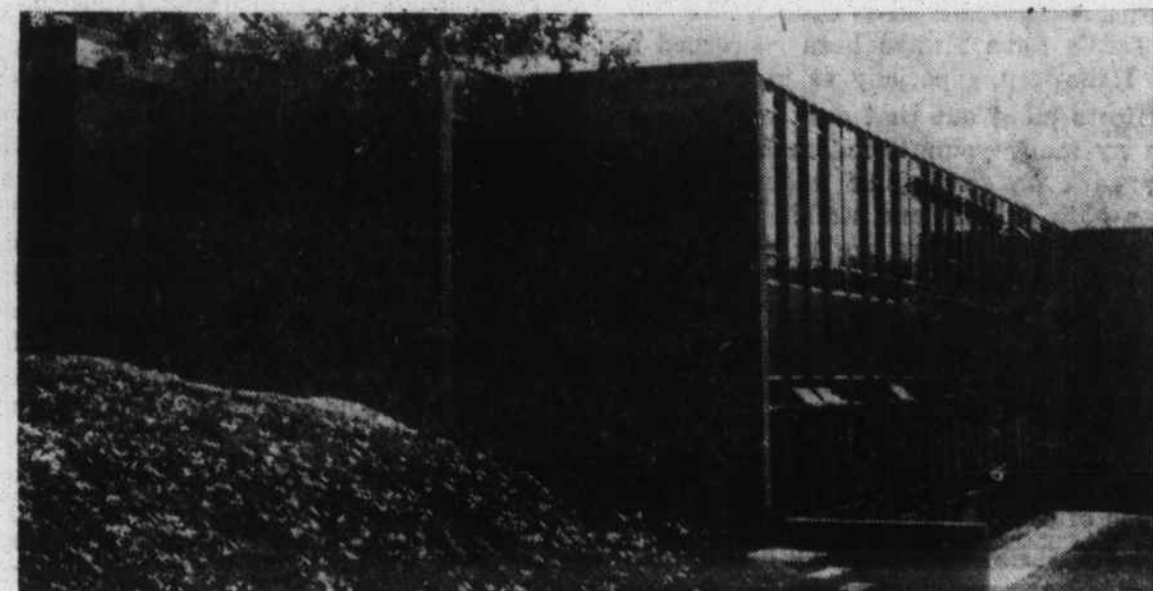
For the topping, combine sugar, dry milk, flour, rolled oats, cinnamon and salt. Work in the fat and cheese to form a crumbly mixture.

Cover apples with topping and press down firmly. Bake at 350 degrees (moderate oven) for 30 to 40 minutes or until apples are tender. This recipe serves six.

Rabbi Moses Tendler of Yeshiva University is also a United States Public Health Service bacteriologist for research in Vitamin B-12 and hemoglobin. The latter two are for solving problems of anemia and leukemia.

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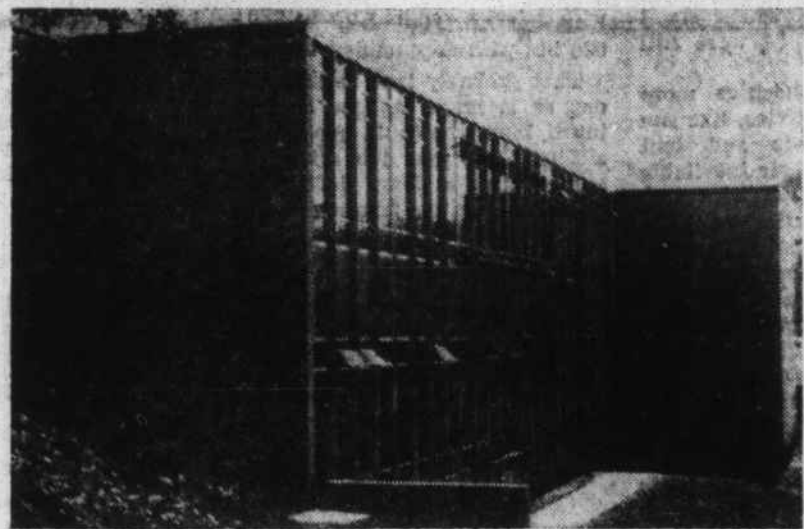
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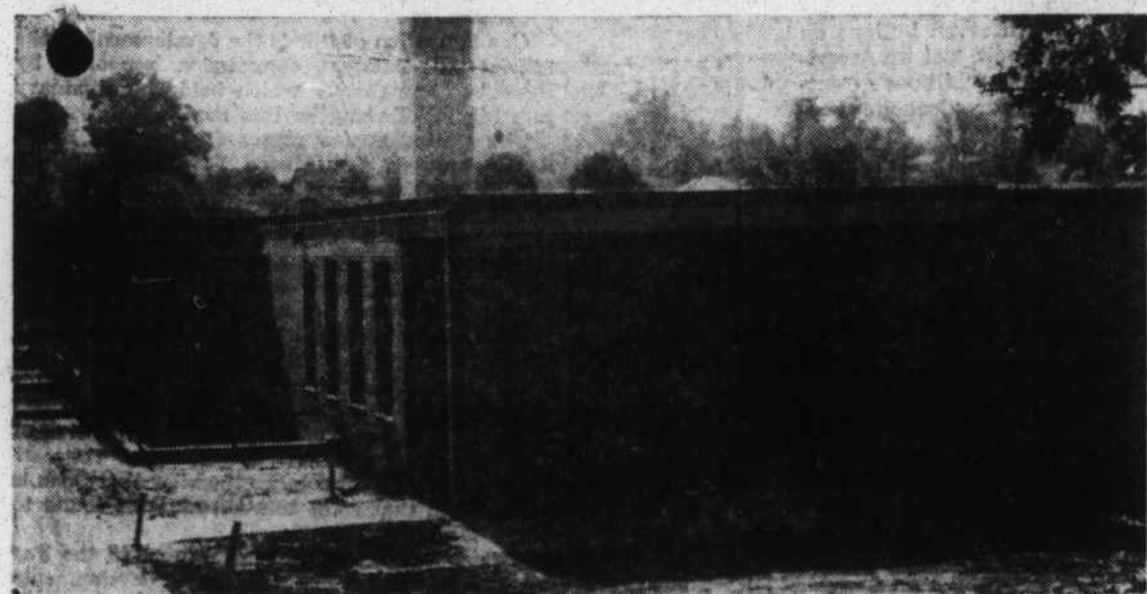
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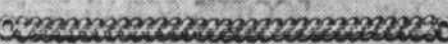
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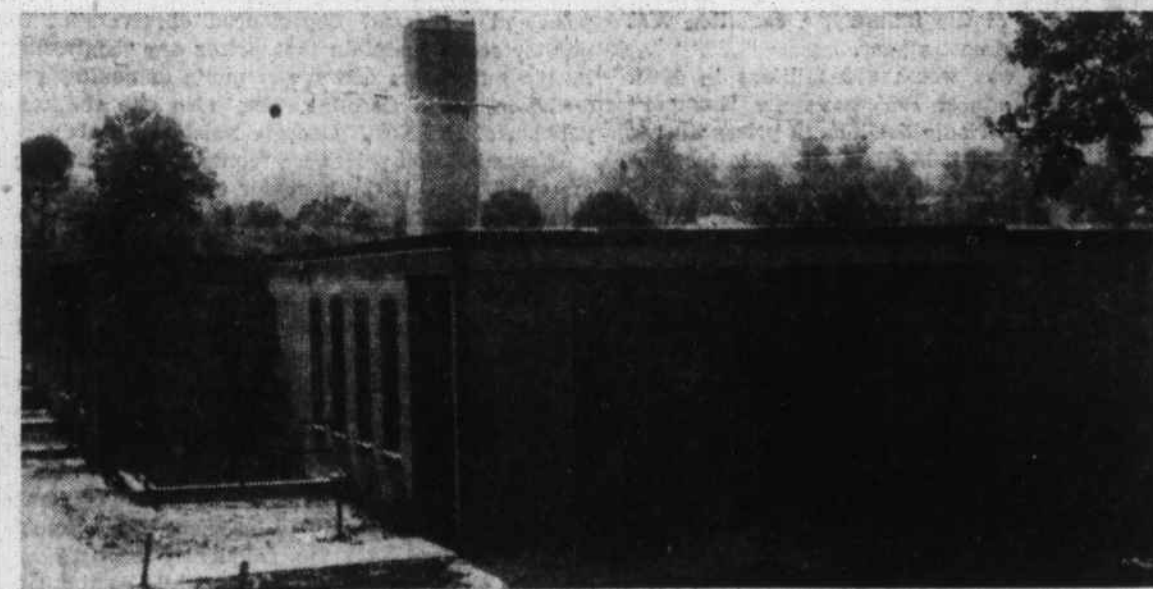
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