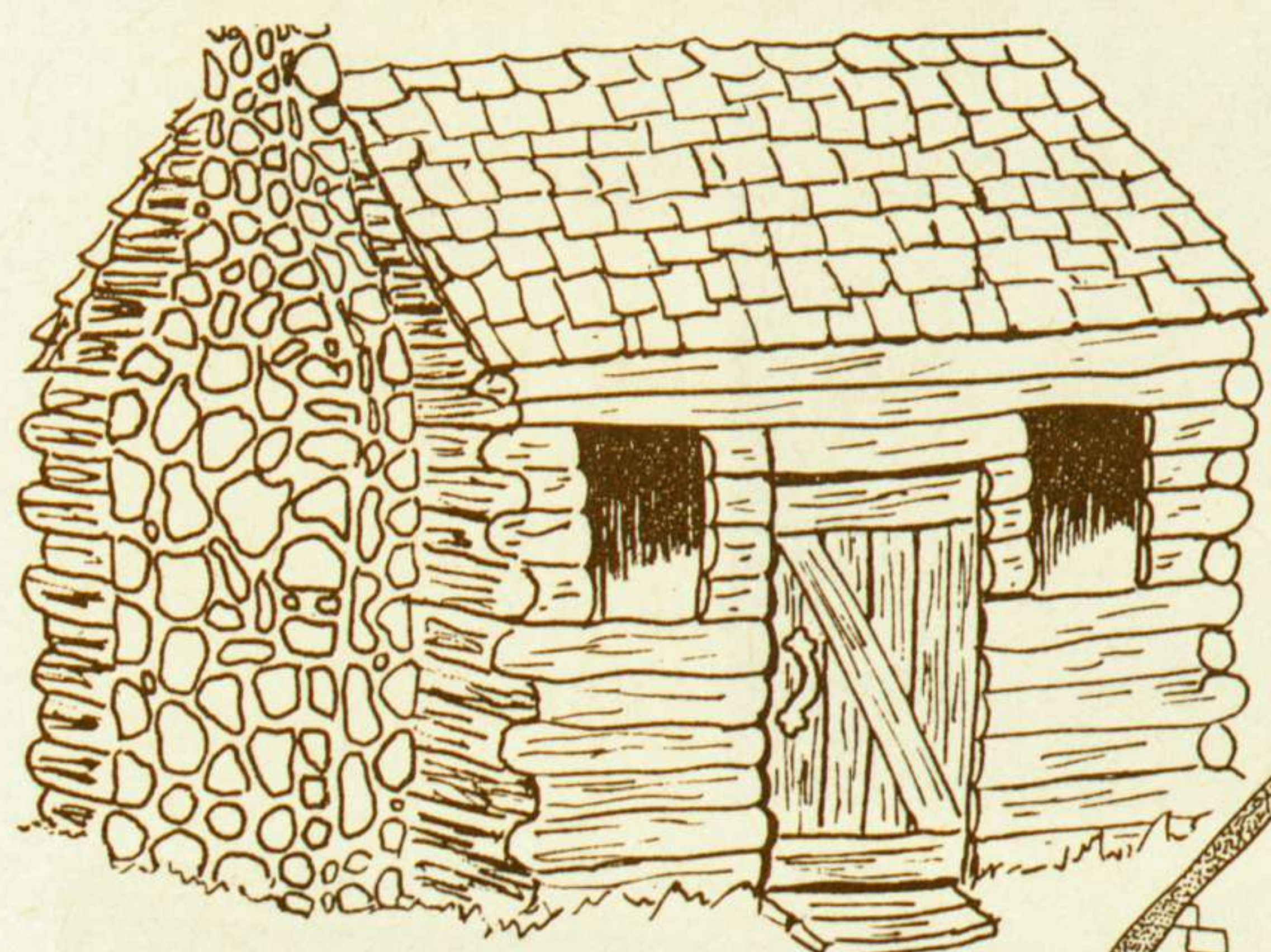




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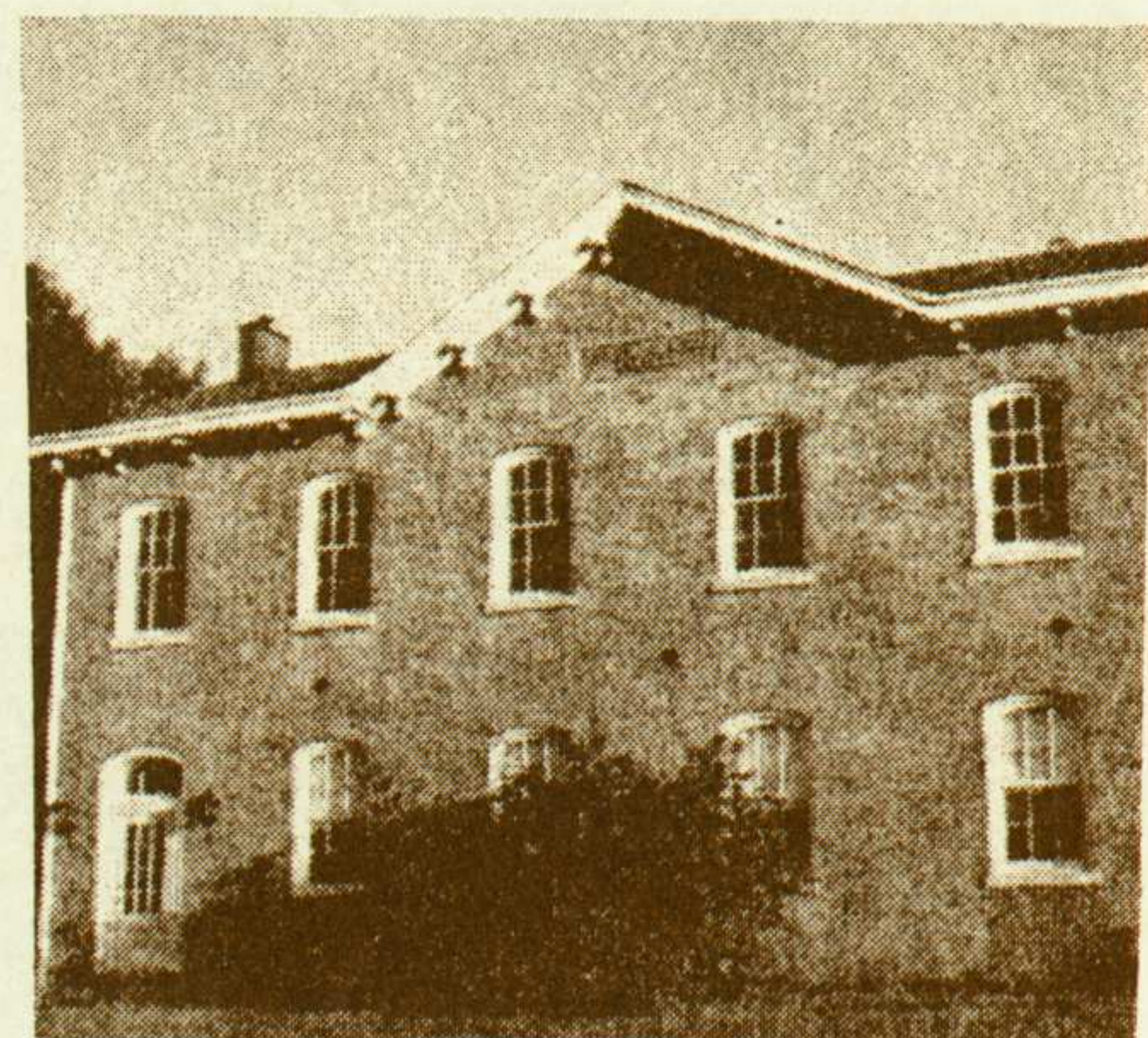
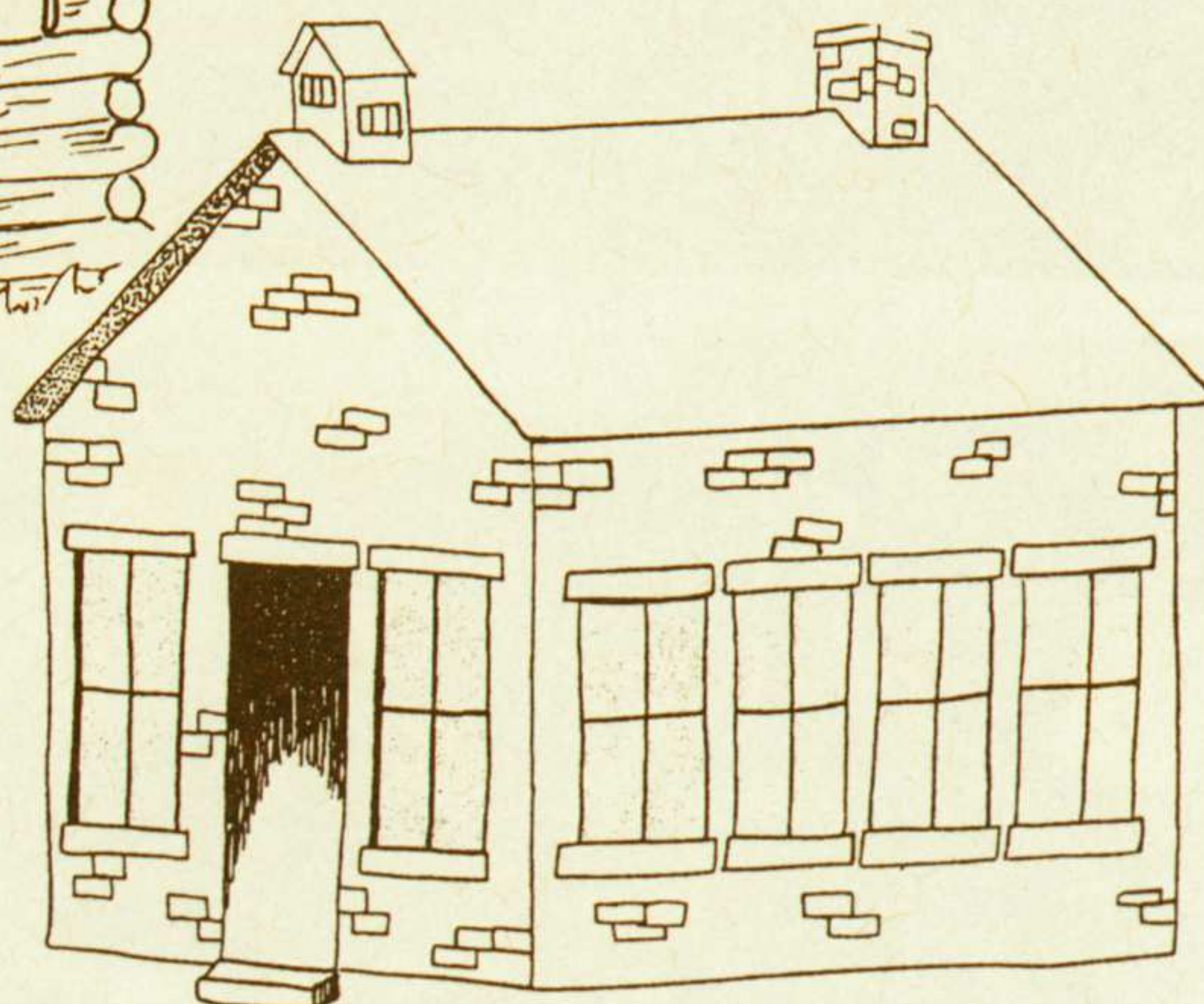


School in Worthington: A Bicentennial Timeline



1) First subscription school—
a log cabin on the northeast
quadrant of the Village
Green—established in 1804.
(WHS)

2) First *public* school built on the
southeast corner of what is
now Oxford and Short Streets
in 1829. (WHS)



Worthington Union School opened
at 67 E. Granville Road in 1856. It
is "the oldest school building in
Worthington and the first to divide
primary and grammar students.
There were two classrooms on the
ground floor, and since the second
story was not immediately needed
for classes, it was leased to the
I.O.O.F. Lodge (International
Order of Odd Fellows)." (Robert
W. McCormick, *Images of
America: Around Worthington*
(Charleston, S. C.: Arcadia
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1803

1900s

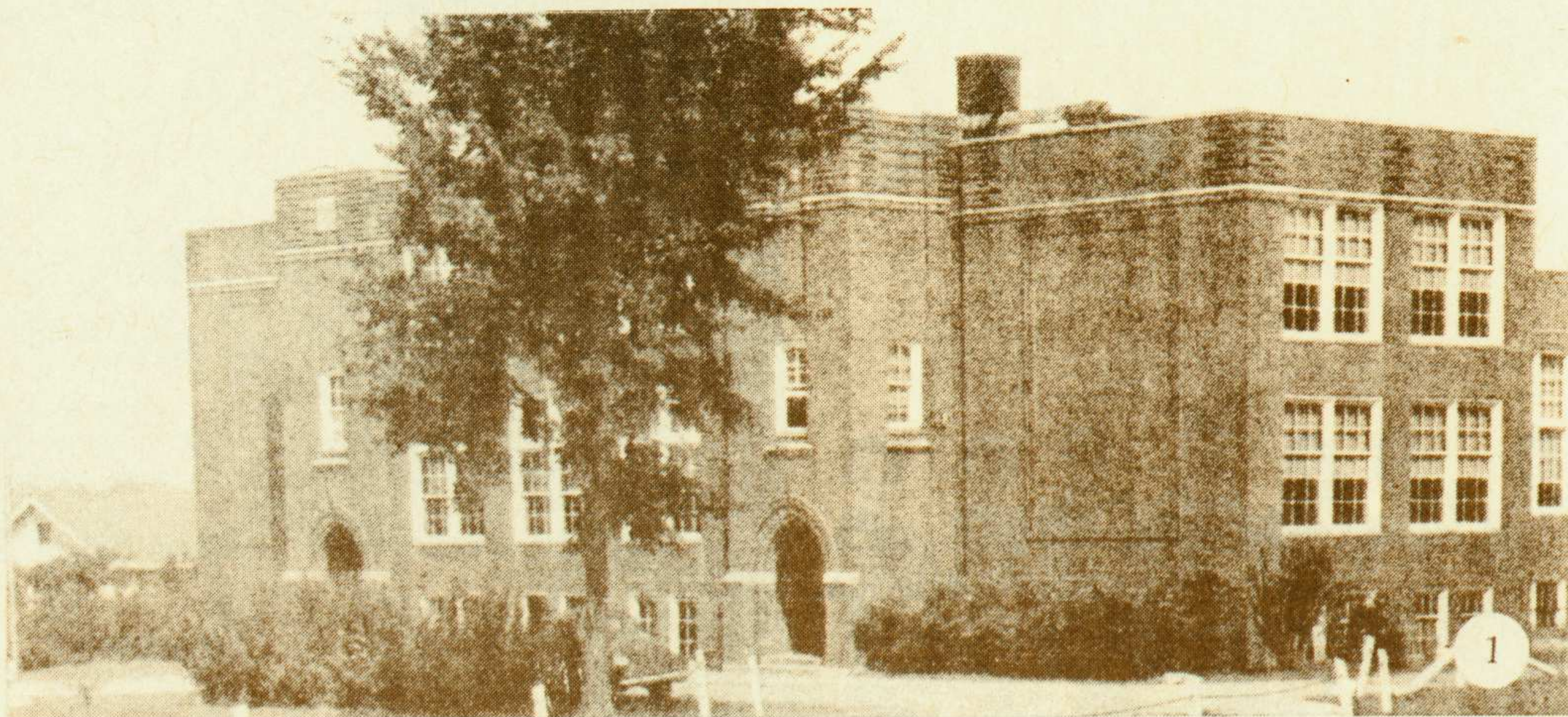


The entire student body of Worthington School, c. 1892. Built in 1874, the school was on the northeast quadrant of the Village Green, facing Granville Road. Elementary and high school grades were taught at that location until a separate high school was built in 1892. This picture was probably taken in warm weather, as many students have no shoes. (WHS)

1) A new high school designed by Columbus architect Frank Packard was built on the school farm lot in 1916. (WHS)

2) A horse-drawn school bus, typical of those used at the turn of the 20th century.

3) A group of school children and their teacher, c. 1916. The wide range of ages in one class indicate that they were attending a one-room school. (WHS)



1910s

1930s



4) 1st and 2nd graders, 1907-1909. (WHS)

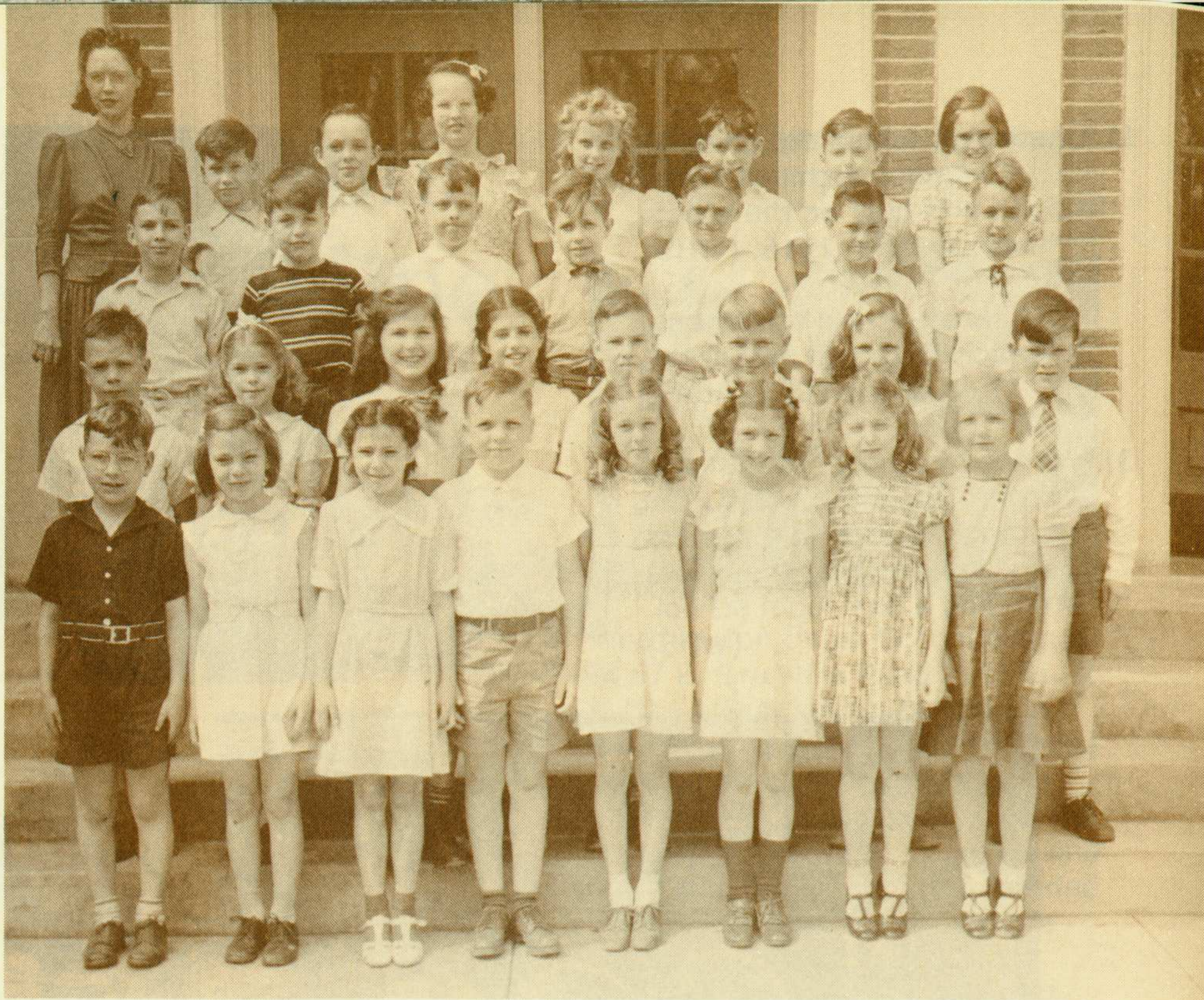
5) Playing store in school, ca. 1930s.

1) Photos from the 1940s and 1950s showing reading and science classes, and the Safety Patrol.

2) Evening Street Elementary School opens in 1963. (WPS)

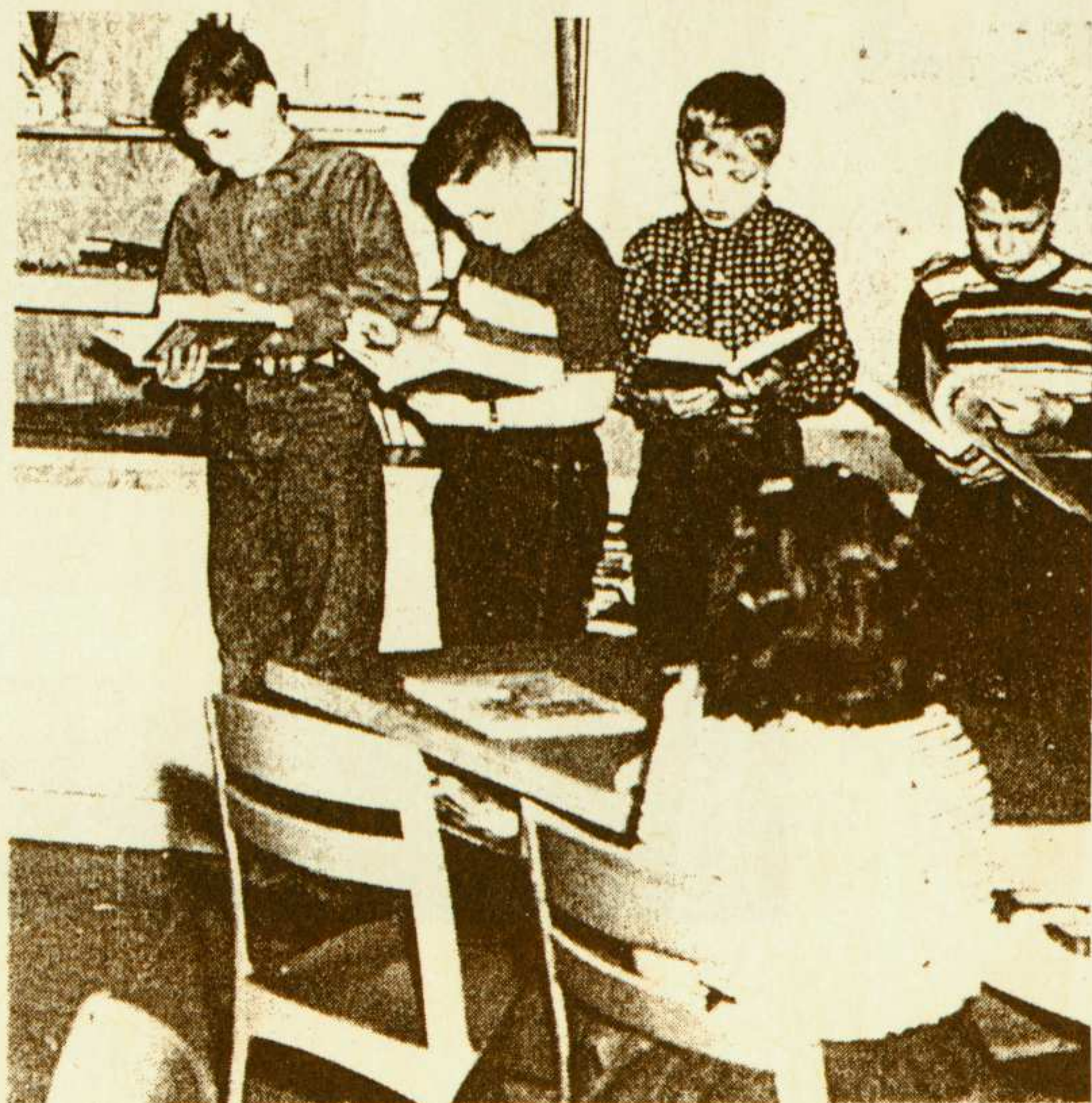
3) In 1968, the school musical was an operetta. (WPS)

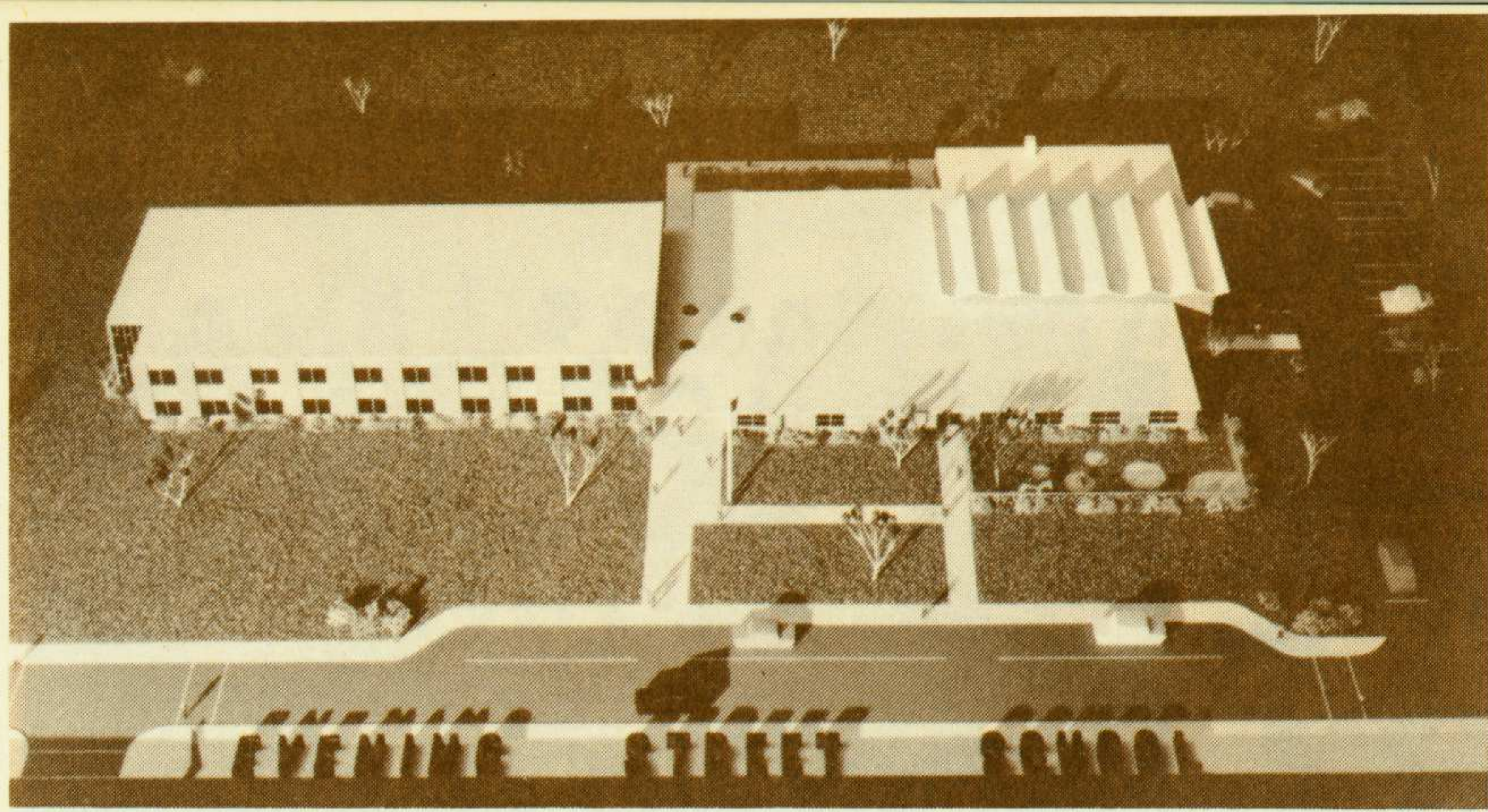
4) Evening Street talent show, 1968. (courtesy Jennifer Best)



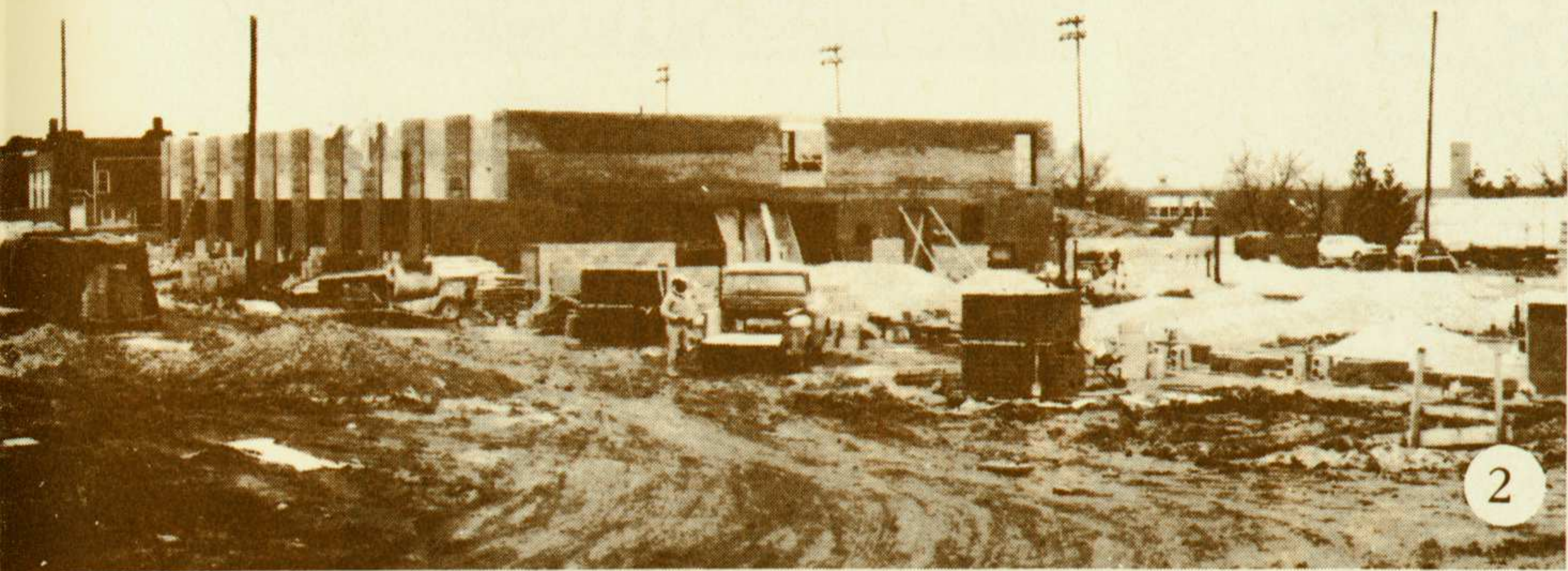
1940s

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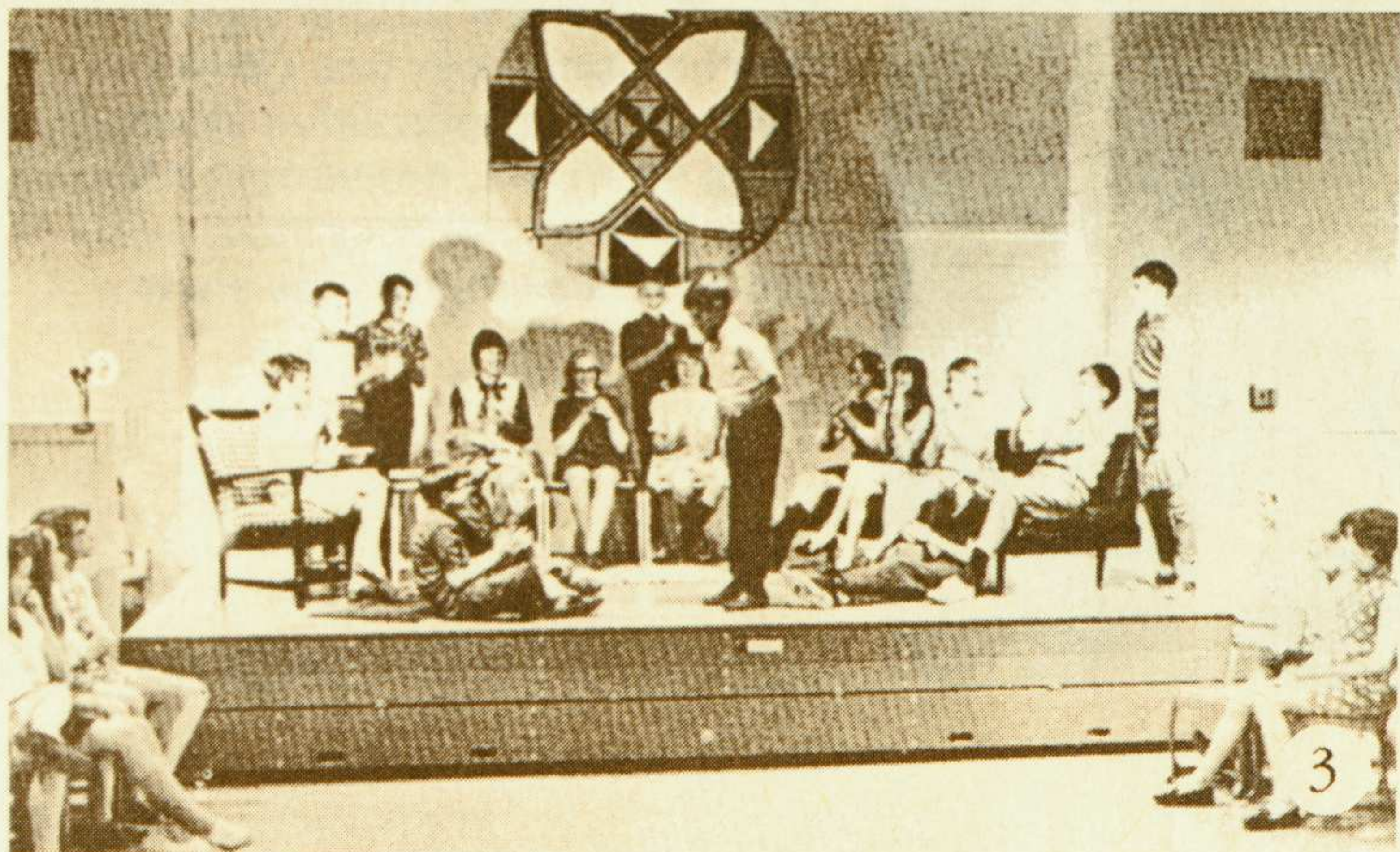
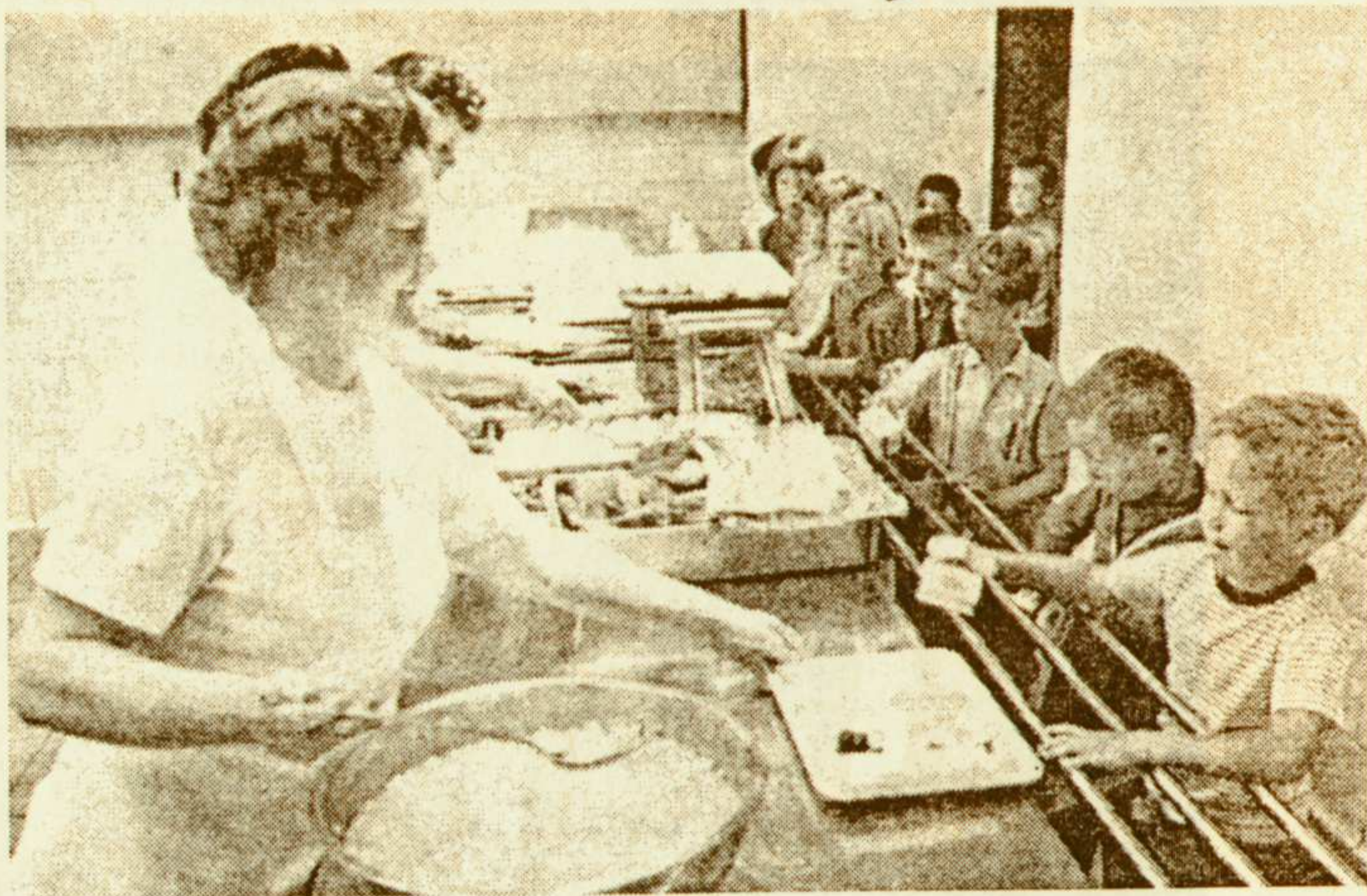




1963



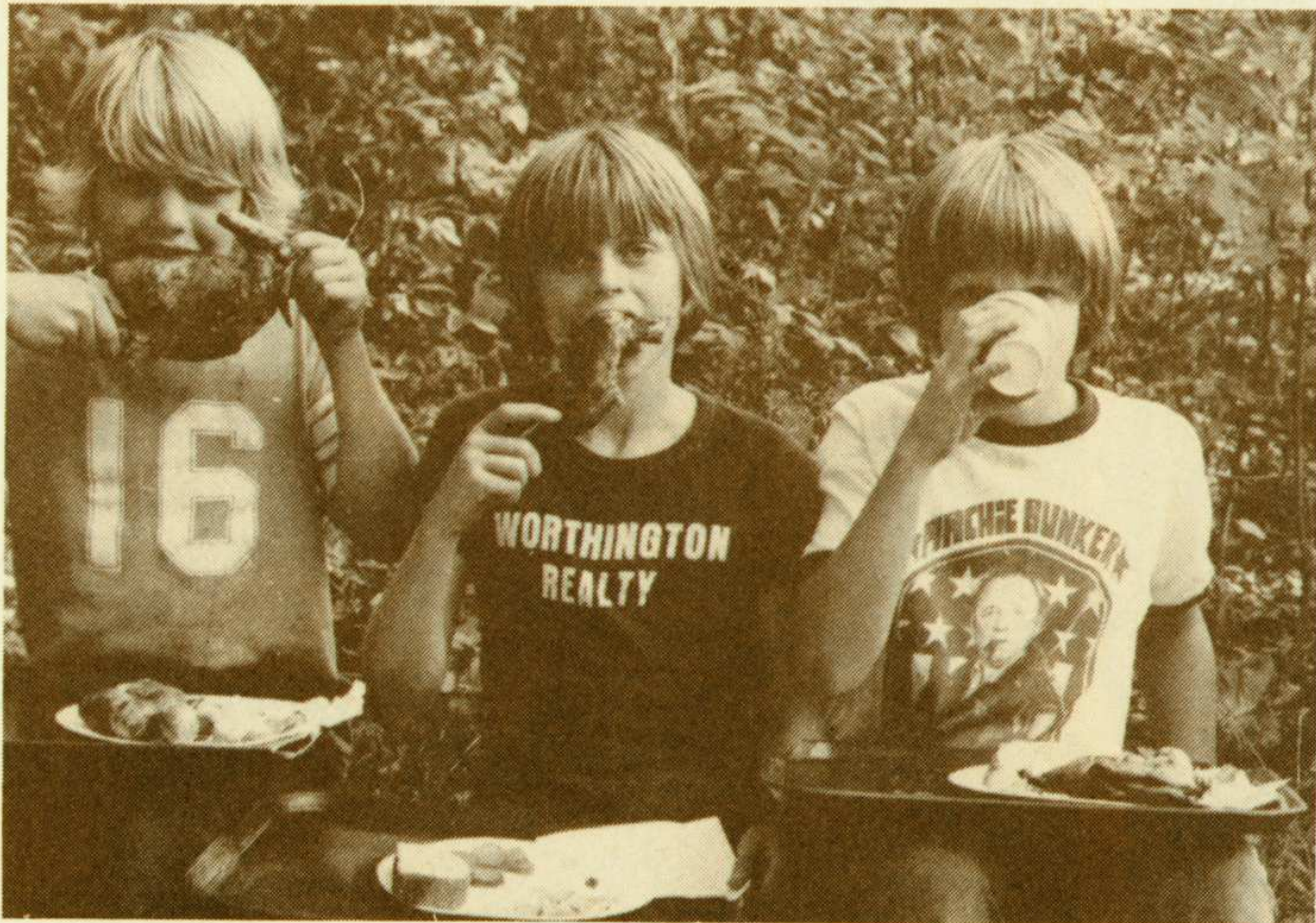
1960s





1970s

1980s



1) Evening Street 6th Grade Choir, Safety Patrol, and Physical Education class, c. 1972. (WPS)

2) A tornado drill in the 1980s. (WPS)



Dr. Heffernan receives a donation for Evening Street from Nick Losacco—a result of the "Drive for Kids" campaign.



Mrs. Eakins' 2nd/3rd grade class, 1978.

1990s

2003



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A new playground for Evening Street was put up in May 2003.

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