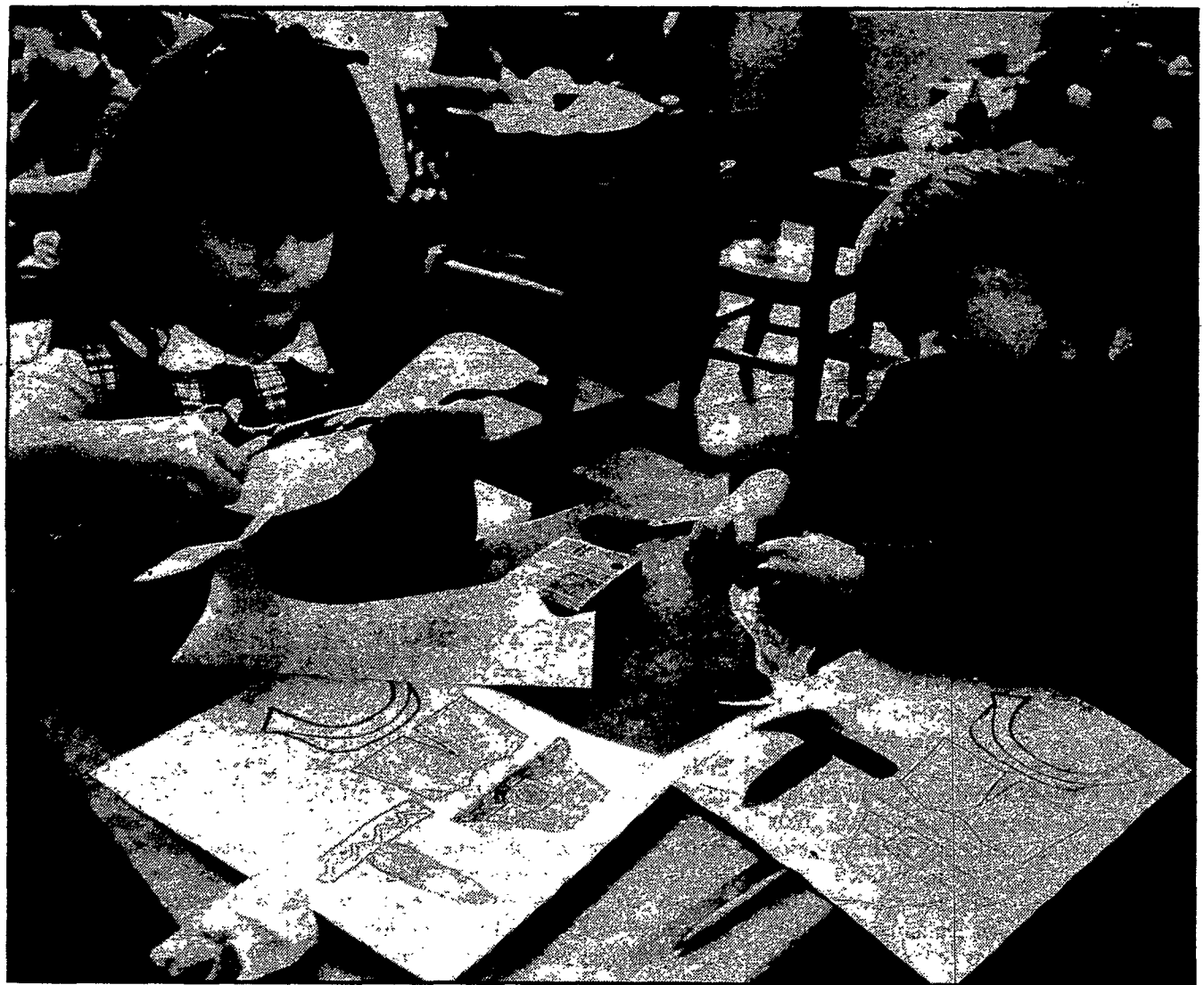


Auburn school enjoys its own Thanksgiving



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For the last 10 years, first- and second-grade students at Blessed Trinity School in Auburn have celebrated their own special Thanksgiving holiday. During the school celebration, they have the opportunity to give thanks in a special way along with friends and teachers at the school. On Friday, Nov. 17, while moms volunteered as cooks in the kitchen, students prepared for a Thanksgiving feast by making their choice of hats (in the form of pilgrims or Indians) and place mats. When the bell rang at noon, the sound of laughter filled the air as students and teachers gathered for the meal. By 12:30 p.m., stomachs were full and the childrens' Thanksgiving was a rousing success. Clockwise from top left, a student colors a paper pilgrim to be used on a place mat; a kindergarten class got in the act by making indian outfits, practicing dances and making "take-home" turkeys; first-grader Sarah Wyckoff digs-in; Andrea Scippo (left) and Sean Farrell cut out paper hats; and mothers work diligently preparing a hearty meal for students and teachers.

