

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

IMPROVEMENTS

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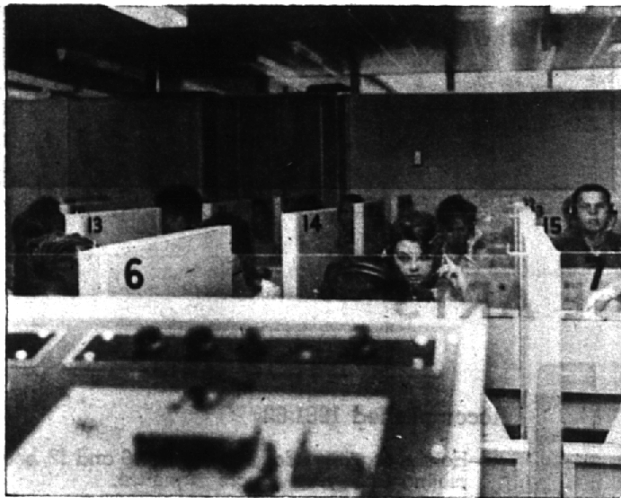
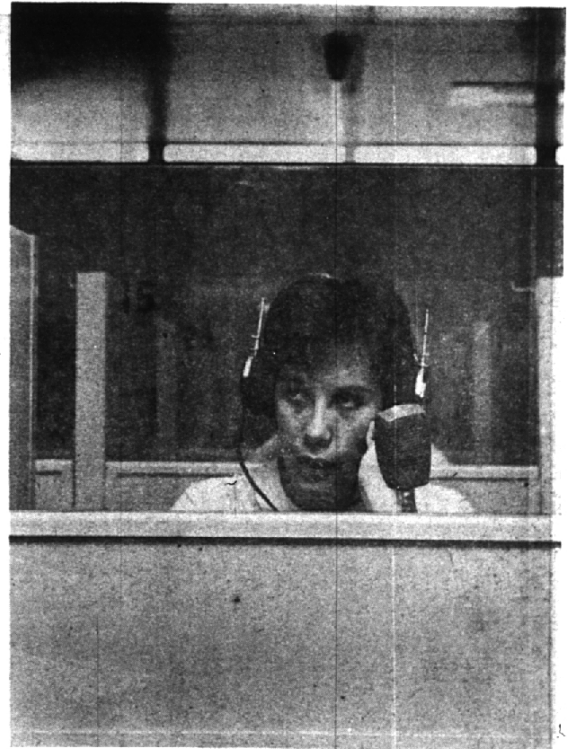
- Installation of 30-pupil station foreign language laboratories at Derby and Barnum Junior High Schools.
- Courses in French, Latin and Spanish offered in the eighth grades in all junior high schools.
- Acquisition of extensive holdings in foreign language tapes for use in the development of conversational fluency.
- Appointment of foreign language department chairmen.

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- Extension of the junior high school language offerings to include the seventh grade.
- The addition of Russian at the senior high school level.
- Appointment of system-wide foreign language coordinator.

AREAS FOR CONTINUED STUDY

- An elementary foreign language program in one more year.



HOME ECONOMICS

IMPROVEMENTS

Accomplished 1961-62

- Eighth grade home economics changed from a required to an elective course.
- Home planning added as an elective at the senior high school level.
- Complete revision of all course outlines, grades seven through twelve.

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- Employment of a system-wide chairman of the home economics department.

In Process

- The Citizens' Committee has recommended that all senior high school students be encouraged to elect one year of advanced home economics.

AREAS FOR CONTINUED STUDY

- In-service courses to assist homemaking teachers in the implementation of the recent revision of home economics courses.

