APPLE PIE

In a small bowl, combine ½ cup flour, ¼ cup water; stirring until smooth. In a large bowl, combine pinch of salt, 2 cups flour, cut in 1 cup Crisco. Add flour, water mixture knead gently until dough forms a ball. Press dough into bottom and sides of a 15x10x1 pan. Use large piece of saran wrap to form crust to pan. Spread ¼ cup maple syrup over the crust.

FILLING:

¼ cup maple syrup
3 lbs tart apples
¼ cup sugar
¼ cup lemon juice
1 tsp cinnamon
1 tsp vanilla

Arrange apples over syrup. Combine sugar, lemon juice, cinnamon, vanilla and ¼ cup maple syrup. Drizzle over apples.

TOPPING: ½ cup cold butter
1 cup flour 1 cup chopped pecans
½ cup packed br. Sugar

Combine flour and sugar in bowl. Cut butter in and stir in pecans. Sprinkle over filling.