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Make a crumbly mixture of the following:

1 c shortening 2½ c oatmeal

1 c brown sugar 1 t salt

2 c flour ½ t soda in 1 T water

Cook together and cool: 1 lb dates, cut up fine, 1 c H₂O and 1 c sugar. Press about half of the crumbly mixture into the bottom of a well greased pan, then put the date mixture on top of that; then add the balance of the crumbly mixture. Bake in a moderate oven (350) about 30 min. Cut into sqs.

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