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TERESA CURRIN

Student Council Elects Teresa

Vivacious, industrious and intelligent are adjectives that help to describe Teresa Currin. Teresa was elected Student of the Month for November at the Student Council meeting on December 9, 1968.

Attend any school or church-sponsored function, and more than likely you'll find Teresa there working diligently. She is a member of the Latin, French, and Science clubs, and also of the F. T. A. and F. H. A. Her efforts to make each organization better are appreciated by many and they quite often bring satisfactory results.

Scholastically, Teresa has been an asset to Webb. She has received the Scholastic Letter every year. Last year she was inducted into the National Honor Society.

Webb had confidence enough to elect her as their treasurer of the Student Council two years ago. Her class also recognizes ability at hand, for she represented it in Homecoming Court the past two years. Also, this year she is Senior Class treasurer.

Teresa participates in many activities other than school supported ones. She enjoys her work with her church and has recently begun work concerning a youth organization for all of Oxford.

As one can see, Teresa deserves all the recognition of being Student of the Month.



In spite of peas, cigarettes, and other hindrances the band played on in the Christmas parade. Here they stop to pose for our Spectator photographer.

Wanda And Sandra Chosen By FFA

A mistletoe-adorned cafeteria was the setting for the F.F.A. Christmas dance held on December 11. The girls of the F.H.A. were invited to attend along with the dates of the Agriculture boys. Music was supplied by the fabulous "Midnighters."

A high spot of the evening was the announcement of the new Chapter Sweethearts. Wanda Dickerson and Sandra Blackwell were bestowed this honor.

Latin Club Enjoys Christmas Program

December 20, Latin Clubs had Christmas programs highlighted by the singing of Christmas carols and by the reading of the Christmas story, all in Latin.

The freshman clubs presented "Io Saturnalis", a comedy translated from Latin. In ancient times Saturnalis was the winter festival of the Romans, comparable to Christmas. Besides the servants, boys in the comedy were Martin Lee, Lanny Dillehay, Lyn Bryan, Ronald Smith, Bruce Miller, Reuben Daniel, Jeff Averett, Dalton Newman, Ronald Pruitt, and Waverly Barnes.

In Latin II groups, O. Henry's "Gift of the Magi" was dramatized. Brad Cannady and "Charlie" Sloan, program chairmen, wrote the narration. In the first group Dowell Godwin and Debbie Yancey played the roles of Jim and Della. In the second group the players were Bill Wilkie and Linda Montague.

J. F. Webb Band Marches In Parades

The J. F. Webb band, "warmed" by their enthusiasm, marched through hard, cold practices and on to the parades.

The band has given the spectators the wonderful opportunity of hearing the fine music that they produce by marching down the main streets of Chase City, Virginia, Creedmoor, and Oxford.

The band members will tell you that they have really been practicing and marching very hard during sixth period and after school to get as close to perfection as they can. They have done a splendid job.

FFA Sweethearts Are Chosen



WANDA DICKERSON



SANDRA BLACKWELL

Pep Club Cleans Dirty Gymnasium

Under the leadership of Coach Wood, the Pep Club made itself busy by cleaning our gym a few weeks ago. Floors were swept, walls washed, lockers cleaned out and trash cans labeled TRASH were distributed throughout the gym. This is the first time in several years that our gym has been clean. Congratulations to the Pep Club on its great job.

The "Barn," as our gym is known, may not be much, but it's all we've got, so take pride in it!

Science Club Shows Dickens Film

The second meeting of the Science Club was called to order on December 10, 1968, with President Hamlin Landis presiding. Two proposals were brought up at this meeting. The first was to appoint a refreshment committee with Kitty Boswood acting as chairman. Having had the second proposal approved by the administration, Mr. Travis told the club about a project he was interested in doing. This was to form groups to prepare demonstrations for the students at the D. N. Hix School about what they were studying in science. Everyone was in favor of these two.

For entertainment, a film was shown entitled, "A Charles Dickens' Christmas." After this, the meeting was adjourned.

Barbecue Proves Very Successful

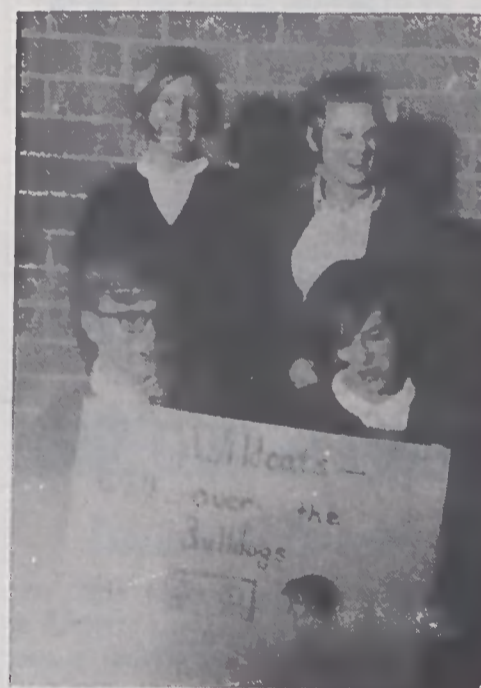
From 5:00 to 7:30 P.M. the J. F. Webb Student Council held its annual barbecue supper. Although the serving lasted over two hours, the Student Council members gave many hours the whole day long in order to make the barbecue a success. The barbecue was supplied by Murphy House. The parents of student council members donated the potatoes for potato salad and other parents donated a large variety of delicious pies. To increase the number of tickets sold each day, the Student Council offered prizes of show tickets donated by the Orpheum Theater and free chicken dinners donated by Sony's Restaurant. Also a prize of \$10 was given to Dale Williford for being the

Hair Stylist Talks To F.T.A. Members

The November F. T. A. meeting was held in Mrs. Grace Bullock's room. Mary Glenn Lilly, president, called the meeting to order. After the old and new business was discussed refreshments were served.

Next, the guest speaker, Mrs. Dolores Evans, was introduced by Lynn Breedlove, vice-president. Mrs. Evans gave a very interesting program on hairstyles and was asked to return in December to speak on makeup.

The meeting was then adjourned.



Pep Club officers for 1968-69 are Frank Hielema, vice-president; Anna Tarry, secretary; Susan Fox, president; and Bennie Hester, treasurer.

"O, Romeo, Romeo Seniors See Play

All the seniors had a delightful experience on Wednesday night, November 13, as they took a trip backward in time. They visited the land of Shakespeare as they viewed his play, "Romeo and Juliet". It was presented by the Louisburg Players. The play was a smashing success because everything was done with an air of professionalism. After the excitement of flight, tragedy, and romance, the long ride home proved very dull. The sleepy students returned to the D. N. Hix school about 12:10. The comments were "How'd you like Benvolio? Wasn't he the cutest thing? How'd you like Juliet's dress?" Then the seniors went their separate ways home so that they might get some sleep so they would be bright-eyed for that day in school!

Workshop Held By Future Homemakers

On Thursday, November 21, in the Webb Cafetorium, the FHA held a Workshop designed to instruct those interested in beginning work on their Junior Homemaking Degrees.

Debbie Simpson, the degrees chairman, planned the program. Several FHA'ers presented a skit describing the degrees one may be awarded. These girls were Debbie Simpson, Marjorie Cash, Linda Huff, Wanda Dickerson, Cindy Boyd, and Sharon Mullen.

After this presentation, the FHA officers helped the other girls on their degrees.

French Clubs Have Christmas Spirit

If today you heard "Joie sur la terre," you were hearing our talented (?) French scholars sing their Christmas greetings in French. This was just one of the many things the French Clubs had on their programs. For their programs reading of birth of Christ were also done in French.

As last year some of the French classes gave gifts to needy families and children. These gifts (toys, clothes, and food) will help to make someone else's Christmas a little brighter.

French III Club really did something special this year. Last Sunday night they had a French Christmas dinner complete with French foods at David Noel's house. Each member was responsible for bringing one item for the meal. The only "trick" to this meal was that everything had to be said in French! (That's pretty frustrating when you want some turkey and you don't know how to say "Pass the turkey" in French.) In spite of all these difficulties though, everyone had a good time.

Over your Christmas vacation all the French students and teachers hope you have a "Joyeux Noel."