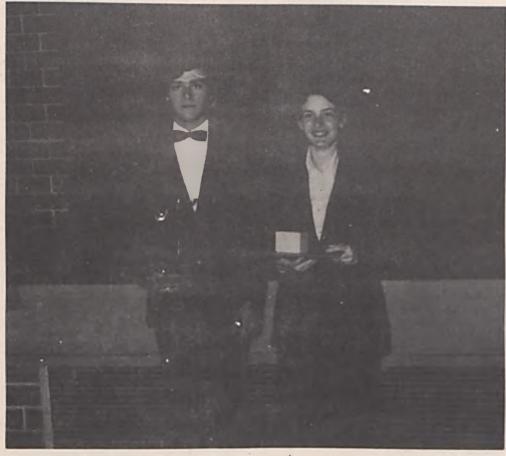
# The Spectator

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Edgar Watson and Susan Barnes smile after receiving band awards.

## Awards Presented At Band Concert

Webb Senior High Band and Oxford Junior High Band presented a joint concert Tuesday night, May 2, at 8 o'clock in the Well gym. The concert was directed by Mr. Joe Edwards.

Highlights of the concert were the presentation of the awards. Susan Barnes, who plays the trumpet, won the John Phillip Sousa Award, and Edgar Watson, who plays the tenor saxaphone, won the Most Valuable

Club. The Senior band's concert included the "Festival Prelude." "Strategic Air Command," and selections from "West Side Story." The Junior band played selections such as "Moon River" and others.

cert seemed to thoroughly enjoy an evening filled with music. The band members should all be commended for a concert well performed!

# Playboy Theme Graduation Plans Featured At Jr.-Sr. Are Underway

nity of waiting for the Seniors, the Junior-Senior Prom was finally held on May 20. And was it ever a success! With a nightclub theme and The Men of Distinction as the main attraction, what wouldn't be?

The nightclub theme was displayed throughout the decorations. A bar served as the refreshment stand with sophomore girls as bunny waitresses, hat and coat check girls and "go-go" dancers. There was a light show on the front side of the gym and a huge mirror chandelier hung from the center of the gym.

The "Men of Distinction" played excellent music from 8 to 11:30 p.m. Almost everyone admitted being pleased with such a good perform-

The Juniors really went all out in their efforts to surpass all Junior-Senior Proms.

# **Chorus Members Present Concert**

One hundred singers in the Webb High School Chorus performed in the Webb Cafeteria on Thursday, May 11, at 8 p.m. The chorus presented a variety of audience-pleasing selections.

The Webb Choruses are under the direction of Miss Gloria Eaton and Mrs. Tapp Hancock. Miss Frieda Middleton, a junior at Webb, was the accompanist.

Three students received trophies for outstanding performance. Ellis Thornton received a permanent trophy for being "most valuable chorus member." Debbie Wheeler won the "Hancock Trophy" which is presented annually to the most talented chorus member. Haywood Smith received a trophy which is given annually for the "most valuable chorus member."

Player Award from the Woman's

The people who came to the con-

After what seemed like an eter- Graduation exercises for the Class of 1972 will be held Friday night, June 2, at eight o'clock. If the weather permits, the exercises will be held on Hix athletic field; if not, they will be held in the Webb gymtorium. There are 326 seniors in

> Speaker for the occasion will be Mr. William Poe, an Oxford native who is a Charlotte attorney and chairman of the Mecklenburg School Board. His sister, Mrs. Nelson Thomas, Jr., lives in Oxford and a niece, Mary Thomas, is a member of the graduating class. Diplomas will be presented by the chairman of the Granville County School Board.

### AWARDS DAY

On Thursday, June 1, students will assemble in the gymtorium for the presentation of awards from various departments. Senior citizenship awards will include he D.A.R., Kiwanis, Rotary, A.A.U.W., and Danforth awards. Names of the recipients of the awards will be kept confidential until the program is

# F.T.A. Members **Discuss Politics**

On May 10 the F.T.A. Chapter of J. F. Webb met in room 26. At this time each member was given a Political Action Checklist Sheet and a Student Political Attitude Survey Sheet on which they recorded their attitudes toward the potilical situation in the U.S. Those students who had a question about voting, and other matters, had their questions answered at this time by Mrs. Watkins and Mrs. Washington.

### News-In-Brief

On April 24th during an assembly in the gym the 1972-73 Marshals were announced. They are Cynthia Currin, Chief, Donna Bryan, Sue Frances Crabtree, Donald Franklin, Rebecca Ison, Crawford Knott, Marshall Seate, Sheila Shearin, Susan Tilley, Paige Timberlake, and Cushen Winston.

Cynthia Currin, one of the more distinguished juniors, has been chosen to attend Governor's School at Winston-Salem, N. C., this summer. Cynthia competed with other students from Webb as well as from all over Granville County. She was chosen on the basis of her academic scores. Congratulations!

The 72-73 Student Council officers were chosen in a recent election. The officers are president, Cathy Graham; vice-president, Rebecca Ison; secretary, Betty Johnson; treasurer, Holt Shotwell. We are looking forward to a successful

By the time we go to press, Mr. Maynard will or will not have delighted the Spanish Clubs and Psychology class with a party at his home in Durham. The party featured a band on the patio and all one could eat.

May 9 was a very enjoyable day for Library Club members. Approximately 16-18 went to Butner Lake Shelter and had a spread picnic. They also enjoyed boating on the lake.

The annual this year, entitled Teepee '72, was dedicated to Mrs. Lou Watkins, Mrs. Watkins, an outstanding member of the Webb faculty, teaches mathematics and sponsors the FTA.



Garland Burnett and Elizabeth Neal are crowned emperor and empress of the Latin Club by the retiring rulers, Marshall Seate and Cynthia Currin.

# Romans Choose Garland Burnette and Elizabeth

Neal were crowned rulers for the coming year at the Roman Banquet, April 22nd. They succeed Marshall Seate and Cynthia Currin.

The "slave" sale brought in near-Jy \$450.00, more than in any previous year. Proceeds will be shared with the nineteen "Romans" from

Webb and Hix who plan to attend the National JCL Convention at V. P. I. in Blacksburg, Va., in August.

Their New Rulers

Webb's Latin Club was second runner-up for sweepstake awards at the state convention at Chapel Hill April 7-8. About a dozen students from Oxford were winners in several competitions.

# **Humanities Class Delights Audience**

On May 4, students fortunate enough to view the skit given by the humanites class were really given a treat. The skit entitled "A Little Humor From Humanities" or "The Great Eight." Eight different skits were presented, each a true delight.

One of the more talked about was entitled "Soap Opera." It featured Nan Stovall, who did a great job as a calm and not easily excited mother. Denise Clark and Jerry De-Vos portrayed her children. Donald Franklin portrayed thhe confused and bewildered father. Jan Johnson and Clive Wilson did an excellent job as two policemen, who strangely enough, had the same minds. All of these should be commended for their excellent perform-

Just to mention a few of the other wonderful performances, there is one that couldn't be passed by; that being Bebecca Childs. Rebecca portrayed a lighthouse excellently. Phyllis Hicks and Donald Franklin presented a modern dance which was very intriguing. There were many other performances that were just as good as the above mentioned and everyone who participated should be commended.

Even though the humanities class presented the skits, they couldn't have done it without the help of their advisors, Miss Bettie Adams and Mr. Clive Wilson, who made it possible for the students to see this wonderful presentation.

Science Fair winners are shown from left to right: Jo Anne Currin, Donna Crute, Debbie Sizemore, William Creech, Cora Braswell, George Chavis, Francis Kenyon, Carol Burroughs. Not pictured are Donald Franklin and Lillian Neal.

# Webb Science Fair Is A Success

Monday, May 8, Webb's first science fair was held. About 70 projects were displayed. The exhibits were open to the public Monday night after the PTSA meeting. Students and teachers were able to see the projects Tuesday during the school day.

There were six blue ribbon winners, 18 red, and 15 white or honorable mention awards. The blue ribbon winners were as follows: William Creech, 1st, Carol Burroughs 2nd, JoAnn Currin, Donna Crute, and Debbie Sizemore 3rd, George Chavis and Cora Braswell 4th, Lillian Neal and Donald Franklin 5th, and Frances Kenyon 6th.

The entries were judged on creative ability, skill, scientific thought, thoroughness, clarity, and dramatic value. The judges were Mr. Williams from South Granville, Mr. Eaton of D. N. Hix, and Mr. Lassiter of the Granville County Administration Staff.

The fair was sponsored by the science teachers at Webb: Mr. Howard, Mrs. Williams, Mr. Brown, and Mr. Baker. Mr. Howard commented, "I feel that this fair generated interest in this type of activity that will be useful in the future."