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The President

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WEBB ADMINISTRATION
BUILDING

and

Board of Trustees

of

Gardner-Webb College

cordially invite you to attend

the Founders Day Luncheon and Dedication Service

for the

Webb Administration Building addition

Saturday the twentieth of October

nineteen hundred and seventy three

at half past eleven o'clock

in the

Charles J. Dover Campus Center

Gardner-Webb College

Boiling Springs, North Carolina

The favor of a reply before the
seventeenth of October is requested

Both wives and husbands
are invited

Ceremonies Begin At 10:30 A. M. 5/27

New G-W Building Will Be Dedicated On Friday

BOILING SPRINGS — Dedication of the Webb Administration Building at Gardner-Webb College will be held May 12 at 10:30 a.m.

O. Max Gardner Jr., whose efforts helped make the building possible, will be present for the program on the lawn of the new structure.

The dedicatory address will be given by the Rev. M. O. Owens Jr., member of the board of trustees.

Ralph Gardner will present the building. Acceptance remarks will be made by Mrs. Rush Stroup, chairman of the board of trustees; Dr. E. Eugene Poston, presi-

dent of the college; and Jerry Walker, president of the student body.

The Webb Building was completed and occupied in October of last year. It was constructed at a cost of \$75,000, a gift of the Gardner family. The gift was one of the first contributions in the \$550,000 fund-raising campaign that began in the fall of 1959.

O. Max Gardner Jr. was honorary chairman of that campaign. A bronze plaque has been placed in the lobby of the building honoring him. It reads, in part, "Hon-

orary Chairman Development Program actively engaged in the development of Gardner-Webb College, Because of His Love and Concern for Young People"

A plaque on the outside of the building to the left of the front entrance honors Mrs. Fay Webb Gardner, her parents, Judge and Mrs. James L. Webb; her grandparents, the Rev. and Mrs. George M. Webb; and Rev. James M. Webb — for whom the building was named.

Webb Building stands on the site of the "Old Barn," a dormitory for men for many years.

The building houses offices for the president, vice president, business manager, dean of instruction, registrar, public relations officers, the development program, the religion department and the church-community department.

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