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Black Emphasis Week Planned for Feb. 13-17

by Kimberley Ingram

The week of February 13-17 has been designated as Black Emphasis Week to promote black culture and heritage.

Highlighting the week will be a convocation on Monday, with Gloria Scott, president of Bennett College. Edith Gleaves, a member of North Raleigh United Methodist Church and the St. Augs. Gospel Choir, will be leading a worship service on Wednesday to discuss minority issues. Also, "Ain't Scared of Your Jails: 1960-61" will be presented Wednesday at 7:00 pm in Kresge Auditorium. Thursday is a "Night of Cul-

ture" with an array of talent by ABA.

The Association For Black Awareness is sponsoring a series of documentaries during the month of February as part of Black History month. These films will be presented every Wednesday at 7 pm and will discuss civil rights. The theme of Black History Month is "Eyes On The Prize."

Crystal Combs, Black Emphasis Week chair, stated that she "hopes that this will emphasize that black culture is on campus and is important for us to retain even though we are at a predominantly white school."

Founder's Day Convocation Stresses Higher Education for Women

by Krista Holloman

Meredith College celebrated its 98th Founder's Day Monday, Jan. 30. The Founder's Day address was given by Dr. Sarah McCulloh Lemmon.

Dr. Lemmon, Professor Emerita of History and College Historian, was the chairperson of the History department from 1962-1977.

Dr. Lemmon also directed the Continuing Education department for five years. She is currently seeking an art history degree at Meredith.

"Wild Deer Roaming" addressed the

opportunities for higher education for women. Not very long ago, it was believed that college would be too stressful for women.

Dr. Jean Jackson, Assistant Professor of English and Director of the Centennial Commission, announced a theme contest for the Centennial. Entry forms will be sent to students and in the mail.

The contest winner will receive \$100 and a package of Meredith College Centennial Commemorative items.

Taylor Chosen as Freshman Advisor

by Amy LaVoy

Olive Taylor, assistant professor of mathematics was chosen by members of the freshman class to become their advisor. Taylor will serve as class advisor until graduation. The freshman class welcomes her.

Meredith Asks ...

by Deanna Harris

How do you feel about the big sis/little sis tradition at Meredith?

"It's a good idea, but people need to put more effort into contacting each other."

Myra Waddell, junior

"I love it. I'm very fortunate to have a great big sis."

Quinne Brendle, sophomore

"I think it's a good idea if you follow through with it throughout the year. It's been successful for me."

Kim Barker, junior

"It is wonderful! If you have people who are really dedicated, it's great. If you're going to be a big sister, you have to make a commitment."

Joanna Price, sophomore

"I like the idea, but I feel like the tradition's dying. People are too into themselves and not into each other."

Michelle Tutherow, senior

"I think it's great; however, some people don't like it because big sisters do not get in touch with them."

Jane Braxton, freshman