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## Trivium Pursuit Was the Name of the Game

# Opening Convocation Looks to the Past

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Last year, opening convocation at Meredith took a look at the future, but this year, Meredith took a look at the past. On Monday, August 28, President Weems and Meredith faculty members opened up the year with a game of "Trivium Pursuit."

Trivium (the divisions of the liberal arts) Pursuit was a game like Trivial Pursuit with a twist. The red team, senior Tracy Sternberg and sophomore Paige Bunter, and the blue team, junior Nan Smith and freshman Blaire Jones, competed against each other in a battle of wits. Before the game, President Weems pointed out that winners are those who retain and understand what they learn. But these contestants had a little help from some experts — Napoleon, Algebar, Karl Marx, Aristotle, and Moses.

Dr. Frank Grubbs, as Thomas Jefferson, claimed that John F. Kennedy and Mick Jagger had both attended Harvard, when the correct answer was the London School of Economics. Other experts, however, were more helpful. Isadora Duncan (Allison Caldwell), Michaelangelo (John Bell), Dorothy Parker (Louise Taylor), and Aris-



Dr. Carolyn Grubbs played Catherine the Great. Photo by Jayne Potter.

totle (John Creagh) all made appearances — some helpful, and some not.

The blue team won by correctly answering the eternal question is the tomato a fruit or a vegetable. Following the game Dr. Weems pointed out that this was a knowledge game. The historical visitors served as catalysts for knowledge and the laughter served as the rewards of knowledge.

## Carroll Health Center

# Infirmiry Gets New Name

The Meredith infirmiry has a new name and a new philosophy. Now called the Carroll Health Center, it's not just for sick students any more.

"We want to teach women to be responsible for their own health and well being," explained Ruth Pearce RN, director. "We are concentrating on education for total health, focusing on all things that keep our students mentally and physically fit."

A number of different programs and services have been incorporated into the health center to accomplish this goal. One that was requested a great deal last year is a gynecology

clinic.

"We had so many requests last year to have a gynecologist on staff," said Pearce. "I am very pleased that we were able to open this clinic."

Students must have an appointment for the clinic which is held on Wednesdays from 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. Katherine Blalock, a family nurse practitioner specializing in gynecology, will conduct the clinic and a number of gynecological services are available. A routine physical which includes a pap smear, blood test, and urinalysis will cost the student \$28.

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