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promises to be a lively panorama of

music which appeals to all tastes and

ages. The program wil combine grand

opera selections with American folk

music and arrangements from popular

and hospitable to graduate and pro-

fessional work which will be more

greatly in demand among Negroes

Dr. Elder, who returned to the

college faculty in September as head

of the graduate department of edu-

cation, was dean of the college and

teacher of mathematics from 1924

through 1943. Born in Sandersville,

Georgia, February 26, 1898, he did

than at any time in the past."

operettas.

. The Troubadours, under the direction of John De Merchant, will appear in recital in B. N. Duke Auditorium Saturday, March 3, at 8:15. For holders of season tickets this replaces the concert scheduled for March 1.

# ELDER

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The committee's first meeting was held at N. C. C. October 21 when mombers of the faculty including deans, the Interim Committee, and heads of departments were interviewed. In inte October Dr. Benjamin Mays of Morehouse College, Prof. Ira Reid, of Atlanta University, and President Goodrich C. White of Emory University were interviewed at length by telephone. The names of Reid, Mays and Clements were suggested to the committee as possibilities for the presidency of the college, but according to the report, they were interviewed on other names and not their own availability for the position.

At the meeting of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in Louisville, Ky., in early December several competent people were interviewed on many names then before the committee, the report states.

In commenting on the type of man who was sought for the position, the committee said: "Your committee has not been interested in a person of political-mindedness, as that term is generally understood, although it is clear to all of us that the president of the college should be at home in worthy efforts to cultivate the friendship of all groups of people and in the interest of wholesome public relations. This quality, the members of your committee believe, is of immense importance in the development of the college and of Negro education of high quality, to which the responsible people of North Carolina are clearly committed. The president of this institution now, more perhaps than at any time in the past, must be a man of sane views in public relations as well as a diligent and intelligent student of education, undergraduate, graduate and professional. "The members of your committee believe that the successor to Dr. Shepard should have administrative skill; have vision and imagination to understand the significance of this expanding institution and to guide its future development; energy and industry; high educational standards, and other qualities of leadership that would be an inspiration to the faculty and students, alumni, the community and the state. He will need also to be deeply sympathetic with

### CAMPUS ECHO

For several years he held offices in the North Carolina Negro Teachers Association. In 1941 he was chairman of the Committee on evaluation of Negro High Schools in North Carolina; during 1938 through 1943 he served as vice-president of the Mutual Building and Loan Association here; he is a former contributing editor to Phylon, Atlanta, Magazine; was on the Staff of Summer Workshops of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools for Negroes at Atlanta University, Hampton Institute, and North Carolina Colege from 1940 through 1942.

While in Georgia from 2943 to 1947, the new president was chairman of the Georgia Committee on Cooperation in Teacher Education, a member of the board of directors of the Metropolitan Atlanta Association for Colored Blind; a member of the committee on social planning; was a consultant for workshops of the Atlanta public schools; was a member of the committee to rate Negro colleges for the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, and is at present chairman of a committee of the National Clinic on Teacher Education sponsored by the American Council on Education.

He is a regular contributor of articles to eduational journals and other publications ,and has published several pamphlets and bulletins on subcets related to the field of education.

# EDUCATION

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resource use education presented by A. H. Peeler of Greensboro, N. C. and a panel entitled Some approaches to resource Use Education'' led by Dean Albert E. Manley of North Carolina College. Taking part in the discussion will be E. B. Garret, chief, Soil Conservation Service, Raleigh; Mrs. L. F. James, itinerant home

Hil is executive secretary.



lecturer, will spend two days on the 18 and 19. Miss Sarton will deliver a and personal interviews. formal lecture in B. N. Duke Audi-

**Eight Oualify For Honor Society** 

Eight honor students were initiated into the Kappa Gamma Chapter of Alpha Kappa Mu honor society, recently. Roscoe Croom is president and Alene Coley is secretary-treasurer Dr. W. E. Farrison, English Department head, is advisor for the society. The other members are Carrie Bradley, Gwendolyn Brownlee, Oscar Jones, Mary McLean, Emma Thompson and Mable F. Whitehead.

# FROSH

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seek means to become better informed and to solve problems that naturally confront freshmen.

In case your freshman friends have

May Sarton, Belgian poet and torium Friday afternoon, and the remainder of her visit will be devoted North Carolina College , campus March to discussion groups, vists to classes,

> not purchased The Campus Ecno, make it your responsibility for them to see this particular article. We need more active and more competent participants. Take heed and come to class meetings. Remember our motto "We strive not to equal but to excel." -Barbara Brisby

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