



Mr. Rake

PAUL F. RAKE has been named director of development at Wake Forest College. He was formerly assistant to the director of development at Tulane University. Dr. Harold W. Tribble, president of the college, had this to say concerning Rake's appointment: "I am very happy to have Mr. Rake assume this position. He joins our staff at a strategic time, for we are moving ahead with the second stage of our long-range building program and the resumption and expansion of graduate work."

Senate and House Debate College Aid

(BP)—Both Houses of Congress have college education bills scheduled for debate on the floor.

The Senate began debate January 29 on S. 1241 and the House Rules Committee has cleared H.R. 8900, and the House was expected to debate it after the first of February.

Although different in many respects, both bills contain aids to private as well as public colleges.

The Senate bill, known as the College Academic Facilities and Scholarship Act, provides a five-year \$1.5 billion loan program for construction of academic facilities. No grants for such construction are in this bill.

In addition the bill provides student scholarships for a total of \$148,750,000 for five years. The maximum available to a student would be \$1,000 a year.

Under the scholarship program the student could select the college of his own choice. The school would then be paid \$350 per year per student for "cost of education."

The House bill provides a \$1.5 billion loan and grant program to both public and private colleges for construction of academic facilities. Junior colleges are included under this provision.

The bill as approved for House consideration excludes from its loan and grant program gymnasiums and recreation facilities, buildings used for sectarian instruction or worship, and schools of divinity.

There is no scholarship program in the House bill.

Mars Hill to Continue All Sports

Mars Hill College will continue and try to strengthen its entire intercollegiate sports program, including football, as it moves into a senior college program.

The school, which plans to add the junior year this fall as the first step toward senior college status, has been a member of the Western Carolina Junior College Athletic Conference. It will leave the conference after this year and play next year without conference affiliation. Eventually membership will be sought in some senior college conference.

The administration has promised additional funds for operation and for some much-needed improvements to the football stadium and the athletic fields. Funds for a new physical education building are being sought as part of a \$2,300,000 fund drive launched last October.

School officials said the decision to keep the full sports program and to strive to strengthen it was influenced by the value of the program to the academic program as well as by its contribution to school spirit. The college will offer majors in physical education and the intercollegiate sports program will serve as a valuable training ground for students who will become teachers and coaches, it was explained.

Hardin-Simmons' Church Music Course Approved

The Hardin-Simmons University School of Music's curriculum providing for the bachelor of music degree with major in church music has been approved by the National Association of Schools of Music.

H-SU is one of only four schools in Texas whose curriculums in church music have been approved by the NASM, a report of the agency shows. Others are Southern Methodist University, Southwestern University and the University of Texas.

Across the nation, 44 colleges and universities have church music curriculums approved by the National Association of Schools of Music. The only Baptist schools in the group are Hardin-Simmons, Howard College, Stetson University, and Oklahoma Baptist University.

The H-SU School of Music was the first in Texas to be admitted to membership in the NASM. That occurred in 1930.

Gov. Sanford to Speak

Gov. Terry Sanford will bring greetings from the State of North Carolina at the inauguration of Dr. E. Eugene Poston on April 16, and will be the main speaker at the inaugural luncheon in the O. Max Gardner Building.