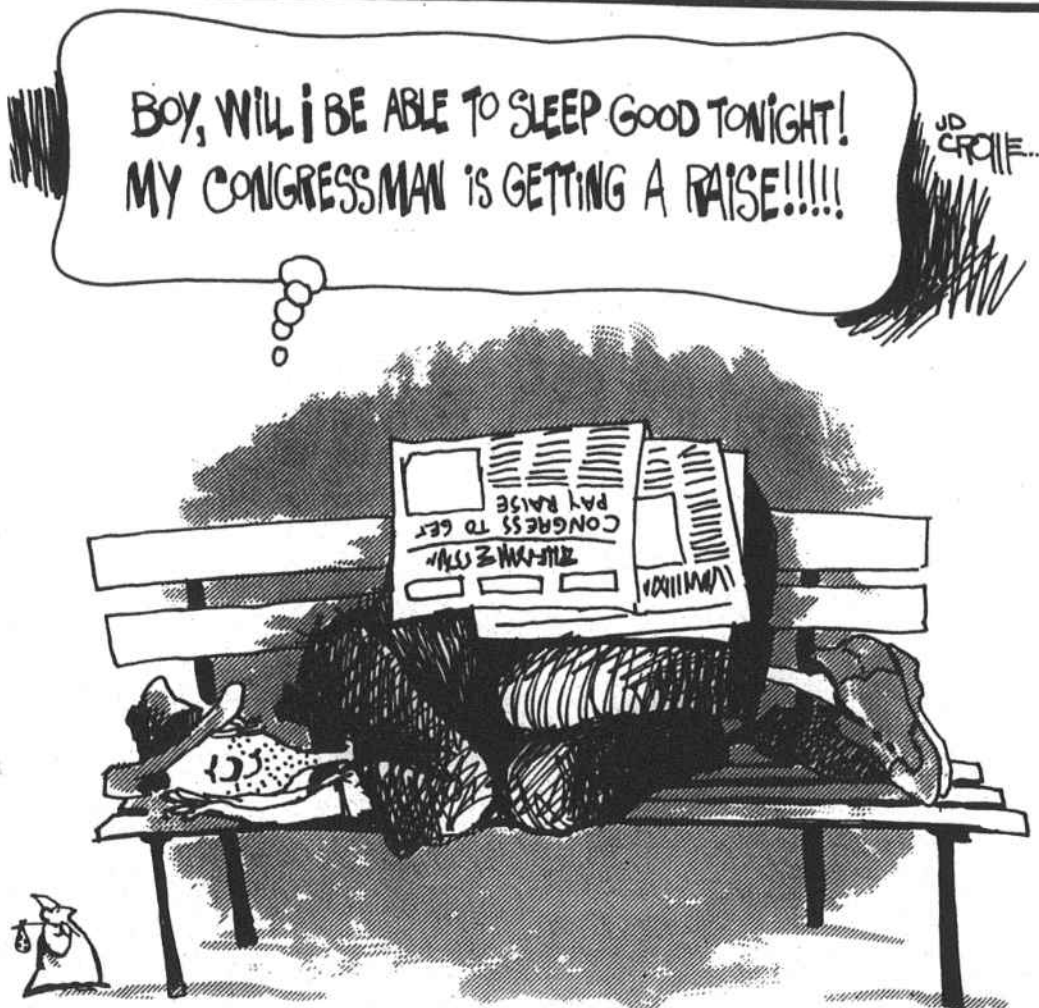


Opinions



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Cliff Blue ... People & Issues

SAINT ANDREWS... Early this month I attended Presbyterian Synod at St. Andrews Presbyterian College.

St. Andrews is a four-year coeducational residential college located on an expansive modern campus in Laurinburg, North Carolina. It was established in 1958 by the Presbyterian Synod of North Carolina.

St. Andrews affirms the continuing relevance in higher education of the Christian concern for truth, justice, and personal worth. St. Andrews 771 undergraduates hail from 23 states, Panama, the Virgin Islands, and eight foreign countries. Together they create a cosmopolitan atmosphere in a community that challenges them to do their best intellectually, creatively and in service to others.

Helping them to meet these challenges are a dedicated staff and a superb faculty -- some 75% of whom hold doctorate degrees -- and whose principle commitment is to teaching. St. Andrews is small by design, to retain the close, informal atmosphere of the community, yet still offers academic, cultural, and social opportunities unsurpassed by larger colleges.

The St. Andrews academic program is innovative in its approach, yet firmly rooted in the liberal arts tradition. The St. Andrews Education program which generates a core curriculum and breadth courses with a student's major concentration, has been used as a model by national education associations.

ACCREDITATION... St. An-

drews is accredited by the Southern Association of colleges and schools and by a half dozen other college and university associations.

CAMPUS... Most of the campus buildings are grouped on opposite banks of 70-acre Lake Ansley C. Moore, named in honor of the College's first president.

The present president is A.P. Perkinson, Jr., B.A., LL.D.

St. Andrews is situated near the South Carolina line, and is in an attractive community of 13,000 people. Twice, Laurinburg has been selected an "All America" city and the county seat of Scotland County. Laurinburg's location at the edge of the famous Sandhills region offers students a pleasant setting for study and recreation.

COLLEGE FAILS... In Seneca Falls, N.Y., Eisenhower College, the little known liberal arts school has closed and its campus is for sale.

According to the *Wall Street Journal*, the faculty members are hunting for jobs, students for new colleges and townspeople for ways to make ends meet with less income.

"The reason for Eisenhower's demise is simple: dollars and cents. Colleges exist on tuition revenues, endowment income and gifts. Eisenhower was short on all three. Closing had been averted three years ago only after nearby Rochester Institute of Technology agreed to take on the college's debts and run it as one of RIT's complex of colleges. But Eisenhower's subsequent losses of \$5.7 million -- and the prospect of

further debt -- made it impossible to go on."

The decision to close Eisenhower was the most difficult of his career, says RIT president M. Richard Rose.

Here in North Carolina, we have had educational institutions close for lack of money, without calling the name of any.

N.Y. 'HEIST'... One of the biggest "heists" in history, if not the biggest, was pulled off in the biggest city in the United States -- New York City. An Associated pressman reported: "A police investigator, who asked not to be identified, said the entire amount taken in the holdup was insured."

Seems like Jesse James may be riding again!

CHRISTMAS... Back in a one-room, one teacher school, here is the first verse of a Christmas poem, which I shall never forget: Christmas has called and I want to go back, Back through the years of a long time ago, Over the trail of a dream woven track, Into the heart of a long time ago!



From The Desk Of Congressman Bill Hefner

Congressman Bill Hefner, D-N.C., voted Tuesday against a pay raise for members of Congress.

Hefner said, "At a time when the country is reeling from the highest rate of unemployment since 1941, it does not seem ap-

propriate to raise the salaries of congressmen.

"With our economy in the deepest recession in modern history, Congress ought to be more concerned with providing economic stability and charting a course for our economy's

recovery."

Hefner's opposition to a Congressional pay raise came in the form of his votes on amendments which were tacked onto a continuing appropriations resolution.

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