

Principal Reporting

The percentage of graduates attending college varies widely in the counties of North Carolina. The range in 1955 was from 7.6% to 48.1%. The state average was 31.3%. The class of 1956 of Bailey has 18% of its members taking higher training. The Nash County average for 1955 shows 31.3% of its white graduates and 34.1% of its Negro graduates attending college.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Scholastic Magazines have recently raised some questions about college attendance. Their recommendations are:

1. Start planning early--even as early as the eighth grade.
2. Take "solid" subjects--English, math, and science included. One registrae says, "Omit the frills" and take the subjects which prepare for college".
3. Get good grades--most of the students rejected could have placed in the upper part of the class had they taken their high school work more seriously.

TO ATTEND COLLEGE

Just this week we have had a young man wanting to get into State College. He graduated without algebra and geometry. He could have taken both. Avoid the easy way out. You may decide on a college later.

Thanksgiving is with us. There are many things for which we can give thanks. "Count your many blessings" and you will see how fortunate you are.

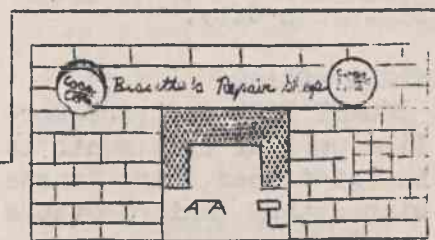
Adults Capture King Queen Titles

Mary H. Privette, vice president of the PTA, and Norman E. Patterson, principal of Mount Pleasant School, won the titles of Halloween king and queen at Mount Pleasant this year.

All the participants collected votes from people in the audience and turned them in at the end of five minutes. Mrs. Privette and Principal Patterson were

the winners. Mrs. Privette was the leading lady with \$2.79, and Principal Patterson led the men with \$2.54.

The results of the contest was \$14.11.



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