

On September 11, 1940, there arrived early that morning a group of boys and girls who bore the name of "Senior Privileges" and it was very happy because we had always envied seniors and looked forward to the time when we should be granted the privileges we thought the seniors had.

This group consisted of Frances Ackerman, Sarah Ackerman, Walter Ackerman, Mary Addison, Marcaliese Ackerman, Pearl Blanton, David Cone, Virginia Dandridge, Emmett Faulkner, William Metts Alice Rhode, Mary Jo Reeves, Fannie Mae Stokes, and Cecil Stokes. We were a group of boys and girls who had always stuck together with plenty of determination and good will; now we were working together for the last time.

Our first disappointment was the misinterpretation of the word "senior privileges". We thought it meant, "Do as you please", but we found this was wrong when we received the punishment for going to lunch an hour before time--just two weeks of waiting for lunch an hour later.

The happiest day of the year was the day when we received our rings. We had lived for that day and it seemed that our dreams would never come.

After much consideration we decided to have a senior play. This play was a great success, perhaps the greatest performance our class has ever presented.

The Junior-Senior Reception was a big surprise to us for no one of us had any idea what their plans were for this event. We will always remember it as one of the biggest occasions in our senior year.

Our class now has one missing-William Metts left us during the year and began his life in the business world. He has been missed very much by his classmates. We hope that he will achieve great success in his life and that he will always remember his classmates who were the graduates of '41.