

The Junior-Senior Banquet was the most exciting feature of our Junior year. Each of us strove toward making this the most successful Banquet in the history of Cottageville High. This year Betty Dannell, brought honor to our school when she wrote a theme on Victory Gardens for J. H. A. project. She won 2nd. place and was awarded 10 dollars in war stamps.

When the school doors opened in '46 a feeling of sadness was mingled with our joys. We realized that our High School life was soon to close. This year we had two members of our class veterans, Hugo Smith and Billy Youmans. We now had fourteen members in our class. With Claris Dandridge as our President and John Ackerman as our Student Body President we passed a most successful year. Margaret Piott was president of the Beta Club and Maree Muckenfuss Editor-in-Chief of the Echoes. Blanche Redman, Captain of the basketball team, starred as a forward. We left a basketball scoreboard as a gift to the school.

The sun has set upon our high school life. Through the misty haze we see the rays of a new sunrise, and we greet it with.

"Let us then be up and going
With a heart for any fate
Still achieving, still pursuing
Learn to labor and to wait."