

"Many of the same people who have wrought in both schools will remain in this successor to both; and those who have been elected elsewhere have voluntarily offered us lifelong allegiance and good will. With assurance we face the future with faith, and invite with confidence everybody's cooperation."

The schools united, and the twenty-fifth year nears its close. It will be well to reflect upon what Ward-Belmont has accomplished in this quarter of a century. The difficult problems of the merging of the two have been met. The junior college movement has been a constantly growing one, and in this growth Ward-Belmont has had a part. It has been ever conscious of a splendid heritage, and has not allowed this to become decadent. This year of 1938 must not pass unnoticed. Under the direction of a faculty committee, a program in honor of the twenty-fifth year is being planned for Friday evening, ~~April~~ May 13, at 8:45 in the chapel. It is the hope of the school and of the Alumnae Association that many alumnae and friends of the school will be present for this occasion.

Visitors who join us will find themselves in the familiar scene of our chapel in the presence of many reminders of other important days. For years Ward-Belmont girls have marched to Class Recognition Day, to Commencement, and have come to Wednesday devotionals to the sound of the beloved chimes or the organ at the hands of Mr. F. Arthur Henkel. So for this event Mr. Henkel will play the chimes early in the evening, and play the organ for a part of the program in chapel. Miss Mary Douthit, a Ward-Belmont alumna, and a member of the music faculty, will play piano selections, and the well-known "Bells of Ward-Belmont" will close the program.

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