

In general, the chief functions of a woman's junior college is to educate <sup>students for</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>(1)</sup> worthy use of leisure time; (2) health; (3) worthy home membership; (4) vocational training and guidance; <sup>ance</sup> and (5) continuation <sup>in</sup> ~~of~~ a senior college.

Practically all of the above traditions, courses, and activities have evolved within the last twenty-five years, since the consolidation of Ward Seminary and Belmont College, and since the growth of Ward-Belmont into one of the outstanding junior colleges of its day. The school has grown from one which in the early days contained a student body made up almost entirely of Tennessee girls to one which in ~~its~~ <sup>its</sup> long list of students now has every state of the union and many foreign countries represented.

This year, which is also the seventy-fourth year since the founding of Ward Seminary, ~~and the forty-ninth since the founding of Belmont College,~~ truly sees the realization of the aim expressed by the new school at the time of its consolidation, "To keep the best and to add to that whatever the experience of other great schools have accomplished."

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