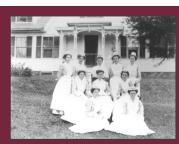
## 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration

# 1893 Your Community Hospital 2018

#### Lot #52 and L.U.A.S

A group of local church goers united around caring for the sick, and the Ladies Union Aid Society was founded. Shortly after, the plot of land known as #52 came up for sale in the middle of town.

1892



#### **Nurse Training Program**

The hospital's rapidly expanding nurse training program led to the addition of a Nurse's Home with classrooms and living facilities for students.

1908



#### **Claremont General Hospital**

The Depression and WWII led to significant changes in healthcare. Updated inpatient wings and an operating suite reflected some of the changes at what became known as Claremont General hospital.

1943



#### Valley Regional Hospital

Extensive renovations provided a new wing to accommodate needs of the community, and the hospital changed its name to reflect its growing service area.

1983

1893



### Cottage Hospital

The community's need for a hospital inspired the Ladies Union Aid Society to open a new 7 bed facility, called Cottage Hospital.

1923

#### Stowell Memorial Hospital

The newly renamed Stowell Memorial Hospital underwent an expansion due to patient demand, resulting in one of the most state-of-the-art facilities in New England at the time.

1957

#### **Major Renovations**

Improvements included 30 new beds, upgraded maternity ward, surgical wing, and a radiology and lab department.

The new three-story east wing boosted the hospital again to the forefront of modern healthcare.

2010

#### Valley Regional Healthcare

Renovations and upgrades to the hospital, included creating private patient rooms, expanded emergency department, and new equipment provided a modern facility for our region.