

established a far-famed reputation as a center of learning. Ward Seminary and Belmont College, through their long and honored careers, have contributed much toward winning for the city of Nashville her merited title of "The Athens of the South." These two schools, in coöperation with Vanderbilt University and George Peabody College for Teachers, have given a distinct charm and atmosphere of culture which make this city an ideal home for students.

On an imposing eminence the State Capitol stands, an interesting example of classic architecture. In its grounds is the tomb of President James K. Polk. Located at a central point in the Centennial Park is a facsimile of the Parthenon, true in every detail. On one of the many beautiful drives and car lines is Belle Meade, for many years a celebrated stock farm. Twelve miles from Nashville is the Hermitage, the home and burial place of Andrew Jackson, President, statesman, and warrior. Not far from the Ward-Belmont campus is the battlefield of Nashville, and near by stretches the scene of the battles of Franklin and Stones River. Within a few hours' ride are Lookout Mountain and Mammoth Cave. Nashville is within easy reach of all the historical points of Tennessee.

In addition to the cultural advantages offered by Nashville through its educational and historical interests, an opportunity is given by the city to hear many of the most famous artists, readers, and lecturers. Nashville thus affords the means for acquiring a most liberal culture.

The Campus

Ward-Belmont stands in the beautiful hilltop park formerly owned by Belmont College, and to both the grounds and buildings handsome additions have recently been made. The campus, containing thirty acres, is surrounded by one of the best residence sections of Nashville. Embowered in trees and shrubs which represent the artistic planting and cultivation of sixty years, this

naturally picturesque park makes a campus of unusual beauty. It is easily accessible by car to the railway station, the shopping districts, and the churches of all denominations in the city; and yet it is sufficiently removed to give that quiet and seclusion which are conducive to studious habits. The site is on the highest elevation in the Vanderbilt University and the Peabody College sections, and is within easy walking distance of either

Climate and Health

The bracing atmosphere and temperate climate of Middle Tennessee make Nashville an ideal location for school work. Pupils from more northern States, as well as those from farther south, find here a school home unexcelled in physical advantages. The mild weather and the inviting campus encourage outdoor sports and games, and these have contributed much toward maintaining the phenomenal health record of the school.

Ward-Belmont realizes just how much the health of its students depends on physical conditions, and safeguards their health in every possible way. The buildings are sanitary; the drinking water is filtered, sterilized, cooled, and is supplied in hygienic fountains throughout the buildings; a trained and experienced nurse has charge of a well-ordered infirmary. Though the school has been singularly free from communicable diseases and has never been visited by an epidemic of any kind, yet an isolation hospital is maintained as a guard against such an epidemic. A further precaution is the requirement that a certificate of good health be furnished by every resident student.

Ward-Belmont realizes that in order to reach the best mental as well as physical results, one must have good nourishing food. Especial care is paid, therefore, to the meals and their preparation. The kitchen and bakery have the latest improvements in steam cooking, electrical appliances, and cold storage, and the dining hall is mo