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SEPTEMBER, 1918
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OPENING AND ORGANIZATION
September 25, 1918, 11 A.M.

THANKSGIVING DAY
November 28, 1918

CHRISTMAS VACATION
Approximately two weeks.

FOUNDERS' DAY
April 22, 1918

BACCALAUREATE SERMON
June 1, 1919

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June 2, 1919

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HISTORICAL SKETCH

Ward-Belmont is a union of Ward Seminary and Belmont College. Ward Seminary was founded in 1865 by William E. Ward, D.D., and Belmont College was founded in 1890 by Misses Ida E. Hood and Susan L. Heron. In June, 1913, the two schools were united on the Belmont campus under the charter name, "The Ward-Belmont School." Ward-Belmont is not forgetful of her past; she honors her founders, she reveres the two parent schools, and points with pride to that long line of graduates and students who have gone out into life's service, and whose happy memories and genuine affection for the old schools now bind them to the new.

A record of long service in a national field constitutes the richest heritage and the real asset with which Ward-Belmont pursues her new and larger life.

NASHVILLE AND ITS ATTRACTIONS

Nashville has an enviable record as an historical, educational, and cultural center.

The chosen location of great universities, professional schools, colleges, and preparatory schools, Nashville has established a far-famed reputation as a center of learning. Ward Seminary and Belmont, 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 cooperation with Vanderbilt University and George Peabody College for Teach-
Ward-Belmont, have given a distinct charm and atmosphere of culture which makes 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 sufficiently removed to give that quiet and seclusion which are conducive to studious habits; yet the railway station, the shopping districts, and the churches of all denominations in the city are easily accessible by car. 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, which 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, gas and electric appliances, and cold storage; the dining hall is commodious and attractive. The menus are supervised by a trained dietitian. A diet table under the supervision of this dietitian is maintained for those whose health requires it.

In addition to the physical safeguards and the abundant supply of wholesome, nutritious food, the regular habits and ordered life of the school, and physical culture scientifically adapted to the student's individual needs, are potent factors in promoting the excellent health record of Ward-Belmont.

BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT

The plan of the buildings is that of a quadrangle with one open side. On the north side of this square are located Fidelity, North Front, South Front, and Founders Halls with the drawing rooms, the auditorium, and the dining rooms; on the east, two other residence halls, Pembroke and Heron Hall; and on the south, the Academic Building. In addition to these there are three residence homes—Leftwich Lodge, Hudson Cottage, and Rose Cottage. Other buildings...
on the campus included in the school plant are the music practice house, tea house, green-houses, and at a greater distance from the residence halls the isolation hospital and the heating plant. The buildings are handsome and commodious, and are models in their adaptation to school use. They are fitted with the most improved methods of sanitation, heating, lighting, ventilation, and fire escapes.

The Academic Building, in classic colonial architecture, was completed and equipped in 1914 at a cost of $150,006. In this building are the large, well-lighted classrooms, the library, the science laboratories, the expression and art studios, an assembly hall, and the administration offices. The library contains about six thousand volumes. Under the care of experienced attendants, it is open at practically all hours. With its well-chosen books of reference, with its reading tables supplied with standard magazines and daily papers, it is an inviting spot to the casual reader and the serious student. This building also contains a white tiled swimming pool, and a gymnasium well equipped with apparatus, showers, dressing rooms, and lockers.

Since the dormitories are entirely separate from the classrooms, they have a quiet, homelike atmosphere. The residence halls are all practically new, freshly furnished, and in their arrangements meet every demand of comfortable and refined home life. There are ample sanitary appointments and baths on every floor, while in Pembroke and Heron Halls, which are arranged in suites, there is a bath between the two rooms of each suite. Each room accommodates only two girls, and is furnished with a rug, bureau, table, chairs, single iron beds, and, with few exceptions, separate closets. All the rooms have outside exposure, with abundant sunlight and fresh air.

Interested parents are requested to visit Ward-Belmont, as only a personal inspection can give an adequate idea of the way in which the comforts of a well-ordered home have been combined with the essentials of a well-equipped school.

WOODY CREST

Instead of Edenwold, the former country club of Ward-Belmont, the school has been fortunate in securing Woody Crest—a fine old estate more accessible than Edenwold.
The effect, therefore, is not one of repression, but of self-restraint, resulting in that character development which comes with a growing sense of obligation. Handsome parlors, attractive corridors, inviting rest rooms on every hall, and the unusual feature of a roof garden for recreation, all attest the care with which the home comforts and pleasures have been anticipated.

SOCIAL CLUBS

Ten clubs with a membership of thirty to fifty each are a pleasant feature of the social life of the school. Membership in one of these clubs is expected of every student. They meet formally once a week for social, literary or musical programs, and informally at other times for recreation. A spirit of loyalty in the clubs develops in the students the best qualities, mental and moral as well as social.

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

The Christian homes all over the land are sources from which our students come. Though no sectarianism is lived or taught, every effort is made to stimulate and strengthen the impulse toward Christian life and service. Regular Bible courses form part of the curriculum, and there is an active Young Women's Christian Association in which the members of the faculty cooperate heartily with the students. The Association and the school jointly employ a trained and experienced secretary, who devotes her entire time to Y. W. C. A. work. The Sunday School conducted by members of the faculty, systematic Bible training and mission study, daily devotional exercises at chapel, and frequent visits by the pastors of the city, are among the agencies by which the school life is made wholesome and inspiring. The spirit of church loyalty is fostered by requiring each student to attend the church of her choice on Sunday morning.

DRESS AND HOUSEHOLD ARTICLES

Extravagance and extremes in dress are firmly discouraged. Every boarding pupil is required to have as the school uniform a plain tailored suit, either of dark blue or of black. This suit may be purchased before coming to

Nashville if a patron so desires. A sample of the shade of blue that is to be used will be furnished on request. As a part of this uniform are to be worn a white waist, dark shoes, and a black hat simply trimmed with black ribbon or velvet, without flowers, feathers, or any color. This suit must be used for street and church and on all public occasions. Afternoon and dinner dresses with approximately high neck and long sleeves are used for evening wear. No uniform is required during the school day, but the clothing worn should be simple and suitable for school use. All boarding pupils are expected to provide themselves with bath robe, bedroom slippers, laundry bag, hot-water bag, umbrella, raincoat, overshoes, thick walking shoes, a comfort, pair of blankets, dresser and washstand scarfs, and one trunk cover. Trunks must be marked with full name and home address. All articles to be sent to the laundry must be clearly marked with the full name of the pupil. An abundant supply of table napkins, towels, sheets, pillowcases, and bedspreads is furnished each student at a charge of ten dollars for the year.

LECTURES AND ENTERTAINMENTS

The presence in Nashville of great universities and professional schools insures the coming of famous lecturers and entertainers. Lectures on a great variety of subjects, free to the student body, are delivered during the year by men and women who are experts on the themes they treat. Artists of international reputation are frequently brought to the city by Ward-Belmont and other organizations. In recent years Ward-Belmont students have heard the following, among other notable people:

WARD-BELMONT

Walter Lawrence, Monsieur Oestre, Dr. Clarence D. Usshar, Dr. William Jay Hudson.


Music—Tetrassini, Melba, Eames, Paderewski, Liebling, Savillie, Ovise Musin, Clarence Eddy, Royal Italian Band, Metropolitan Grand Opera Company in Parsifal, Caló, Kubelik, Leandro Campanari (violinist), Cecil Fanning (baritone), Madame Zimmerman (soprano), Oscar Seagle (baritone), Leopold Kramer, Francis McMillin, Max Bendix, Maud Powell, Arthur Hartmann, Fritz Kreisler, Emil Sauret, Carl Grieseauer, Steindel, Edward Baxter Perry, Leopold Winkler, Sherwood, Gertrude Peppercorn, Burmeister, Josef Hoffman, Mark Hambourg, Bloomfield Zeisler, Percy Grainger, Augusta Cottlow, Harold Bauer, Carrera, Reisenauer, Godowski, de Pachman, George Hamlin, Glenn Hall, Bonci, Blasham, DeReske, Muriel Foster, Homer, Schumann-Heink, Mary Garden, Nordica, Sembrich, Gadski, Alice Neilson, Alma Gluck, Frances Ingram, Christine Miller, Julia Culp, Frederic Morley, Angelo Cortese (baritone), Ricardo Martin, Jomeili, Gerville Reache; the Zollner String Quartette; Tollefsen Trio; the Strauss Trio, Victor Herbert, Russian and Minneapolis Symphonies; the Damrosch Orchestra; the United States Marine Band; the Savage Opera Company, the Aborn Opera Company, the Lombardi Opera Company, the Boston Grand Opera Company, the New York Philharmonic Orchestra, Spiering, Galli-Curci, John McCormack, Josef Bonnet, Rudolph Reuter, Edouard Potjes.

EXCURSIONS

Nashville has an interesting historical and geographical setting. Every year our pupils are given opportunities to visit the historical places of interest in or near Nashville. It has been the custom to take a yearly trip to Washington and to visit en route Lookout Mountain, Natural Bridge, Luray Caverns, Norfolk, Portsmouth, and Virginia Beach. Such a trip was taken in 1917 on the occasion of the presidential inauguration; the party visited all the points mentioned, including New York and Niagara. An Eastern or Southern trip is made during the Christmas holidays, when a sufficient number of pupils apply for it. In the past we have had school parties spend the vacation in Europe.

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MUSIC, ART, AND EXPRESSION

In the education of girls and young women, it is important that a proper balance be maintained between Literary subjects and the Fine Arts. In this way only can a woman be prepared best for her mission in the world. The work of the school in the Liberal Arts is of the highest order, and equal emphasis is placed on Music, Art, and Expression in all their branches. Frequent music recitals of the highest order tend to develop an appreciation for that which is best in this rich field. Students are always made welcome to the Art studios and the kiln, and special exhibitions are given to cultivate a love for the beautiful in color.

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and form. In the School of Expression a weekly class lesson in Poise and Public Speaking is offered to all boarding students without extra charge. Attractive studios and an inspiring environment make the work of these departments a genuine delight. The teachers represent the best culture and training of this country and Europe. They have established an enviable reputation for Ward-Belmont as one of the distinct centers for the training of young women in these subjects so important in the development of aesthetic taste and temperament.

HOME ECONOMICS

The lifting of the home maker's work to its proper place among the sciences is perhaps one of the most significant recent educational reforms. Domestic Science and Domestic Art are now regarded as essential in a well-rounded education for women. Responding to this progressive movement, Ward-Belmont maintains a thorough department for the study of the home and its varied problems. A weekly class demonstration in Domestic Science, or a weekly lesson in Household Decoration, is offered to all boarding students without extra charge. With its comprehensive courses, its attractive and well-equipped laboratories, and with its able corps of teachers, this department of practical worth holds an established place among the most popular activities of the school.

RED CROSS COURSES

Realizing the peculiar situations of this year, the United States Bureau of Education has said in one of its letters: "Classes giving practical instruction in home care of the sick should be organized for all women students, and the most recent knowledge concerning the care of infants and children should be available to them. Special attention should be given to diet requirements for maintenance of health and efficiency; methods of eliminating all waste from the household; and intelligent use of the more abundant foods for those which are either scarce or of better keeping qualities."

In order to meet these unusual needs, Ward-Belmont is offering special courses in First Aid and Home Nursing.

COURSE OF STUDY IN LIBERAL ARTS

Ward-Belmont offers a six-year Classical Course, corresponding to the four years of a preparatory school and the Freshman and Sophomore years of a standard four-year curriculum.
year college. A student who contemplates entering a certain college or university after the completion of the Classical Course should so advise the Dean in advance, that the subjects which she takes in Ward-Belmont may be those required by that institution.

The General Course, of equal length, is provided for the larger number who do not intend to do further college work after graduation from Ward-Belmont. In this course more liberty in choice of subjects is allowed. With certain limitations, Music, Art, Expression, and Home Economics may be included and counted toward graduation.

At the end of the first four years of the course, corresponding to the high school period, students may receive either College Preparatory Certificate or the High School Certificate, provided the proper balance has been maintained by the completion of courses prescribed. The College Preparatory Course is offered for students who expect to complete the Classical Course. Those earning the Certificate for the completion of this course may be admitted without examination to the leading colleges and universities which admit students on certificates. The High School Course is intended for students who plan to complete the Ward-Belmont General Course.

ADVICE ON CHOICE OF SUBJECTS

It is our desire that the courses of study be clearly understood by parents and prospective pupils. Again, it is important that each pupil's course be carefully planned on the basis of work already completed, and that individual tastes and aims be taken into account. To accomplish these ends, correspondence and personal conference with the Dean are cordially invited. Prospective patrons are urged to cooperate with us in working out a course of study in advance of the opening days of the session in order to allow more deliberate consideration of individual needs. Plans so made can be modified, if it seems desirable to a patron, on the opening days of school; but further changes during the year are usually not allowed. Continuity of effort and the greatest advancement can in this way be secured.

COURSES OF STUDY

I. LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES

(Preparatory courses are designated by Roman numerals; College courses by letters.)

ENGLISH

The importance of the department of English in both its branches of Rhetoric and of Literature is duly recognized, and the work carefully and amply provided for by a full corps of college- and university-trained teachers. Throughout the course the utmost stress is placed on writing as training for systematic work, clear thinking, originality, and the habitual and easy use of good English. The aim of the work in Literature is to foster, through a study of masterpieces, a taste for the best that has been written, an admirable means of mental discipline, as well as of liberal culture. The study of English is closely correlated with that of other departments, including History and Languages, in order to give the student broader understanding and to make her school work more generally and permanently valuable. Personal conferences for guidance and for correction in theme work are required in all Rhetoric courses, as are memory work of selected passages and carefully prepared reports of supplementary reading in Literature.

Course I. Literature (once a week).—Study and Reading: Selections from American poetry, with special attention to Poe, Lowell, Bryant, Whittier; Scott's Lady of the Lake; Scott's Ivanhoe or Stevenson's Treasure Island; Franklin's Autobiography or Irving's Sketch Book.

Composition and Grammar (four times a week).—Review of Grammar. Special attention given to letter writing, narration, description, and paragraphing.

Freshman, four hours a week. One point credit.

Course II. Literature (twice a week).—Study and Reading: (1) Addison and Steele's Sir Roger de Coverley Papers; (2) Shakespeare's Merchant of Venice; (3) Coleridge's Ancient Mariner or Macaulay's Lays of Ancient Rome; (4) Eliot's Silas Marner.
Course C. Advanced Course in Writing.—Assignments in the various forms of discourse. The writing of editorials, descriptive sketches, and short stories especially stressed. Daily and weekly themes. Long papers. Open to Senior students who have done good work in English A.

Two hours a week throughout the year.

Course D. Nineteenth Century Poetry.—English poetry from Wordsworth to Meredith with special emphasis on Wordsworth, Tennyson and Browning.

Prerequisite: Courses A and B. Three hours a week. One point credit.

Course E. The English Drama.—Lectures and Library work on development of English drama; specimens from each period studied in class with special emphasis on Shakespeare. Selected modern plays studied as literary expressions of present-day problems.

Open to second year college students who have completed Courses A and B. Three hours a week. One point credit.

Course F. American Literature.—A study of Emerson, Thoreau and Whitman with a comparison of English Nineteenth Century prose.

Prerequisites: Course A and B, or D. Three hours a week. One point credit.

Course M. Types of Modern Literature.—Study of literary expressions of modern life, such as the informal essay, the novel, the short story and poetry. Class discussions, lectures, and occasional themes. Open to college students who have had English III and IV. Not to be substituted for required English courses. Three hours a week. One point credit.

HISTORY

The department of History endeavors not merely to make its courses count for mental discipline, but to secure a thorough understanding of society, a comprehension of the principles on which everyday affairs are conducted and a training in sympathetic judgment. The value of History as a means of interpreting economic and social expenditures is stressed, and the practical worth of the subject is established by its intimate correlation with English, language, art, and current events. Throughout the course, emphasis is placed on historical geography, map drawing, notes, and reports of collateral readings.

Course I. Greek and Roman History.—A survey of ancient history and of later history to 800 A.D. Chief attention is given to the civilization of Greece and Rome, with reference to the permanent contributions these races have made to modern history.

About 500 pages of parallel reading are assigned from such
sources as the Greek and Roman biographers, historians, and dramatists.

Open to Sophomore and Junior students. Required of College Preparatory students. Four hours a week. One point credit.

Course II. History of England.—The political, social, and religious elements in the growth of the English people. England’s advance as a world power and her colonial development. Parallel reading.

Open to Sophomore and Junior students. Four hours a week. One point credit.

Course III. American History and Civics.—A rapid survey of the colonial period, with emphasis upon American ideals and institutions, with a more intensive study of the critical period, the founding of the national government, the Westward Expansion, and the problems and movements of the nineteenth century. The forms and functions of government are studied, with emphasis upon the ideals and defects of to-day.

Open to Sophomore and Junior students. Four hours a week. One point credit.

Course IV. Current Events.—An introductory study of present-day history through periodical literature. The aim is to keep the student informed on important military, political, economic, scientific, and religious affairs of the present, and to develop such intelligent interest as will make reading of this nature a fixed habit.

Open to all students who have had Course I or II. Two hours a week. Half point credit.

Course A. A Survey Course in European History.—Part I: Europe and England from the fall of the Roman Empire through the Reformation Period, emphasizing the Feudal Régime, the Medieval Church, the Renaissance, the Reformation, and the general economic and social conditions. Part II: This part begins with England’s struggle for constitutional government and continues the development of England and Europe to the present, emphasizing the French Revolution, the Industrial Revolution, with its economic and social results, and the Democratic and Nationalistic Movement of the nineteenth century.

Full parallel reading required.

Open to Senior Middle and Senior students. Three hours a week. One point credit.

Course B. English History.—A study of England from the Conquest down to the present time. Development of institutions and social life. Special attention given to the influence of English History on American life and ideas.

Open to Seniors. Three hours a week. One point credit.

HISTORY AND APPRECIATION OF ART

The value of the work in this course is twofold. It is a part of the record of human development, and so a humanitarian and mental discipline subject, as is History.

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proper. It is also a study of the laws underlying artistic effect, and as such has a distinct culture value. Both phases of the subject receive careful consideration. The work is done by means of illustrated lectures, printed outlines, reproductions, stereopticon slides, projectoscope, etc. Extensive reading and individual reports required.

The rise and development of architecture, sculpture, and painting from the earliest periods through the Renaissance will be studied, with emphasis on the Greek and the Renaissance periods.

Open to college students who have had History I or its equivalent. Three hours a week. One point credit.

HISTORY AND APPRECIATION OF MUSIC

This course is one of Musical Appreciation upon a historical basis, dealing with the important epochs and styles in the evolution of Music and its relation to the kindred arts. It aims to enable the student—not necessarily a music pupil—to understand and enjoy the master works of the Classic, Romantic and Modern schools of musical composition through a knowledge of the aesthetic and psychological principles involved in their development. The practical and also highly cultural results accruing from this study are recognized by our leading institutions. The work is given by means of lectures, material from text, collateral reading, outlines and reports on assigned topics. Abundant illustrations are given by means of the Steinway Duo-Art Pianola and the Victrola, while the programs of visiting artists are also studied and analyzed. Text: Mason's Appreciation of Music.

Open to college students. No musical prerequisites. Three hours a week. One point credit.

ECONOMICS AND SOCIOLOGY

The purpose in this department is to teach the fundamental principles of both economic and sociological science in such a way as to develop an intelligent interest in public affairs, to insure some understanding of the laws underlying the welfare and progress of society, and to inculcate the desire to apply these principles to the duties of enlightened citizenship.

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Course A. Introduction to Economics.—This course is designed to lead the student to an investigation of economic principles, to introduce her to the economic problem in the modern state, and to train her to think clearly on economic subjects. It will treat of the conditions determining prices, land values, wages, profits, and standards of living; of certain topics of applied economics, such as the tariff, banking, and trusts; and of problems of labor and industrial organization.

Open regularly to second year College students or to first year College students by special permission. Three hours a week, first semester. Half-point credit.

SOCIOLOGY

Course A. General Sociology.—This course is designed to make the student familiar with the origin, principles, and methods of sociological science, as well as with the social elements, forces, and processes. The aim is to make the course of practical value, and thus emphasis is put upon the application of the principles of Sociology to some of the chief problems of present times, particularly in the United States.

Open regularly to second year College students or to first year College students by special permission. Three hours a week, second semester. Half-point credit.

LATIN

The work of the first four years in this department is designed not only to give the student a thorough knowledge of forms and syntax and the ability to apply this knowledge in accurate reading of the texts assigned, but also to increase the student's vocabulary and insight into words and develop a feeling for the structure and thought of the language. Reference readings illustrate Roman life and Mythology. The courses of the last two years are intended to secure the ends of rapid and accurate reading, an acquaintance with the masterpieces of Roman Literature, and a correct appreciation of the place of Rome in the history of civilization.

Course I.—The Essentials of Latin. Regular first-year work.
Freshman. Four hours a week. One point credit.

Course II.—Cæsar: An equivalent of Books I to IV. Prose composition based on text. Grammar systematically studied in connection with prose.
Sophomore. Four hours a week. One point credit.

Course III.—Cicero: The Cælian Orations, the Manilian Law, Archias. Prose composition based on text and syntax throughout the year.
Junior. Four hours a week. One point credit.
Course IV.—Virgil: Books I to VI. Required reading is assigned in mythology; prose composition; review of Grammar. Junior Middle. Four hours a week. One point credit.


Course B.—Horace: Satires and Epistles; Juvenal; Plautus and Terence: Selected plays. Readings in Roman Literature. Senior. Three hours a week. One point credit.

FRENCH

The value of a good knowledge of French in studying literature and the necessity for it in foreign travel are appreciated, and such knowledge is provided for by the experienced native teachers in this department. Correct pronunciation is insisted upon, and facility in conversation is acquired by constant practice. To this end, French is the language of the classroom, and opportunities are also given for its use in social conversation and at French tables in the dining halls. The courses in French literature are extensive, and are made more practical by the use of dictation, sight reading, and lectures in French on the historical development of the language.

Course I.—Grammar: Verbs; Sym's French Reader; Labiche et Martin's La Poudre Aux Yeux. At least one hundred pages. Open to Freshman, Sophomore, and Junior students. Four hours a week. One point credit.

Course II.—Grammar: Verbs; Dictation; Poetry Memorized; French Composition; the reading of about three hundred pages from texts such as Mérimée's Colomba; Loti's Le Pêcheur d'Islande; Lamartine's Scènes de la Révolution Française; Halévy's L'Abbé Constantin; Daudet's La Petite Chose. Open to Sophomore, Junior, and Junior Middle students. Four hours a week. One point credit.

Course III.—Grammar: Syntax; Verbs; French Composition; Dictation; Themes; the reading of about four hundred and fifty pages from texts such as George Sand's La Mare au Diable; Maupassant's Huit Contes Choisis; Hugo's Quarante-Vingt-Trois; Bornier's La Fille de Roland. Open to Junior and Junior Middle students. Four hours a week. One point credit.

Course A.—Grammar: Written and oral exercises founded on selected texts; dictation and conversation; rapid reading of about five hundred pages of such texts as Mérimée's Colomba, Labiche's Le Voy...
### German

Throughout the carefully graded course in German, use is made of the wealth of German poetry and prose. German is the language of the classroom; by memory work, abstractions, and reproductions, correct pronunciation is established and appreciation and knowledge of the literature increased. The first three courses enable a pupil to meet the maximum requirement for entrance into College; while Courses I and II fulfill the minimum requirement. After first-year work, sight reading is emphasized. Parallel reading is required in Courses III, B, and C.

**Course I.** Grammar: Composition; Drill in Phonetics; reading of at least one hundred pages of easy prose and verse, including the simple stories in Glück Auf; short lyrics memorized.

Open to Freshman, Sophomore, and Junior students. Four hours a week. One point credit.

**Course B.** Grammar completed: Composition; Themes based on texts read; rapid reading of from four to five hundred pages from Scribe and Legouvé’s Bataille de Dames; Maupassant’s Huit Contes Choisis; Coppée’s On Rend L’Argent; Michelet’s La Prise de la Bastille; Trois Comédies de Musset; Bouvet’s French Syntax and Composition; Hugo’s La Chute.

Open to students who have completed Course A or its equivalent.

Three hours a week. One point credit.

**Course C.** Syntax: Composition; Themes based on the texts read; History of French Literature; rapid reading in connection with the different periods studied. Conversation.

Open to students who have completed Course III or Course B.

Three hours a week. One point credit.

**Course D.** History of French Literature of the eighteenth, nineteenth, and twentieth centuries; reading based on authors representative of modern French thought and style; essays in French on topics read; conversation based on phases of modern French life and current thought.

Open to students who have completed Course C. Three hours a week. One point credit. (Given in 1918-1919 if a sufficient number apply.)

### Spanish

To meet the very general and rapidly growing demand for the language and the literature of Spain and of Spanish America as a part of school and college curricula, two courses in Spanish are offered.

**Course I.** A course for beginners. Thorough drill on the fundamental facts of the grammar, with abundant exercises in reading and conversation. The work will be based chiefly upon Hill’s and Ford’s First Spanish Course accompanied by selections of simple reading.

Four hours a week. One point credit.

**Course II.** Grammar: Composition; simple paraphrasing; poems and ballads memorized; sight reading; reading of at least two hundred pages of Spanish from the following texts: Storm, Immensee; Blüthgen, Das Peterle von Nürnberg; Sudermann, Teja; Gerstäcker, Germeishausen.

Open to Sophomore, Junior, and Junior Middle students. Four hours a week. One point credit.

**Course III.** Grammar: Composition; sight reading; writing from dictation; reading of at least three hundred pages of Spanish from the following texts: Storm, Im St. Jürgen; Riehl, Burg Neideck; Eichendorff, Taugenichts; Schiller, Wilhelm Tell or Die Jungfrau von Orleans.

Open to Junior and Junior Middle students. Four hours a week. One point credit.

**Course A.** Grammar: Prose composition; conversation and memorizing of poetry; reading of at least two hundred and fifty pages of German from such texts as: Hauff, Der Zweig Nase; Storm, Immensee; Baumbach, Waldnovellen; Wildenbruch, Das Edle Blut; Hil dern, Höher als die Kirche; easy plays by Benedix, Wilhelmi, or Fulda.

Open to College students who have completed Courses I and II.

Four hours a week. One point college credit or two points preparatory.

**Course B.** Grammar: Prose composition; sight and parallel reading; themes based on text read; reading of about five hundred pages from such texts as: Schiller, Die Jungfrau von Orleans; Hauff, Tales; Heine, Die Harzreise; Jensen, Die Braune Erica; Kienza, Deutsche Gedichte; Scheffel, Eklehart; Sudermann, Der Katzensteg.

Open to College students who have completed Courses A and B.

Three hours a week. One point credit.

**Course C.** Grammar: Prose composition; reading at sight and parallel reading; themes based on text read; at least eight hundred pages from such texts as: Schiller, Wilhelm Tell; Lessing, Minna von Barnhelm and Emilia Galotti; Goethe, Iphigenie auf Tauris; Kleist, Prinz Friedrich von Homburg; Grillparzer, Sappho; Fulda, Der Tatissman; Hauptmann, Die Versunkene Glocke.

Open to College students who have completed Course III or Course B.

Three hours a week. One point credit.
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**Course A.**—Elementary grammar and composition; memorizing of short passages; dictation; frequent exercises in conversation, and the use of Spanish as the language of the classroom as early as practicable; the reading of about two hundred pages from such texts as: An approved reader, select short stories or short plays, Valera, El Pájaro Verde, Alarcón, El Capitán Veneno, Galdós Mariana, and, as an example of Spanish-American fiction, Isaac, María.

Open to students beginning Spanish. Four hours a week. One point college credit or two points preparatory.

**Course B.**—Advanced grammar and composition; letter writing; memorizing; dictation; conversation; the reading of about four hundred pages, including parallel reading from such texts as: Dorado, España Pintoresca; Frontaura, Las Tiendas; Galdós, Dona Perfecta; Caballero, Un Servitio y un Liberalito; Valdés, José; Valera, El Comendador Mendoza; Calderón, La Vida es Sueño; Cervantes, Don Quijote, Selections; and, in Spanish-American literature: Frías, Leyendas Históricas Mexicanas; Mármo, Amalia; Altamirano, La Navidad en las Montañas.

Open to students who have completed Spanish A or its equivalent. Three hours a week. One point credit.

**MATHEMATICS**

The work done in the department of Mathematics is closely correlated with business and the physical sciences. It is the aim also to develop in students the power and habit of concentration, of clear, consecutive independent thinking, and of precise expression. These aims largely determine the courses offered and the method of their presentation. A constant effort is made to render the elective courses so valuable that they will be attractive to the average student.

**Course I.**—Elementary Algebra. Algebra is approached as generalized arithmetic. Much time is spent on introductory ideas. The following topics are treated: Positive and Negative Numbers, Fundamental Operations, Equations (with applications in Practical Problems), Factoring and Fractions.

Freshman. Four hours a week. One point credit.

**Course II.**—(a) First Semester. Algebra. The following topics are treated: Ratio and Proportion, Graphical Representation, Linear Systems, Elementary Treatment of Roots, Radicals and Exponents, Simple Quadratic Equations. Many of the more familiar theorems of Geometry are introduced and made the basis of algebraic problems.

(b) Second Semester. Advanced Arithmetic. Review and study of subjects that pupils in the grammar school have difficulty in mastering. By the free use of Algebra, Arithmetic is made easier and the former subject is reviewed.

Open to Sophomores who have completed Course I. Four hours a week. One point credit.

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**Course III.**—Plane Geometry. The step from the simple geometric discussions in Arithmetic and Algebra to rigorously logical Demonstrative Geometry is not attempted hastily. In the beginning the heuristic method predominates. An introductory course covers the first four weeks. Algebra is used to supplement the Geometry. Many original exercises are solved.

Open to Juniors who have completed Elementary Algebra through simple quadratic equations. Four hours a week. One point credit.

**Course IV.**—(a) First Semester. Advanced Algebra. The topics covered in Elementary Algebra are thoroughly reviewed and amplified. The course also comprises Synthetic Division, Graphical Methods, Progressions, Logarithms, Variation, Binomial Theorem for Positive Integral Exponents, Theory of Quadratics, Complex Numbers, Problems from Arithmetic, Geometry, and the physical sciences are made prominent.

Open to students who have completed Algebra through simple quadratic equations and Plane Geometry.

(b) Second Semester. Solid Geometry. Lines and Planes, Polyhedrons, Cylinders, Cones, and Spheres are treated. Easily constructed models are used in the introductory work. Frequent references to Plane Geometry are made.

Open to Junior Middle or Senior Middle students. If college credit is to be given, supplementary work will be assigned. Four hours a week. One point credit.

**Course A.**—(1) College Algebra. A brief review, followed by a treatment of topics especially helpful in Trigonometry, Analytic Geometry, and the Calculus.

Three hours a week. First Semester. Half-point credit.

(2) Plane Trigonometry. The work consists of Trigonometric Functions and Formula, Theory and Use of Tables, Solution of Right and Oblique Triangles (with applications to Problems of Physics and Surveying), Inverse Functions, Trigonometric Equations. The data for several surveying problems is obtained in the field. With the treatise, tape, etc.

Three hours a week. Second Semester. Half-point credit.

**Course B.**—(1) Analytic Geometry. Graphical Representation of Points and Curves in a Plane, Determination of the Properties and Relations of Plane Curves by a study of their Equations and Graphs. The Straight Line and the Conic Sections are fully investigated. The course includes an introduction to Analytic Geometry of three dimensions. Three hours a week. First Semester. Half-point credit.

(2) Second Semester. Introduction to Differential and Integral Calculus. Differentiation and Integration of Functions, with the usual Geometric and Mechanical Applications.

Prerequisite to (1) and (2), Course A. Three hours a week. Second Semester. Half-point credit.

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In solving the problems of everyday life, a knowledge of the fundamental ideas of Chemistry, Physics, and the Biological Sciences is absolutely essential. In offering these courses here, the aim is to develop the powers of accurate observation by aiding the student to gain firsthand information, to acquaint the student with modern scientific methods and their relation to daily living, and to lay the foundation for further work in these subjects.

CHEMISTRY

Course A.—Elementry Chemistry. Course for beginning students, including a study of the common elements and their important compounds.
Open to Junior and Junior Middle students. Laboratory and Recitation, six hours a week. One point credit.

Course A.—Inorganic Chemistry. In this course a study is made of the laws of Chemistry and their application to general Chemistry. All of the non-metallic and the most important of the metallic elements are studied, with special attention given to their occurrence and their uses in every-day affairs. Laboratory work supplements that done in classroom, and in addition, gives an introduction to qualitative analysis.
Open to College students. Laboratory and Recitation, seven hours a week. One point credit.

Course B.—Organic and Household Chemistry. The Chemistry of Foods, preceded by an introduction to Organic Chemistry.
Prerequisite, Course A. Conducted primarily for Home Economics students.
Laboratory and Recitation, eight hours a week. One point credit.

Course C. Qualitative Analysis.—A systematic course in Qualitative Analysis; identification of the more common elements and acid radicles.
Prerequisite: Course A or its equivalent. Lecture and Laboratory, seven hours a week. One point credit.

PHYSICS

Course I.—An elementary course in Physics, dealing with the laws and properties of matter and covering the subjects of sound, heat, light, electricity, and magnetism.
Open to Junior and Junior Middle students. Laboratory and Recitation, six hours a week. One point credit.

BIOLOGY

Course I.—Zoology. A course in General Zoology, including the study of both simple and more complex forms, with laboratory and field work; introducing the student not only to structure and forms of animal life, but to their habits and relations to their surroundings.

In this course a study is made of the Bible as history and its excellence as literature, but also to emphasize ethical and
religious values and to discover underlying principles of thought and action applicable to the life of to-day.

Course I.—The Life of Jesus.
Study of the land in which Jesus lived, its people and customs, His work and character.
Sources: The gospel narratives, together with information furnished by modern scholarship concerning the history, thought, and customs of His time.
Open to Junior and Junior Middle students. Two hours a week. Half-point credit.

Course A.—General Introduction to Biblical Literature.
Methods of Bible study. Survey of the history of the English Bible. The Bible reviewed as a library containing a great variety of literature.
Study of selected portions of the Old and New Testaments.
Open to College students. Two hours a week. Half-point credit.

Course B.—Old Testament History and Literature.
Study of the political, social, religious, and literary development of the Hebrews, leading up to and including the messages of the prophets.
Open to College students. Three hours a week. One point credit.

Course C.—The Life and Teachings of Jesus.
A comparative study of the Gospels as sources of our knowledge of the life and work of Jesus. Careful consideration of the teachings of Jesus in their bearing on the political, social, and religious conditions of His own day and of the present day.
Open to College students who have had Course B or other introductory Old Testament work. Three hours a week. One point credit.

Course D.—Religious Pedagogy.
Open to College students who have completed or are taking one course in the Biblical Department. Two hours a week. Half-point credit.

ADMISSION TO LITERARY COURSES

Students who have completed the usual grammar-school grades may be admitted without examination to the Freshman Class. Those who present credentials from approved College Preparatory Schools, High Schools, or Colleges may be admitted without examination, on probation, to the classes for which their former work seems to have prepared them.
COURSES LEADING TO THE WARD-BELMONT CLASSICAL AND THE WARD-BELMONT GENERAL DIPLOMAS

PREPARATORY

**CLASSICAL Freshman**
- **Required:**
  - English I
  - Latin I
  - Mathematics I
  - One point elective
- **Electives:**
  - History I
  - Physiography

**CLASSICAL Sophomore**
- **Required:**
  - English II
  - Mathematics II
  - Latin II
  - One point elective
- **Electives:**
  - History I or II
  - French I
  - German I
  - Zoology

**CLASSICAL Junior**
- **Required:**
  - English III
  - Mathematics III
  - Latin III
  - One point elective
- **Electives:**
  - History I or II
  - French
  - German
  - Zoology

**GENERAL Freshman**
- **Required:**
  - English I
  - Mathematics I
  - One Foreign Language
  - One point elective
- **Electives:**
  - History I
  - Physiography

**GENERAL Sophomore**
- **Required:**
  - English II
  - Mathematics II
  - Latin II
  - One point elective
- **Electives:**
  - History I or II
  - French
  - Latin
  - German
  - Zoology

**GENERAL Junior**
- **Required:**
  - English III
  - Mathematics III
  - One Foreign Language
  - One point elective
- **Electives:**
  - History I or II
  - French
  - German
  - Biology A
  - Chemistry A

**CLASSICAL Junior Middle—(First Year)**
- **Required:**
  - English IV
  - Mathematics IV
  - Latin IV
  - One point elective
- **Electives:**
  - History III
  - French
  - German
  - Physics
  - Chemistry I

**GENERAL Junior Middle—(First Year)**
- **Required:**
  - English IV
  - One Foreign Language
  - Two points elective
- **Electives:**
  - Bible I
  - History III
  - Latin
  - French
  - German
  - Mathematics IV
  - Physics
  - Chemistry I
  - Music, Art, Expression, or Home Economics

**GENERAL Junior—(Second Year)**
- **Required:**
  - English D
  - Latin, or French, or German (unless six points have already been earned)
  - Biology A, or Chemistry A (unless one point in Science has been earned in one of the last three years)
  - Electives to aggregate five points

**CLASSICAL Senior—(Second Year)**
- **Required:**
  - English D, E, or F
  - Biology A, or Chemistry A (unless one point in Science has been earned in one of the last three years)
  - Electives to aggregate five points

Note—Students entering above the Sophomore year, who have completed Elementary Algebra through Simple Quadratic Equations, are not required to take the Arithmetic of Course II.

catalogue of the college, with the work done fully designated, must be furnished to the Dean. The credit due, in no case more than four points, will then be determined.
CLASSIFICATION

The number of points of work completed at the beginning of a school year determines the class to which a student belongs. Four completed points, as found in either of the two courses outlined, give Sophomore classification; eight such points, Junior Middle. If a student lacks not more than one of the required number of points, she will be given conditional classification.

For Senior Middle standing, fifteen completed points in one of the courses outlined, including all the required points except one through the Junior Middle year, are necessary. Completion of a regular course of a standard four-year high school will ordinarily meet these conditions. If so, such work will entitle a student to Senior Middle standing in Ward-Belmont.

For entrance to the Senior Class, the attainment of a Ward-Belmont Diploma at the end of the school year must be possible.

SUMMARY OF REQUIREMENTS FOR ACADEMIC DIPLOMAS AND CERTIFICATES

CLASSICAL COURSE

Sixteen Points Preparatory, Ten Points College

Prescribed: Six points English (including Courses A, B, and D), six points Foreign Language (including five points Latin), four points Mathematics (including Course A), one point College Science, one point College History, eight points elective.
Expression C is designed for students interested in advanced creative and interpretative work, methods of teaching, platform art, and pageantry. Diploma pupils will be given advantage of as much of this training as their time and advancement will allow.

Our special catalogue of the School of Expression contains full information.

**FIRST YEAR**

Expression I, English IV, and two electives chosen from those offered in the Junior Middle Year of the General Academic Course.

**SECOND YEAR**

Expression A, English A and B, or M, and electives chosen from those offered in the Senior Middle Year of the General Academic Course to aggregate four points.

**THIRD YEAR**

Expression B, English D, E, or F, and electives chosen from those offered in the Senior Year of the General Academic Course to aggregate four points.

**DESCRIPTION OF COURSES**

**Expression I.—First-Year Work.**

(a) **Principles of Training:** Qualities of voice; reading with reference to good use of the voice and direct expression of the thought; voice and pantomimic problems; harmonic gymnastics; poise and bearing; exercise for freedom of the body from constriction.

(b) **Creative Expression:** Extemporaneous speaking; recitals to develop personality; dramatic rehearsals in farce to develop freedom in thinking; beginnings of literature (story-telling); informal recitals.

Open to students above the Sophomore Class.

**Expression A.—Principles of Training:** Quality of voice; responsiveness, ease, purity, and mellowness; oral English; pantomimic problems; dramatic rehearsal and criticism; harmonic gymnastics; dramatic thinking (Shakespeare); Browning and the monologue.

Open to students who have completed Expression I.

**Expression B.—Principles of Training:** Voice training; resonance; use of voice in conversation and narration; visible speech and articulation; dramatic rehearsals (comedy); development of imagination; rise of the drama; epochs of literature.

**Creative Work:** Impersonations in Browning's monologue and original arrangements from modern literature or drama; vocal interpretation of the Bible; drill on methods; pantomimic problems and rehearsals; modern drama; public presentations of original arrangements.

**Public Speaking:** Training in three-minute speeches on topics of interest.

**Expression C.—Interpretative Expression:** Primary forms of literature, fables, folk stories, allegories, lyrics, old ballads, conversation, and story-telling. One hour a week.

2. **Creative Expression:** Interpretation of forms of poetry or of modern drama. This course is similar in design to Expression C, and is opened to students of the same maturity. One hour a week.

3. **Creative Expression:** A study of dramatic thinking; the forms of the drama; dramatic rehearsals from the sixteenth, eighteenth, nineteenth centuries, and modern plays; impersonations or platform interpretation and a study of the monologue. One hour a week.

4. **Voice Training:** Harmonic gymnastics; practical problems for voice, body, and imagination. This course is designed for public school teachers or for those purposing to become such, for those actively engaged in club work, or in any position where public speaking is necessary. One hour a week.

5. **Pageantry:** Community festivals; correlation with history, music, art, folk dancing, and domestic art; the development of allegorical and historical pageantry. One hour a week.

**III. SCHOOL OF ART**

The creative power, which, in a greater or less degree, is the possession of every human soul, should be recognized and cultivated, and that appreciation developed which is the beginning of all growth of Art. The study of Art involves the training of the eye, mind, and hand, and that exercise of both skill and judgment which makes for power in an individual and creates efficiency, no matter what the calling may be. Thus understood, the study of Art should have a place in every liberal education. The Ward-Belmont studios are in the new Administration and Academic Building, and embrace five large rooms with excellent light.

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STUDIO CLASSES

I. Elementary.—The first steps in the appreciation of form, proportion, and values are taken in this course. The work is done in charcoal from simple still-life studies, which enables the beginner to learn the principles of drawing, the foundation of all art expression.

II. Life Drawing.—The costumed model is used daily in the life drawing class. After becoming familiar with their materials, students are encouraged to begin work in this most interesting branch of Representative Art. The models are posed to help the pupils in the study of both composition and illustrations, and studies are produced in all the different mediums—oil, water color, chalk, pastel, pen and ink, charcoal, and clay. Quick sketching is practiced frequently, and is most beneficial for all students; and for those making a specialty of illustration, it is essential training in character drawing.

III. Costume Design.—The work in Costume Design is planned to give the student a knowledge of the application of the principles of design to clothes. Every woman not only wishes to be but should be appropriately dressed. If she thoroughly understands line, color, and value, she will be able to use what she has to the best advantage. The work in this course is in two parts: (1) the designing of clothes and (2) the preparation of these designs for reproduction in magazines.

IV. Clay Modeling.—Clay modeling is taught by the use of casts and living models. Casts are used as models for the beginner; and as skill is gained, work from the life model is encouraged.

V. Poster Advertising.—One of the most useful branches of modern art is that of Poster Advertising. It embodies not only some knowledge of psychology but also thorough familiarity with design and color. Poster Advertising is closely related to other forms of art expression. At present posters are a widely used medium of communication between the government and the people; at all times poster advertising is essential to business. The student is taught to weigh the value of various ideas and to express the chosen idea in an effective and pleasing manner.

VI. Outdoor Sketching.—The campus offers ample opportunities for outdoor sketching. Application is made of the principles of composition, values, perspective, and color.

VII. Textile Design.—There is an ever-increasing demand in America for good textile designs, and the making of these designs is not only an interesting but a very profitable side of art work. The course includes a study of the various kinds of repeats and their application to silk, cotton, and woolen fabrics.

VIII. Interior Decoration.—The work in interior decoration is designed to meet the needs of those who wish to plan their houses conveniently, decorate them with suitable colors, and select and arrange the furniture artistically and usefully. The principles of mechanical drawing, the theory of color, and periods in furnishing are studied. The pupils work out various problems in the arrangement and decoration of rooms.
IV. SCHOOL OF MUSIC

The Ward-Belmont School of Music possesses the combined virtues of the Belmont School of Music and the Ward Conservatory, both of which had long been the objects of the high praise and the generous patronage of educated musicians both in and out of Nashville. It is more than a complete modern Conservatory of Music; it offers to music students what all of them need—supplementary work in English, Literature, and the Modern Languages. The "mere musician," the talented player or singer who lacks general education, will be to-morrow more than ever before at a disadvantage, and will be regarded as just so much less a musician. The best musical educators are agreed that general mental discipline should not precede, but should continuously accompany, musical studies; and schools of music are seeking what we have already at hand—intimate affiliation with literary classroom work. Under our system, musical study and practice are not allowed to suffer or be crowded out, but the student is shown how she may become both a cultured woman and a thorough musician. Our musical faculty is now probably the largest and most expensively maintained one in any school for girls in America. No teacher is chosen who has not had the best of advantages, most of them in both this country and Europe, teachers who have supplemented graduation from the leading conservatories with years of special study under the recognized masters of two continents. All of them are tested teachers. Pianoforte, Voice, Violin and other stringed instruments, Pipe Organ, Theory, Harmony, Composition, the History and Appreciation of Music, Interpretation, Ear Training, Sight Reading and Chorus, Ensemble and Orchestral Work, Repertoire and Memorizing, and Faculty, Student, and Artist Recitals—all, and more, take their appropriate places and contribute to the creation of a wholesome and inspiring musical atmosphere. Such an atmosphere is possible nowhere except in a large school where musical education is seriously undertaken by a faculty composed of tested professional musical educators. Frequent student recitals are given, as are recitals and lectures by the faculty and other eminent musicians. Pupils may attend the best concerts in the city. Operas are frequently given by excellent com-

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panies, and the world's greatest artists appear in Nashville from time to time. The immediate and convenient value of these advantages at our own door will be the more apparent when it is known that our students may have throughout the season the great musical entertainments, but a very few of which other Southern schools can enjoy, and these only by means of travel and additional expense from the smaller towns into the city. Certificates and diplomas are conferred for finished work in this School.

Eighty new pianos, including eight Steinway Grands and a Steinway Duo-Art Pianola, have been purchased within the last few months.

Boarding students specializing in Music, Art, Expression, or Home Economics are required to take at least one literary course.

The candidate must be able to recognize, by sound, fundamental position of triads and dominant sevenths, and to transpose any succession of triads (not containing a modulation).

Economics are required of all music students in the boarding department.

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Boarding students specializing in Music, Art, Expression, or Home Economics are required to take at least one literary course.

There will be held between February 1 and 15 and between May 1 and 15 examinations on the requirements for Certificate and Diploma. The candidate must in February stand an examination before the faculty on one-half the technic required and one-half the unmemorized repertoire. An examination on the remaining half of the requirements must be taken between May 1 and 15.

Candidates for Certificate and Diploma must appear in public recital at least three times during the session.

A two-thirds vote of the faculty is necessary to decide whether the candidate has met the requirements satisfactorily.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTIFICATE AND DIPLOMA**

**CURRICULUM OF THE SCHOOL OF MUSIC**

**REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTIFICATE AND DIPLOMA**

Pupils desiring to become candidates for Certificate and Diploma must announce themselves through their respective teachers not later than October 20.

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Candidates for Certificate and Diploma must appear in public recital at least three times during the session.

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**REQUIRED COURSE OF STUDY FOR CERTIFICATE IN PIANO**

**Technic.**—Major Scales played with both hands in parallel motion through four octaves (minimum speed, 4 notes to M. M. 112); Thirds, Sixths, and Tenths, and contrary motion (speed, 4 notes to M. M. 100).

**Theory.**—Major Scales: Harmonic and Melodic, played with both hands in parallel motion (speed, 4 notes to M. M. 100).

**Counterpoint.**—Scale of “C,” illustrating varied rhythms and legato, staccato, and portamento touches.

**Chords.**—Major, Minor, Diminished Triads, Dominant and Diminished Sevenths, all with added octaves.

**Arpeggios** in various forms on Major and Minor Triads; Dominant and Diminished Seventh Chords.

**SIGHT READING.**—The candidate for the certificate must have had one year of History of Music, and must have acquired a musical vocabulary embracing the musical terms in common use and their abbreviations.

**Ear Training and Solfege.**—The candidate for the certificate must have had one year in Ear Training and Solfege.

**Sight Reading.**—The candidate for the certificate must be able to play at sight: hymns; either part of a moderately difficult duet (Kuhlau or Diabelli Sonatinas, for instance); accompaniments for moderately difficult songs or violin solos.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR EXAMINATION**

1. **Technic** as stated in paragraphs 1-7, above.

2. **Unmemorized Repertoire.**—One complete Sonata; one movement of a Sonata, to have been prepared without any assistance; two polychoric pieces, one of them a three-part invention; one Cramer study; one Chopin prelude; one selection from Schumann; one Czerny study; one of Mendelssohn's "Songs Without Words."

3. **Memorized Repertoire.**—One movement of a Sonata; one Bach invention; four modern or semi-classical pieces.

4. **Sight Reading.**—Hymns; Clementi and Diabelli Sonatinas; an easy accompaniment for a song.

**REQUIRED COURSE OF STUDY FOR CERTIFICATE IN VOICE**

**Technic.**—Major and Minor Scales; Major and Minor Arpeggios; scales, crescendo and diminuendo; crescendo and diminuendo on single tones; illustrations of legato and staccato singing; scales in triplets.

**Vocal Compositions.**—Studies from Vacci, Sieber, Behnke, Salvatore Marschini, Concone, Lamperti; two operas, two oratorios; ten songs from the Italian, German, French, and English schools.

The candidate must present a clear voice, perfectly even in its scale, free from tremolo or other serious imperfections. The intonation must be pure and accurate, and the breathing must be diaphragmatic.
Sight Reading.—The candidate must be able to sing at sight any part of a given hymn, any song not containing distant modulations; must be able to play hymns and accompaniments to moderately difficult songs on the piano; and must have finished the third grade in Piano.

The requirements for Harmony, History of Music, Ear Training, and Musical Vocabulary are the same as in Piano.

The candidate must have attended the chorus rehearsals for at least one year.

Requirements for Examination
1. Technic as stated above.
2. Unmemorized Repertoire.—Two studies from Vaceai, two from Salvatore Marchesi, two from Concone. Two songs, one selection from an opera and one from an oratorio; eight songs.
3. Memorized Repertoire.—One selection from an opera and one from an oratorio; sight reading.

Required Course of Study for Certificate in Violin
Technic.—1. Major Scales, two and three, and Minor Scales, two octaves (minimum speed, four notes to M.M. 100).
2. Scales Illustrative of legato, spiccato, marcato, staccato, and long-held tones; crescendo and decrecendo.
3. Arpeggios: Grand, two and three octaves; various rhythms and bowings.
5. Violin Compositions.—Six solos (embracing the seven positions) of which one must be a principal movement (first or last) of a Concerto by Rode, Kreutzer, Viotti, de Beriot, or another of equal standard; one complete Sonata by Nardini, Tartini, or other classic composer; four other standard classical pieces or movements from Sonatas or Concertos; ten smaller concert pieces; and selections from Studies by Mazas, Kayer, Kreutzer, and Fiorillo.

Sight Reading.—The candidate must be able to play at sight duets by Pleyel, Viotti, or sonatas of the same grade of difficulty. The candidate must have studied Mazas, Op. 36, Vol. 1 and 2, Dorn (preparatory to Kreutzer), and Kreutzer Studies. The requirements in Harmony, History of Music, and Ear Training are the same as in Piano.

The candidate must have attended orchestra or ensemble practices for at least one session, must be able to play on the piano accompaniments to solos of moderate difficulty, and must have finished the third grade in Piano.

Requirements for Examination
1. Technic as stated above.
2. Unmemorized Repertoire.—One complete Sonata by Nardini, Tartini, or other classic composer; one movement of a Sonata, to be prepared without any assistance; two other standard pieces or movements from Concertos; one Kreutzer Study; one Fiorillo Etude; three smaller pieces of concert grade.

Memorized Repertoire.—One movement of a Sonatina; one principal movement of a Concerto; four modern or semi-classical pieces.

Sight Reading.—Easy duets of Pleyel, Viotti, etc.

Required Course of Study for Certificate in Pipe Organ
Technic.—The requirements in manual technic are the same as in Piano, excepting that the range of Scales and Arpeggios is adapted to the organ and that the minimum speed for special technic is considerably lowered.

Organ Compositions.—Eight shorter preludes and fugues of Bach; two sonatas of either Mendelssohn, Guilmant, Markel, Rheinberger or a modern composer; six selections from Eddy's Church and Concert Organist; ten standard compositions, five of which must be by modern English, French and American composers.

Harmony.—A candidate for the certificate must be thoroughly familiar with the Major and Minor Modes (harmonic and melodic); Intervals; the construction of Triads and Seventh Chords and their inversions; and must be able to harmonize figured basses or given melodies, both in writing and at the keyboard; to modulate between related keys; to recognize, by sound, fundamental positions of Triads and Dominant Sevenths and to transpose any succession of Triads and Dominant Sevenths (not containing distant modulations).

Sight Reading.—The candidate for the certificate must be able to play at sight the following: hymns, arranging and registering them suitably for congregational singing; moderately difficult accompaniments for anthems and solos; short trios for two manuals and pedals; a quartette in vocal score, four staves in G and F clefs. The candidate must also be able to transpose a hymn or chant one tone above or below the original key.

The requirements in History of Music and Ear Training are the same as for Piano.

The student must have an adequate knowledge of the construction of the Pipe Organ, and must have had at least one half year's experience in Church or Chapel service playing.

Requirements for Examination
1. Technic as stated above.
2. Unmemorized Repertoire.—Two preludes and fugues of Bach; one complete Sonata; one movement of a Sonata, to be prepared without assistance or instruction; three standard compositions.
3. Memorized Repertoire.—One standard composition.
4. Sight Reading.—As stated above.

Required Course of Study for Graduation in Piano
Technic.—Major and Minor Scales, with both hands in parallel motion through 4 octaves (speed, 4 notes to M.M. 182); Thirds, Sixths, and Tenths, and contrary motion (speed, 4 notes to M.M. 182).
2. Diatonic and Chromatic Scales in velocity and varied rhythms; also scales illustrative of the legato, staccato, and portamento touch.
3. Chords: Major, Minor and Diminished Triads; Major, Minor, and Diminished Seventh Chords; all with added octaves.
4. Arpeggios on Major, Minor, and Diminished Triads; Dominant, Minor, and Diminished Seventh Chords; in all positions.
5. Double Thirds and Sixths; Major and Minor Scales (each hand alone); Chromatic Minor Thirds.
6. Octaves: Diatonic and Chromatic Scales; Arpeggios of Major and Minor Triads and Chords of the Seventh.

Piano Compositions.—Two complete sonatas, one to be prepared without assistance; one complete concerto; four preludes and fugues from "The Well-Tempered Clavichord"; at least half a Bach partita or suite; eight selections from Chopin; six selections from Schumann; twelve selections from Czerny, Op. 740, or Clementi’s “Gradus ad Parnassum”; eight selections from Moscheles; three selections from Liszt; six selections from modern or semi-classical composers.

Harmony.—The candidate for graduation must be able to recognize at sight and to name all kinds of Triads, all kinds of Chords of Sevenths, Chords of Ninths, and augmented Chords in compositions; to recognize by sound all kinds of Triads and their inversions, the Dominant Seventh and its inversions; to harmonize any melody not containing distant modulations by means of Triads and Dominant Sevenths; to transpose any hymn or any ordinary composition not containing distant modulations.

History of Music.—The candidate for graduation must have had two years of History of Music, and must have acquired a musical vocabulary embracing the musical terms in common use and their abbreviations.

Ear Training.—The candidate for graduation must have had two years in Ear Training and one year in Musical Form and Analysis.

Sight Reading.—The candidate for graduation must be able to play at sight most of Mozart’s Sonatas and the easier ones of Haydn.

Requirements for Examination

1. All Technic as stated above.
2. Unmemorized Repertoire.—One study from Mathilde Marchesi, one from Lamperti, one from Panofka and one selection from “100 Vocalises,” one selection from an opera and one from an oratorio, one aria prepared without assistance, four songs.
3. Memorized Repertoire.—One selection from an opera and one from an oratorio; ten songs.

Required Course of Study for Graduation in Violin

Technic.—Major and Minor Scales; Major and Minor arpeggios at a greater speed than required for certificate; double octaves with a semi-tone crescendo and diminuendo; one phrase of ascending and descending turns; scales in seconds, triplets, and fourths; trills illustrations of staccato and legato singing; chromatic scales.

Vocal compositions, Studies from Mathilde Marchesi, Panofka, Lamperti, “100 Vocalises for All Voices, Selected from Famous Composers,” by Eduard Marso; two operas, two oratorios besides those studied for certificate, fourteen songs from the Italian, German, French, and English schools.

The candidate must present a clear voice, perfectly even in its scale, free from tremolo or other serious imperfections, the intonation must be pure and accurate, and the breathing must be diaphragmatic.

Sight Reading.—The candidate must be able to sing at sight any part of a hymn, any song not containing distant modulations, and be able to play hymns and accompaniments to more advanced songs on the piano.

The candidate for graduation in Voice must have finished the fourth grade in Piano.

The requirements in Harmony, History of Music, Ear Training, and Musical Vocabulary are the same as in Piano.

The candidate must have attended the chorus rehearsals for two years.

Requirements for Examination

1. All Technic as stated above.
2. Unmemorized Repertoire.—One study from Mathilde Marchesi, one from Lamperti, one from Panofka and one selection from “100 Vocalises,” one selection from an opera and one from an oratorio, one aria prepared without assistance, four songs.
3. Memorized Repertoire.—One selection from an opera and one from an oratorio; ten songs.

Required Course of Study for Graduation in Violin

Technic.—Major Scales, two and three octaves, and Minor Scales, two octaves (minimum speed, four notes to M.M. 120); Minor Scales also in three octaves, not necessarily so fast.

Scales illustrative of legato, spiccato, martele, and long-held tones, crescendo and decrescendo.

3. Major Scales in varied rhythms and bowings.

4. Scales, one octave, in Thirds, Sixths, and Octaves.

5. Arpeggios: Grand, two and three octaves; various bowings.

6. Arpeggios on Dominant and Diminished Seventh Chords, two octaves.

7. Sevillé bowing and technical studies.

Violin Compositions.—Two complete Sonatas by Handel, Viotti, Nardini, etc., one to be prepared without assistance; one complete Concerto by Wieniawski, Vieuxtemps, etc.; one complete Bach Sonata; one complete Sonata by Wieniawski, Vieuxtemps, etc.; one complete Bach Sonata; one complete Concerto by Wieniawski, Vieuxtemps, etc.
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Requirements for Examination

1. All Technic as stated above.
2. Unmemorized Repertoire.—One complete Sonata, studied with a teacher; one complete Sonata, studied without assistance; one Bach Sonata; five concert selections by classical and modern composers; selection from studies of Kreutzer, Fiorillo, Rode, and De Beriot.
3. Memorized Repertoire.—One principal movement of a Bach Sonata; one principal movement of a standard Concerto, by Wieniawski, Vieuxtemps, Bruch, etc.; ten concert pieces, representing classical, semi-classical, and modern schools.
4. Sight Reading.—The candidate must be able to play at sight a movement from a Sonata, or duets by Mazas, Viotti, Spohr, etc.

Required Course of Study for Graduation in Pipe Organ

Technic.—The requirements in manual technic are the same as in Piano, excepting that the range of Scales and Arpeggios is adapted to the organ. The minimum speed for pedal technic (Scales and Arpeggios) is considerably lowered.

Organ Compositions.—Two advanced preludes and fugues and two chorales of Bach; two sonatas of either Mendelssohn, Glinka, and Rheinberger, or one sonata and a symphony of Widor; ten standard compositions, five of them by modern English, French and American composers.

Harmony.—The candidate for graduation must be thoroughly familiar with all kinds of chords; be able to harmonize any figured bass or any given melody; to modulate between any given keys in various ways; to improvise preludes and interludes freely or upon a given theme; to transpose any hymn or any ordinary composition not containing distant modulations; to recognize by sound all kinds of Trialed and their inversions, and the Dominant Seventh and its inversions.

Sight Reading.—The candidate must be able to play at sight trios of intermediate grade for two manuals and pedals; short selections of vocal score in four staves in C, G and F clefs; to transpose a short passage in reduced score to any key within a Major Third above or below the original; to make an effective adaptation of piano accompaniment.

The requirements in History of Music and Ear Training are the same as in Piano.

Requirements for Examination

1. Technic as stated above.
2. Unmemorized Repertoire.—Two preludes and fugues of Bach; one complete sonata; one movement of a sonata or equivalent, to be prepared without assistance or instruction; two standard compositions.
3. Memorized Repertoire.—Two standard compositions.
4. Sight Reading as stated above.

Description of Theoretical and Historical Courses

Theory (Musical Essentials)

Course I.—In order to provide fitting instruction in the first essentials of music for beginners, or pupils who have pursued musical instruction but for a short time, a special theory class is organized in which the necessary rudimentary knowledge may be acquired. The pupil is taught the rudiments of music by keyboard and blackboard work, which supplements the music lesson and greatly aids and stimulates progress. A thorough knowledge of the material covered will be found of invaluable aid in many practical ways—stimulating the pupil's progress and furnishing a musical foundation, without which advancement in the acquiring of a musical education is impossible.

Course II.—This course is a continuation of the first course in elementary theory. It is open, however, to more mature music students who have had no previous theory work. The work consists of material from text, music writing, dictation, ear training. The subjects included are Notation, Symbols, Meter, Scales, Intervals, Terms, etc., the aim being to familiarize the pupil with the essentials of musical knowledge.

Two hours a week.

Ear Training and Solfeggio

Discriminative hearing is indispensable to a musical education, and must precede or accompany all lines of music study. The aim of this course is to teach the pupil to think in tones and thus to train the ear and the musical feeling that one may learn to sing, name, and recognize and appreciate not only the melodic effects of music, but the harmonic and rhythmic only the melodic effects of music, but the harmonic and rhythmic
training. Sight singing accompanies the work throughout the year. Beginning with simple intervals and phrases, the solfeggio work progresses by easy stages until difficult passages can be read with facility.

Course I.—Beginning Harmony. This is a first year course in Elementary Harmony in preparation for more advanced study. Beginning with scales, keys, intervals, the triads and their inversions, dominant seventh chords. Exercises in ear training, writing from easy melodies and basses; simple transposition and modulation; keyboard training in which the pupil learns to make practical application of the material studied. Text: Tapper's First Year Harmony. Open to students who have completed Theory.

Two hours a week.

Course A.—Intermediate Harmony. This is a first year course for more advanced students than Course I, and is required of all certificate applicants. Intervals, triads and their inversions; chords of the Dominant and Diminished Seventh, their inversions and resolutions; Cadences, modulations, chord connections in four part harmony in close and dispersed positions. Stress is placed upon the harmonization of melodies. Figured and unfigured basses are also presented. Practical application at keyboard; simple compositions analyzed; original work. Text: Chadwick's Harmony, and references to standard choral literature.

Open to students who have completed Theory and by special permission to any college student well advanced in music.

Three hours a week.

Course B.—Advanced Harmony required of all Diploma Applicants. Secondary and Diminished Seventh Chords; Chords of the Ninth; Chromatically Altered Chords; Augmented Chords; Cadences; Ex tant Modulation; Suspensions; Passing and Changing Notes; Organ Point; Form, Analysis. The work consists of written exercises involving the harmonization of melodies, chorals, figured and unfigured basses; the contrapuntal treatment of a given subject; original work and the analysis of material from the great composers. Text: Foot and Spalding's Modern Harmony. Treatises referred to include those of Chadwick, Norris, Frout, Goetschius, Jadasohn, Reber, Dubois, and others.

Prerequisite, Course A. Two hours a week.

Course C.—Harmonic Analysis. A study of the forms and harmonic material used by the composers of the past and present. The devices employed, principles governing them and the general structural forms are carefully considered, enabling the student to explain the construction of musical composition. Text: Cutter's Harmonic Analysis.

Courses A and B prerequisites. Two hours a week.

Course D.—Counterpoint. The first half of the year is given to strict counterpoint of the different species in two, three and four parts. The second half-year is devoted to free counterpoint with special emphasis upon florid counterpoint in several parts.

Prerequisite, Courses A and B. Two hours a week.

Course E.—Advanced Counterpoint. Double, triple and quadruple counterpoint, and modern treatments of contrapuntal methods. This is designed to develop a technique in smooth part writing and to prepare more fully for the study of composition.

Prerequisites, Courses A, B and D. Two hours a week.

Course F.—Elementary Composition. This consists of original work in the simpler periodic forms of composition, instrumental and vocal, and is in preparation for more advanced study. Compositions of pupils which are of sufficient merit will be performed in public.

Prerequisites, Courses A, B, D, and E. Two hours a week.

Course G.—Canon and Fugue, and the simple and complex forms of instrumental and vocal composition. The work of the pupil is expected to have sufficient merit for public performance. Open only to those who have completed Harmony and Counterpoint and to those who have completed Harmony and Counterpoint.

Two hours a week.

Course I.—This is a general survey of the evolution of music from earliest times to the end of the nineteenth century, with emphasis upon the composers of the classic period, offering invaluable aid to musical understanding and appreciation. Text: Chadwick's Harmony, and references to standard choral literature.

Open to students above the Sophomore year. During the first year a more extended and critical survey of the music by the great masters of the nineteenth century is made, and two hours a week.
the tendencies of present-day musical art are considered at length. During the second half of the year special emphasis is placed upon a more elaborate study of the Opera and the modern schools of composition. In addition to a critical and biographical study, the works of the composers are considered, as regards their methods of construction. Programs of visiting artists are studied, and the subject of musical aesthetics is considered. Illustrations are afforded by means of the Victrola and the Duo-Art Pianola.

Open to students who have completed the first course, and by permission to any advanced music student. Two hours a week.

Course A.—This is a course in Musical Appreciation dealing with the music of the great masters from the time of Bach to the present, based upon a study of form and content. It is designed to enable the general student to understand and enjoy the highest types of musical literature through a knowledge of the aesthetic and psychologic principles involved in their development. Special emphasis is placed upon the composers and periods that affect present-day musical life. The work is given by means of lectures, material from text, collateral reading, reports and digests of assigned topics. The programs of visiting artists are studied. Abundant illustrations are given by means of the Steinway Duo-Art Pianola and the Victrola. Text: Mason's Appreciation of Music.

Open to college students. No prerequisites. Three hours a week.

V. HOME ECONOMICS

The courses in Domestic Science and Domestic Art are designed to give young women such information concerning the management of the home as will enable them to regulate, comprehensively, economically, and artistically, the functions of the home, including cooking, serving, caring for the sick, marketing, menu making, food combinations and values, and to do so with absolute certainty of accurate, successful results.

HOME ECONOMICS CERTIFICATE

The Home Economics Certificate is granted upon the completion of the first two years of the course outlined below. It is intended as a practical course for students who wish to become efficient housekeepers and home makers.

HOME ECONOMICS DIPLOMA

The Home Economics Diploma is granted upon the completion of the full three-year course offered below. It is intended for students who wish to make a more thorough study of Domestic Science, Domestic Art, and kindred subjects.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE CERTIFICATE

The Domestic Science Certificate is granted upon the completion of the first two years of the course outlined below, with Domestic Science B and Chemistry B added, and all Domestic Art omitted.

DOMESTIC ART CERTIFICATE

The Domestic Art Certificate is granted upon the completion of the first two years of the course outlined below, with Domestic Art B and one Senior Middle elective added, and all Domestic Science omitted.

FIRST YEAR

Domestic Science I; Domestic Art I; and the equivalent of three points, chosen from subjects offered in the Junior Middle year of the General Course.

SECOND YEAR

Domestic Science A; Domestic Art A; Chemistry A; Physiology and Hygiene; and one point chosen from subjects offered in the Senior Middle year of the General Course.

THIRD YEAR

Domestic Science B; Domestic Art B; Chemistry B; and the equivalent of one and a half points, chosen from subjects offered in the Senior year of the General Course.

Description of Courses in Domestic Science

(b) Home Administration and Sanitation. The planning, care, furnishing, heating, lighting, ventilating of the home. Drainage, water supply, and disposal of waste from a sanitary standpoint. Laboratory, two double periods a week; lecture, one hour.

Domestic Science A.—Practical and Experimental Work in Cookery of Foods. Planning and serving of properly balanced meals. Study of the costs of foods and marketing, food production and manufacture, home duties, division of income, making budgets, keeping of accounts. Laboratory, four hours a week; lecture, three hours.

Domestic Science B.—1. Dietetics. Study of the proper nourishment of the individual or groups of individuals in health and disease, including a study of the human organism and its needs at each stage of development. Making of dietary standards as influenced by occupation, age, weight, size, income, and various diseased conditions. Preparing meals to meet these conditions.

2. Home Nursing. The correct method of home care of the sick. Care of patient and room, baths and bathing, sickness methods, convalescence, and disinfection, first symptoms of disease, relief in emer-

gency, first aid to the injured, and bandaging. Food in relation to emergency, first aid to the injured, and bandaging. Food in relation to
VI. PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The building of the body, its training for both utility and grace, and its protection from disease and weakness, make the department of Physical Education one of the greatest importance. The gymnasium, the swimming pool, the tennis courts, the basketball, hockey and athletic fields provide ample equipment for conducting this important work. The swimming pool, twenty-three by fifty feet, is constructed of white tile, and equipped in most modern fashion for convenience and sanitation. Physical training is given free of charge to boarding students, and is required of them for at least two periods a week in every year. A physical examination is given each boarding student at the beginning of the session, and a record is kept of the condition of the individual. From this record each student is advised as to when to take exercise, and the kind and amount best suited to her needs. All work is done under expert supervision.

The work of this school includes the various phases of Physical Education. Practical gymnastics, gymnastic games, folk dances and games, and fencing form an important part of the indoor work. The value of aesthetic dance-
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FIRST YEAR

**THEORY**
- Physiology (2)
- Anatomy (2)
- History of Physical Education
- Personal Hygiene and Emergencies (2)
- Principles of Voice Development (1)
- Playground Supervision (2)
- One Senior Middle Elective (3)

**PRACTICE**
- Gymnastics
- Marching, Folk and Aesthetic Dancing
- Elementary Fencing
- Gymnastic and Athletic Games
- Field and Track Athletics
- Swimming
- Horseback Riding

SECOND YEAR

**THEORY**
- Physiology of Exercise, General Hygiene (3)
- Anthropometry, Physical Diagnosis (2)
- Applied Anatomy, Practice Teaching (2)
- Training of Body and Voice (1)
- Psychology (3)
- One Senior Elective (3)

**PRACTICE**
- Gymnastics
- Marching
- National, Character and Interpretative Dancing
- Advanced Fencing
- Gymnastic and Athletic Games
- Track and Field Athletics
- Advanced Swimming

During each year eight periods a week in practical work are required.

BUSINESS AND SECRETARIAL COURSE

Among other results of the present war unusual conditions of great economic significance have arisen. Women are needed in increasing numbers to fill places in industry and commerce, and must depend more upon their own knowledge for the direction of business affairs. Requests have come for an opportunity to secure in Ward-Belmont environment training to fill clerical positions requiring a knowledge of stenography, typewriting, bookkeeping, and business methods, and secretarial positions based on skill in stenography, typewriting, and good English. To meet this need a two year course has been planned, open to High School graduates or in exceptional cases to fourth year High School students. The completion of this course will entitle the students to a certificate.

**First Year.**—Business English, Typewriting, Stenography, Bookkeeping, Business Arithmetic (half year), and one elective which is advised to be French or Spanish.

**Second Year.**—English A and B or M, Commercial Correspondence, Economics and Sociology, Stenography, Dictaphone, Multigraph, and one elective.
POI L TSC OF INTEREST TO PATRONS

Handsome, well-equipped buildings and beautifully planned grounds.
The students enjoy the use of a beautiful and commodious country
club house at Woody Crest, the Ward-Belmont farm.
The residence halls and the academic building entirely separate.
Intelligent watchman constantly on duty.
Steam heat, modern plumbing, city sewerage.
Sterilized, filtered water runs ice-cooled to hygienic drinking foun-
tains on every floor.
Well-equipped Domestic Science laboratory.
Light, airy dining halls, and scientifically equipped kitchen and
baked.
a diet table is maintained for those adjudged by physicians or
the trained nurse as requiring such special care.
Milk, butter, poultry and vegetables largely supplied from Woody
Crest.
Gymnasium, with shower baths and swimming pool, free to all
students.
Roof garden among the recent improvements.
Visitors received in the central parlors, not in residence halls.
Men callers received by written permission from parents addressed
to the school.
Sunday visiting discouraged.
Student social rooms maintained in every dormitory.
Students are not to leave the campus without permission of the
management.
Students not well enough to study or recite must go to the in-
firmary.
City correspondence allowed only on written request from parents.
Taste, economy, and propriety in dress are the subjects of con-
stant care.
Borrowing and lending firmly disconienanced.
The pupil's needs in personal spending money are fully met in
a monthly allowance of ten to fifteen dollars.
Every resident student is expected to provide herself promptly
with song book, Bible and other books for regular school use.
Neatness and order are expected of all students in the care of
their rooms.
Chafing dishes and electrical appliances will not be allowed in the
students' rooms. Rooms are provided for this purpose.
One teacher for every ten resident students.
Classes small enough to guarantee adequate individual attention.

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A tutor is provided at moderate cost for students who need coaching to enable them to keep up with their classes.

Music teachers all conservatory trained under the best masters in America and Europe.

Eighty pianos including eight Steinway Grands and a Steinway Duo Art recently purchased.

The Star Entertainment course offers unusual advantages in lectures, musical recitals, concerts.

Loyal alumnae, enthusiastic student body, excellent school spirit.

Ponies are kept at Woody Crest for the free use of the students when visiting the Ward-Belmont country club house.

Testimonials of character and health must accompany or follow each new pupil's application for admission.

Discipline in Ward-Belmont is simplified by a modified form of Student Government, properly safeguarded by Faculty supervision and cooperation.

Parents or guardians who register students accept all the conditions in this catalogue.

Except when they are in the Nashville homes of near relatives, pupils from a distance are required to board in the school.

A student who is found to be out of sympathy with the spirit and ideals of the school may be asked to withdraw even though she may not have broken any formal rules.

Rooms in the boarding department are assigned in the order of application, and early registration is advised. Every room in the residence halls was taken last year before the opening.

With the exception of a few single rooms, which may be had at extra cost, each bedroom is for two girls, and is furnished with single beds, separate closets, and other usual comforts.

Windows and doors of residence halls fitted with metal weather strips and copper screens, thus protecting against winter cold and summer insect annoyance.

Every provision against fire—regular fire drills, fire escapes, fire extinguishers, fire hose—though there is no fire in the buildings except in kitchens and bakery.

Boarding pupils are not allowed to visit in the city, except with the approval of parents and the school management. Permission is not granted to spend the night in the city, except in the home of near relatives or that of an official of the school.

Ward-Belmont does not lend money to students. Drafts made by students are honored by us only in cases of emergency or upon the written request from parents or guardians.

Student body of 1917-1918 represents the best homes in thirty-six States and Alaskan and Canada, thus affording the broadening educational advantages of a nation-wide acquaintanceship.

Practically every State north of the Ohio from New York to Oregon is represented in Ward-Belmont. Climatic conditions and educational opportunities are such that nearly one-third of our student body now comes from the North.

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Boarding students are under school regulations from the moment of their arrival in Nashville until their departure from the city. Parents should not, without conferring with the school, grant social or other permissions in the city before the student enters or after she leaves school.

A modern infirmary in the main building is maintained under professional supervision, and pupils who are too ill to meet school appointments are cared for here instead of in their bedrooms. A remotely isolated hospital is also maintained on the grounds for use in case of need.

School work missed because of absence of reasonable length, necessitated by the pupil's illness, will be made up, if possible, under the direction of Ward-Belmont teachers, at no extra charge. Work missed for other reasons will be made up under tutors, specially provided, at the pupil's expense.

All permissions of parents or guardians should be written and addressed to the management and are subject to the approval of the management. Even during the visits of parents pupils are still subject to the rules of the school, and must meet all regular classroom or studio appointments.

The school bank, with its system of pass books, deposit slips, checks, and monthly balance reports, not only cares for the spending money of students, but teaches them how to keep a bank account, draw checks, and conduct their own financial affairs. We are not responsible for money or valuables not deposited in our vaults.

Each residence hall is in the charge of a hostess who is always accessible for counsel, and who devotes her entire time to the training of the girls of her household in such questions as proprieties and simplicity in dress, neatness and order in the bedrooms. In a word, these hostesses undertake to perform the office of the refined mother in a Christian home.

Parents and guardians are requested to cooperate with the school in securing good regular attendance. Students should be present the opening day of school and at roll call after the Christmas holidays, and should remain for the last roll call before Christmas and until the student body is dismissed on commencement day. Much educational value attaches to the commencement season, and no student should miss any part of it.

The following thirty-six States and Alaska and Canada were represented during the last year in Ward-Belmont: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin.
CONCERNING CHARGES AND TERMS

In what follows we have named the lowest terms consistent with the accommodation, equipment, and high quality of teaching furnished. We are prepared to prove to the satisfaction of the discriminating that though Ward-Belmont is, in the class to which it belongs, not an expensive school, compared with schools offering similar advantages it will be found to be several hundred dollars less expensive. The charges are for the whole school year, and reductions cannot be made if the student for any reason, except the long illness of the girl herself, is withdrawn during the year. As Ward-Belmont's rooms are much in demand before the opening, and as applicants who would take the rooms for the whole year are often crowded out by previous applicants, it is neither ethically nor legally right for an earlier successful applicant to withdraw and expect the return of fees paid or due. Hence, in accordance with the uniform custom of other reputable schools, pupils are received for the entire session or part of session unexpired at time of entrance. No reduction will be made for absence immediately preceding or following the Christmas vacation or during the first four or last six weeks of the term; nor will reduction be made for absence during other periods, unless the student is absent on account of her own illness and for at least five weeks, when we shall divide equally with the patron the loss for the enforced absence.

Ward-Belmont has no confidential terms, and no one is authorized to negotiate with prospective patrons except upon the figures and terms named in this Catalogue.

EXPENSES AT WARD-BELMONT, NASHVILLE, TENN.

The school year consists of one term, beginning September 25, 1918, and ending June 5, 1919, with a "Christmas vacation of approximately two weeks, and the charges here named are for the whole school year. The year's expenses are payable in two installments, in September and January respectively, as stated below.

An advance registration fee of $25 should be forwarded with the application, which amount will be credited as a prepayment on the school account, but is not subject to return.

Board, room, with bath on hall, tuition in two or more subjects in the Literary Department (including Latin, French, German, Spanish), Physical Training, Athletics, Swimming, weekly class training in Public Speaking, weekly class training in Bookkeeping, weekly class demonstrations in Interior Decoration, use of Library, two girls in a room, each occupant $550 00
Payable $375 on entrance, balance on January 1.

Board, etc., as above, in rooms in suites of two with connecting bath, or in rooms with private bath, two girls in a room, each occupant $650 00
Payable $450 on entrance, balance on January 1.

Single rooms in suites of two with connecting bath, and a few single rooms with private bath not in suites, are available for one occupant each at $750 for board and literary tuition, of which $500 is payable on entrance. A few single rooms with bath on halls are available at $600 and $650.

A few double rooms are available at $500 for each girl for board and literary tuition, of which $350 is payable on entrance.

Students who take work in two or more extras (the equivalent of at least two points—see page 87), and cannot find time in addition for more than the one required Literary subject will be credited with $25 on either of the above-mentioned sums for "board, etc."

Clergymen in active ministerial work are allowed a discount of seventy-five dollars on the regular course and twenty per cent on extras.

Each of the above-named fees for board and tuition includes Physical Training, so necessary to health, and the modern languages—French, German, and Spanish—all of which, in practically all schools, are charged for as "extras." Swimming is also included without extra cost, as are weekly class lessons in Noise and Speaking Voice, weekly class demonstrations in Domestic Science and Interior Decoration, and weekly class lessons in Bookkeeping—Valuable addition to the Ward-Belmont general curriculum. Our
purpose is to reduce the number of "extras" by including
in the curriculum without extra charge subjects usually
required for graduation and many beneficial to all students.
It is thus evident to one considering these features and the
vast additions made to equipment and Faculty during the
last few years that the charge for boarding students is
remarkably reasonable. It is the policy of Ward-Belmont to
include in the regular charge abundant provision for health
in physical culture, every literary requirement for gradua-
tion, and the essentials for a broad culture. The charges
listed below under "Extras" are made for those who wish
to specialize in the subjects named or to supplement their
work along those lines.

THE OTHER FEES REQUIRED

Due on Entrance

*Star Entertainment Course ......................................................... $ 6 00
Infirmary fee, simple medicines and nurse's attention (except
when a special attendant is necessary) ........................................ 4 00
Use of house linen (see page 19) .................................................. 10 00

EXTRAS (IF TAKEN)--CHARGES PER SCHOLASTIC YEAR

Payable three-fifths on entrance, balance on January 1.
Piano, individual lessons, two per week ...................................... $100 00
Piano, individual lessons, two per week, with Mr. Potjes ............. 175 00
Voice, individual lessons, two per week ..................................... 120 00
Voice, individual lessons, two per week, with Signor DeLuca .... 200 00
Use of practice piano, one and one-half hours per day, per year
(each additional hour, $10)....................................................... 15 00
Violin, individual lessons, two per week .................................... 125 00
Pipe Organ, two lessons per week with Mr. Henke .................... 150 00
Practice on practice Organ, one period per day, per session .... 25 00
Practice on large Organ, one period per day, per session .......... 40 00
Orchestrall class, free to violin pupils ....................................... 20 00
Rudimentary Theory .............................................................. 10 00
Theory, Ear Training, or History of Music ................................. 15 00
Harmony, in class, each ......................................................... 25 00
Harmony, individual lessons, two per week ............................ 80 00
Sight Reading, in class ........................................................... 15 00

*In addition to the several really great concerts and lectures which
may be heard in Nashville during the year, Ward-Belmont will present
to its students during the session ten or more entertainments at a
cost of $3,000 to $5,000, embracing some of the best in Music, Art,
Expression, and Literature. This small fee will enable the students
to hear these entertainments at a rate much lower than if they paid
for individual tickets.

Graduation fee ................................................................. 10 00
Certificate fee ............................................................... 5 00

Pupils enter for the entire session or part of session unexpired at
time of entrance. No reduction will be made for time lost during
the first four or last six weeks of the term; nor will reduction be
made for absence during other periods, except in cases of the protracted
illness of the student herself, when the loss will be shared equally
with the patron if the illness has kept the student for five weeks or
more out of the school building.

School bills are due on entrance and on January 1, and are sub-
ject to sight draft after these dates.

For special booklets of the School of Music, Expression, Art or
Home Economics, or for a book of Ward-Belmont Views, address

THE WARD-BELMONT SCHOOL,
Belmont Heights, Nashville, Tenn.
### WARD-BELMONT MATRICULATES 1917-1918

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Hawkins, Ruth Gardner... Texas

GRADUATE IN VOICE
Kirkham, Kathryn... Indiana

GRADUATES IN HOME ECONOMICS
Carlin, Mary Kim... Arkansas
Bourgeois, Sannie... Louisiana
Imhol, Mary... Texas

GRADUATES IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION
Christal, Rose Virginia... California
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Segunda, Lois... Mississippi

FIRST YEAR COLLEGE CERTIFICATE PUPILS
Howlett, Mary L... Michigan
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Norwood, Mildred... Texas

HIGH SCHOOL CERTIFICATE PUPILS
Adams, Mary Lillie... Kentucky
Alexander, Josephine... Mississippi
Boehling, Mae Elizabeth... Ohio
Coffin, Helen_Bernice... Illinois
Coles, Josephine... Tennessee
Edmundson, Julia Ann... Texas
Fish, Edna... Tennessee
Fleming, Minnie Luther... Tennessee
Garnett, Corrine Estelle... Mississippi
Gray, Marion... Indiana
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Hager, Louise Mal... Tennessee
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Bartel, Florence N... Indiana
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VOICE CERTIFICATE PUPILS
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