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## THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE.

Details additional to those already published in Science have been sent out regarding the approaching anniversary meetthe Association. The Rogers of Building of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology will be the headquarters of the Association, and the preliminary meeting of the Council will be held there at noon on Saturday, August 20th. The Copley Square Hotel has been chosen as hotel headquarters. The first general session of the Association will be held at 10 a.m. on Monday, August 22d. The meeting will be called to order by the retiring President, Professor Wolcott Gibbs, who will introduce the President-elect, Professor F. W. Putnam. Addresses of welcome will be made by his Excellency Roger Wolcott, Governor of Massachusetts: His Honor Josiah Quincy, Mayor of Boston, and President James M. Crafts, of the Massa-Institute of Technology, and chusetts President Putnam will reply.

In the afternoon the addresses of the Vice-Presidents of the Association will be made before the Sections as follows:

At half-past two o'clock. Vice-President Whitman, before the Section of Physics: 'On the Perception of Light and Color;' Vice-President Cattell, before the Section of Anthropology: 'The Advance of Psychology;' Vice-President Farlow, before the Section of Botany: 'The Conception of Species as Affected by Recent Investigations on Fungi.'