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THE fifty-second annual meeting of the association, which was held in Washington, D. C., from December 29 to January 3, was noteworthy in many respects as marking the passage to a new order of things in the position and conduct of the association. The total enrollment reached 989, which is second to that of the Boston meeting in 1880, when 997 were enrolled, and to that of the second Philadelphia meeting in 1884, when 1,261 enrollments appear. Of these, however, 303 members of the British Association represent complimentary enrollments. The geographic distribution of the members in attendance was as follows:

District of Columbia, 354; New York, 133; Massachusetts, 82; Pennsylvania, 70; Ohio, 39; Maryland, 38; Illinois, 27; Connecticut, 23; Michigan, 22; New Jersey, 19; Wisconsin, 19; Indiana, 16; Virginia, 14; North Carolina, 13; California, 12;