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FUTURE ANNUAL MEETINGS

The American Association meets annually in convocation week, the dates for the meetings being determined by a rule adopted by the council. When New Year's day falls on Thursday, Friday or Saturday the meeting period is the week (Monday to Saturday, inclusive) in which New Year's day occurs. When New Year's day falls on Sunday the meeting period is the preceding week. And when New Year's day falls on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday the meeting opens on December 27 and continues through January 2. Plans of individuals and societies may thus be made years in advance. It requires just twenty-eight years to complete the cycle of dates and days. Dates and meeting places for the next six annual meetings are shown below.

1927-28 (Nashville): Monday, December 26 to Saturday, December 31, 1927.

1928-29 (New York): Thursday, December 28, 1928, to Wednesday, January 2, 1929.

1929-30 (probably Des Moines): Friday, December 27, 1929, to Thursday, January 2, 1930.

1930-31 (probably Cleveland): Monday, December 29, 1930, to Saturday, January 3, 1931.

1931-32 (probably New Orleans): Monday, December 28, 1931, to Saturday, January 2, 1932.

1932-33 (Chicago): Monday, December 26, to Saturday, December 31, 1932.

SPECIAL NOTES AND NOTICES

(1) This issue of SCIENCE is sent to all members whose dues have been paid for 1926, whether they have regularly received this journal or *The Scientific Monthly*. For those who have not yet paid their dues for 1927, this is the last issue to be sent until payment shall have been made. Annual dues for the current year were due last October 1. The journal has been continued through January to the few who are still in arrears, with the hope that they might find it convenient to pay before the end of the month and with the thought that they would appreciate receiving these reports of the fifth Philadelphia meeting.

(2) The next meeting of the association will be at Nashville, Tenn., from Monday, December 26, to Saturday, December 31, 1927. That will be an especially interesting meeting in many ways. The attendance will probably be relatively small, with relatively few meetings of the associated societies and a consequent degree of freedom from complexity not possible in the case of the larger meetings. Announcements about the Nashville meeting will appear in SCIENCE from time to time, especially in the issue of December 2.

(3) The association needs more members and better support. Members are asked to secure new annual, life and sustaining members, and also donors, who may be willing to make contributions to the general endowment or for special purposes. Annual members are asked to become life members as soon as possible. All members of associated organizations are asked to join the association if they are not already enrolled. Any member of any affiliated organization is now allowed to become a member of the association without paying the usual entrance fee of five dollars. Write to the permanent secretary for more information.

(4) Members of the association each receive with membership a subscription to either SCIENCE or *The Scientific Monthly*. Sample copies may be had on request, from the permanent secretary's office.

(5) Members who take SCIENCE may receive *The Scientific Monthly* by making an additional payment of three dollars a year. Those who take the *Scientific Monthly* may receive SCIENCE by making a like additional payment. In other words, a member may have annual membership and both journals by paying eight dollars per year. This is according to a new arrangement adopted at the fifth Philadelphia meeting.

(6) Any member may receive the *Science News Letter* at the special reduced price of three dollars a year.

(7) The total enrollment of the association was 14,635 on January 10. On that date there were 10,790 paid-up annual members, 3 living sustaining members, 407 living life members and 23 living emeritus members. Altogether, there were 11,223 members in good standing. One hundred and thirty-five new members joined at the Philadelphia meeting.