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Thirty-four scientific societies and the fifteen sec-
tions of the American Association will hold scientific
sessions in New Orleans in convocation week. This
is the second New Orleans meeting, the first being
held in December, 1905.

Tulane University and the Convention Bureau of
the New Orleans Chamber of Commerce have united
in preparations for the meeting this year. These have
been able to secure financial backing in the raising of
local funds to meet such expenses as lanterns and
operators, screens, shutters, blackboards, clerks and
attendants, printing of the general program, rent on
meeting places, and other general expenses of the
local committee. Tulane University will give the gen-
eral reception and furnish certain clerical help. The
city council of New Orleans has graciously appro-
priated funds to pay the rent on the splendid new
Municipal Auditorium so that it will be available for
evening lectures, scientific exhibits and certain joint
sessions and symposia.

Some of the scientific sessions will be held in
the hotels, the Municipal Auditorium and the Tulane
Medical School, which are down-town, but most of
them will be held at Tulane University, which is about
four miles up-town from this group. A short article
giving hotel assignments of societies and some inter-
esting material concerning the host institution, Tulane
University, appeared in SCIENCE for October 23.