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### INTRODUCTION

FROM June 21 to June 26 the one-hundredth meeting of the association was held in Denver, Colorado, the fiftieth meeting also having been held in Denver (in August, 1901). This was not only the centenary meeting of the association, but it was the first joint meeting of the association with the Pacific Division and the Southwestern Division. These divisions provided two splendid evening general sessions open to the public and, together with their twelve cooperating societies, contributed greatly to the success of the meeting. Altogether 28 affiliated societies participated in the scientific programs, at which nearly 600 papers were read.

A committee, of which Dr. James J. Waring was chairman, was in charge of the local arrangements for the meeting. Dr. Waring is a past president of the National Tuberculosis Association. He was assisted by Dr. T. P. Campbell, vice-chairman; Dr. A. C. Nelson, treasurer; Dr. Joyce C. Stearns, secretary; and a number of other persons prominent in educational and civic affairs in Denver. Through the efforts of the local committee it was possible to hold nearly all the sessions in downtown halls, conveniently located to the hotels.

The president of the association, Dr. George D. Birkhoff, was unable to be present at the meeting because of European engagements. He was represented by Dr. Edwin G. Conklin, retiring president.

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