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THE fourteenth annual convention of the Association of American Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Stations was held at New Haven and Middletown, Connecticut, November 13th–15th. Most of the sessions were held in the assembly room of the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale University, where the delegates had the pleasure of meeting President Hadley, who delivered a short address. Professor W. H. Brewer, of the Sheffield Scientific School, and Dr. E. H. Jenkins, of the Connecticut Experiment Station, actively promoted the comfort of the delegates and the business of the convention. The Association went to Connecticut this year especially to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Connecticut State Agricultural Experiment Station. The colleges and stations of all sections of the country were represented.

The report of the Executive Committee pointed out that Congress had recognized the importance of the land-grant colleges to the country in a notable way during the past year by providing that when the proceeds of the sale of public lands were insufficient to meet the annual appropriations for these institutions, the deficiency should be met by direct appropriations from the National Treasury.

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