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## THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE

### THE BOSTON MEETING

PLANS for the Fourth Boston Meeting of the association and associated societies are in a very satisfactory state of progress. The local arrangements are being very efficiently cared for by the local committee, whose chairman is Dr. S. C. Prescott, of the Massachusetts Institute. The secretary of the local committee is Mr. Arthur L. Townsend, also of the Massachusetts Institute. The preliminary announcement for the meeting will be sent, about December 1, to all whose names are on the roll of the association. As has been announced previously, those attending the meeting will have the benefit of special railway rates, a fare and a half for the round trip, on the certificate plan. This privilege is available for almost all of the United States and Canada.

The sessions will be held mainly in the buildings of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in Cambridge. These buildings have a floor-space of over fifteen acres. Each society will be able to have its session rooms near the rooms of the other societies, and still under the same roof.

Boston is well provided with good hotels and transportation facilities are very convenient. The announcement will contain the usual list of hotels, prices, etc. Those wishing to make arrangements for rooms before receiving the preliminary announcement should address the local representative of their society, care of the secretary of the local committee. It is better to address the hotel directly, which can be done immediately after receiving the announcement. The association hotel headquarters will be the Somerset Hotel.

Three general sessions are thus far arranged for the fourth Boston meeting. The opening session will be held on the evening of Tuesday,

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