
THE ATLANTA MEETING.

The host city for the 87th annual convention of the ASSOCIATION, to be held August 20th-26th, is the commercial, industrial and financial dynamo of the Southeast. Its superb transportation facilities supplied by fifteen main lines of eight railroad systems radiating in all directions, by a complete network of paved highways terminating here, and by six major air lines operating in and out of the city as a base, make it one of the nation's pivotal points. Consult your transportation advisers promptly.

Communication facilities are commensurate with Atlanta's position as headquarters of the Southwest. As the third largest telegraph center in the world, as the largest long distance telephone center in the South and with the rank of third city in air mail volume, Atlanta is well equipped to serve its visitors.

It is a city famed for its beautiful homes, splendid retail stores, impressive office buildings, magnificent churches and many educational institutions of national reputation. Its hotels, social and golf clubs are equally well known.

Atlanta abounds in points of interest of which the principal ones are Stone Mountain; the home of Uncle Remus; various relics from the War Between the States; sites where some of the leading engagements of that war took place; the Cyclorama painting of the Battle of Atlanta; and the High Museum of Art.

A number of beautiful homes and educational institutions, the State Capitol, the Municipal Airport and the Federal Penitentiary are places well worth a visit. The State House encloses a Museum of Georgia products.

Atlanta is situated 1,050 feet above sea level, having the highest altitude of any city its size or larger in the United States, Denver excepted, giving it an ideal, equable climate.

Its strategic location, its active type of people, the great agricultural and industrial wealth of the Southeastern territory which the city serves, caused the United States Department of Commerce in its Commercial Survey of the Southeast, to say: "Atlanta is generally recognized as the principal headquarters city of the Southeastern region."

Set aside the week of August 20th NOW and journey to Atlanta.

PAPERS FOR THE ATLANTA MEETING.

The officers of the Sections of the ASSOCIATION will soon request papers for the meeting. It is hoped that the response will be general and that the papers scheduled will be prepared promptly.

In order that the entire membership of the ASSOCIATION may have the Program of the meeting well in advance, it is planned to print the Program, including the titles of papers, in the July issue of the JOURNAL. In order to do so it will be necessary that titles and abstracts of all papers shall be in the hands of the Editor of the JOURNAL early in July. The requirements are that each paper shall be submitted in duplicate and that the abstract shall not exceed 250 words. The abstracts are mimeographed and furnished to the various pharmaceutical publications and others.



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