THE PHILADELPHIA MEETING.

The second general meeting of the American Chemical Society was held at Philadelphia December 30 and 31 as announced.

Eighty chemists were registered at the meeting. The meeting was opened with a short informal address by Prof. H. B. Nason, President of the Society. Prof. G. F. Barker, President of the Society for 1891, presided at the second session, and delivered an inaugural address upon "The Borderland between Physics and Chemistry."*

Twelve papers were read at the meeting. A conference of committees from different chemical organizations was held, and resolutions were adopted recommending the union of all American chemists in one body under the Constitution of the American Chemical Society, with such modifications as may be hereafter agreed upon. A further conference was recommended.

A full report of the Philadelphia meeting will appear in the January number of the Journal.

^{*} This address will be printed in full in the January number.