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INTERNATIONAL MEETING ON MICROBIOLOGY

The Sixth International Congress for Microbiology to be held in Rome, September 6-12, 1953, has just been announced.

The course will be divided into the following sections: General Microbiology (cellular structure, physiology, etc.); Special Microbiology (bacteria, fungi, viruses and rickettsiae, protozoa, transmitting agents, etc.) applied to human, animal and vegetal pathology, and to hygiene, agriculture and industry; Immunology; Classification and nomenclature of micro-organisms. Further information may be secured by writing to: VI Congresso Internazionale di Microbiologia, Istituto d'Igiene "G. Snarelli," Citta Universitaria, Roma (Italia).

PAPERS ON TUBERCULOSIS REQUESTED

The American Trudeau Society, Medical Section of the National Tuberculosis Association, invites the submission of abstracts of scientific papers for presentation at its next annual meeting in Los Angeles, California, May 18 to 22, 1953, at the Hotel Statler.

Full information can be obtained by writing to the Chairman of the Medical Sessions Committee, American Trudeau Society, 1790 Broadway, New York 19, N. Y.

NEW HEART RESEARCH JOURNAL

The American Heart Association has announced a new scientific publication, *Circulation Research*, which will be devoted exclusively to fundamental studies related to the heart and circulation.

The journal will be edited by Dr. Carl J. Wiggers, Professor and Director, Department of Physiology, Western Reserve University School of Medicine, Cleveland, Dr. Robert S. Alexander, Associate Professor of Physiology at the same institution, will be Assistant Editor.

Circulation Research will be issued bimonthly beginning January, 1953.

CORRECTION

On page 330 of DIABETES, Volume 1, Number 4, July-August 1952, the price of Dr. Med. Georg R. Constan's book, "Leitfaden für Zuckerkrankte" (in German), published by Benno Schwabe & Co., Basel, Switzerland, 1951, was given as \$12.50. This should read 12.50 leinen francs.

"Leitfaden für Zuckerkrankte" is not available at Grune

& Stratton, who are the New York representatives of Benno Schwabe & Co., but it may be obtained from Stechert-Hafner, book importers, 31 E. 10th Street, New York City, for \$3.40 plus postage.

OBITUARIES

NORMAN CHARLES OCHSENHIRT, M.D., of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania, a member of the American Diabetes Association since October 1946, died at his home in Pittsburgh last August at the age of 60 years.

Dr. Ochsenhirt was a native of Pittsburgh and obtained his medical degree from the University of Pittsburgh in 1917. After three years at the Mayo Clinic, he received his M. S. in Surgery in 1927 from the University of Minnesota. He served in the Medical Corps of the United States Army from July 1917 to August 1918. He was a surgeon at Suburban General Hospital, at Montefiore Hospital, and Presbyterian Hospital Medical Center, University of Pittsburgh.

His teaching duties included professorships in maxillofacial surgery and general pathology at the Dental School of the University of Pittsburgh. He was a member of the Allegheny County Medical Society, the Pennsylvania State Medical Society, The American Medical Association and The Pittsburgh Surgical Society and was a fellow of both the American College of Surgeons and the International College of Surgeons.

LEO KEMPF CAMPBELL, M.D., Ph.D., of Chicago, who was a member of the American Diabetes Association from 1945 to 1951, died at Presbyterian Hospital, Chicago, on June 13, 1952, of heart disease at the age of 52.

Doctor Campbell received his Ph.D. in Pathology at the University of Chicago where he studied under the pathologist, H. G. Wells. He then completed his medical training at Rush Medical College in 1927, serving an internship at Presbyterian Hospital, and becoming associated in practice with Dr. Rollin T. Woodyatt.

He conducted research in diabetes at the Sprague Institute of Rush Medical College and Presbyterian Medical Hospital and conducted the practice of internal medicine up to the time of his terminal illness last year.

Doctor Campbell was a clinical professor of medicine at Rush Medical College and later at the University of Illinois College of Medicine. He was affiliated with the Presbyterian Hospital and for a short time was one of the directors of the Chicago Diabetes Association. A native of Frankfort, Indiana, Doctor Campbell is survived by his widow, his mother, a sister and two brothers; one, Dr. Paul Campbell, also of Chicago.