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## Fifth Congress International Diabetes Federation July 20-24, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

As previously announced, the Fifth Congress of the International Diabetes Federation will be held at the Royal York Hotel in Toronto July 20-24, under the joint sponsorship of The Canadian Diabetic Association and the University of Toronto. The Congress, the first meeting of the Federation to be held in North America, will be officially opened with addresses by Chancellor F. C. A. Jeanneret, of the University of Toronto, Dr. Howard F. Root, President of the IDF, and Dr. Charles H. Best, Honorary President of the IDF, The Canadian Diabetic Association and the American Diabetes Association.

The Annual Meeting of the American Diabetes Association, which customarily immediately precedes the annual session of the American Medical Association in June, will not be held this year. Instead, the ADA is collaborating with The Canadian Diabetic Association and the Organizing Committee in Canada in planning the program for the Congress, and will limit its other activities to meetings of boards and committees and similar organizational matters at the time of the Congress.

Drs. Rachmiel Levine and Stefan S. Fajans are representing the ADA on the Committee on Scientific Programme and

Publication for the Congress. The late Dr. Frank L. Engel also served as one of the Association's representatives.

Scientists, physicians and laymen are invited to register as members of the Fifth Congress and to attend the meetings. The entire program is arranged so that all concerned with diabetes will find something of interest amongst the various contributed papers, symposia, general program and tours.

Three programs will run concurrently, and each will be open to all registrants. Two scientific programs, one of contributed papers and the other of symposia, will deal mainly with research work and are intended especially for those concerned with the experimental study or treatment of diabetes.

In the general program the morning sessions have been designed to be of special interest to the layman, but there will be much of interest to the physician also. Resumes of the scientific program will be presented on the general program, in order to keep those attending these sessions informed in non-technical language of the nature and the significance of the research work which is being presented. The afternoon program is varied and includes guided tours to the insulin section

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of the Connaught Medical Research Laboratories, and to the Insulin Committee Laboratory, where most of the insulin produced in North America is tested.

A brochure concerning the Congress, together with forms for registration, abstracts, hotel accommodations and social events, has been mailed to all members of the American Diabetes Association.

To assist registrants in planning their activities ahead of time, the Programme of the Fifth Congress and a Book of Abstracts will be mailed to the addresses of those who have registered by April 15. Those who register after this date will receive their Programme and Book of Abstracts upon arrival at the Congress. An extra charge of \$5.00 will be levied on registrations postmarked after April 15, 1964.

Further information concerning the Congress may be obtained from The Executive Secretary, International Diabetes Federation Fifth Congress, 477 Mount Pleasant Road, Toronto 7, Ontario, Canada.

The Preliminary General Programme and Symposium on Scientific Programme follow:

**GENERAL PROGRAMME**

**MONDAY**

Registration

Welcome by the Chancellor of the University of Toronto, and the President of the IDF.

"Evolution of Research Methods in the History of Diabetes"—Dr. C. H. Best

Epochs in the History of Diabetes

Diabetes in 1964

**TUESDAY**

Résumé of Monday's Scientific Programme

Genetics and Eugenics

Prediabetes

Diabetes Detection

Diabetes in the Young—Panel Discussion

**WEDNESDAY**

Résumé of Tuesday's Scientific Programme

Education for Diabetes

Camps for Diabetics

Treatment Centres for Diabetics

Diabetics and Work—Panel Discussion

**THURSDAY**

Résumé of Wednesday's Scientific Programme

Diabetes and Pregnancy

Diverse Actions of Insulin

Diabetes and Diets—Panel Discussion

**FRIDAY**

Résumé of Thursday's Scientific Programme

Variations in Severity of Diabetes

Oral Agents for Treatment of Diabetes

Improvement in Control of Complications

Diabetes and Emergency Planning—Panel Discussion

"Outstanding Unanswered Questions in Experimental Diabetes"—Dr. F. G. Young

"Outstanding Unanswered Questions in Clinical Diabetes"—Dr. R. H. Williams

Official Closing of Congress

**SYMPOSIA ON SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME**

**MONDAY P.M.**

"The Islet Cells"

Dr. B. A. Houssay, Chairman

**TUESDAY A.M.**

"Features of Metabolism Characteristic of Selected Tissues"

Dr. P. A. Bastenie, Chairman

**TUESDAY A.M.**

Panel Discussion (a) Angiopathy and Methods of Diabetic Control

Dr. G. Mohnike, Moderator

Panel Discussion (b) Approaches to Treatment of Retinopathy by Modifying Pituitary Functions

Dr. R. G. Sprague, Moderator

**TUESDAY P.M.**

"Insulin in Blood"

Dr. J. Bornstein, Chairman

**TUESDAY P.M.**

"Angiopathy: Clinical Correlations"

Dr. K. Oberdisse, Chairman

**WEDNESDAY A.M.**

"Hormonal and Other Influences on Metabolic Processes"

Dr. E. Wertheimer, Chairman

**THURSDAY A.M.**

"Pathogenesis of Diabetes Mellitus"

Dr. F. D. W. Lukens, Chairman

**THURSDAY P.M.**

"Genetics and Early Course of Diabetes Mellitus"

Dr. J. W. Conn, Chairman

**FRIDAY A.M.**

"Diabetes in Gestation and Infants of Diabetic Mothers"  
Dr. J. P. Hoet, Chairman

**FRIDAY A.M.**

"Sequelae of Diabetes Other Than Angiopathy"  
Dr. T. S. Danowski, Chairman

**FRIDAY P.M.**

"Outstanding Unanswered Questions Concerning Diabetes"  
Dr. E. Martin, Chairman

**REVISED CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS**

*The Constitution and Bylaws of the American Diabetes Association, Inc.*, as revised and adopted by the Board of Directors at its meeting on June 14, 1963, was sent out to members of the Association in February. The Constitution and Bylaws are fully in operation, except for the provision (Article I, Section 1, Number 3 of the Bylaws) establishing the category of Affiliate Membership, activation of which has been held in abeyance by the Executive Committee until the Committee to Study the Functions and Structure of the American Diabetes Association has submitted its report.

**EXTENSION OF DEADLINE FOR RESEARCH AND ESSAY CONTESTS**

The deadline for receipt of entries in the 1964 Research and Essay Contests sponsored by the American Diabetes Association has been extended from March 15 to May 1. Members of the Association and subscribers to DIABETES are asked to encourage medical students and physicians within five years after completion of medical school and bioscientists who are predoctoral or not more than two years postdoctoral to enter the 1964 Research and Essay Contests. Prizes to be awarded have been increased to \$500 (from \$250) for the Research Contest and to \$250 (from \$100) for the Essay Contest.

**RESEARCH CONTEST:** \$500 prize for the best paper reporting original work, whether laboratory investigation or clinical observation.

**ESSAY CONTEST:** \$250 prize for the best review article or case report.

The prize winners as well as those receiving Honorable Mention are also given a one-year subscription to DIABETES: *The Journal of the American Diabetes Association*.

The papers will be judged on the basis of the value of the material and manner of presentation. Any subject relating to diabetes and basic metabolic problems may be selected.

Papers entered in the Contests should not have been published previously. Appropriate manuscripts will be considered for publication in DIABETES.

Manuscripts should be submitted in triplicate (original and two copies), typewritten and double-spaced. A letter of transmittal should accompany the manuscript specifying the Contest being entered, and addressed to: Committee on Scientific Awards, American Diabetes Association, Inc., 1 East 45th Street, New York, N.Y. 10017.

**ADA FORECAST FEATURE ON TYPES OF INSULIN**

Laurentius O. Underdahl, M.D., Secretary of the American Diabetes Association, is the author of "Types of Insulin," which appears in the November-December 1963 issue of ADA FORECAST. The article includes a discussion of the different kinds of insulin available today, and their uses. Copies of the November-December issue are available at 35¢ each, or six for \$2.00.

An article by Dr. Underdahl concerning U40 and U80 insulin is planned for publication in a future issue of FORECAST.

**COMMITTEE OF STATE COORDINATORS**

Addison B. Scoville, Jr., M.D., Nashville, Tennessee, has been appointed Chairman of the Committee of State Coordinators for the current organizational year. Carlisle Morse, M.D., Louisville, Kentucky, and Eleanor A. Waskow, M.D., Phoenix, Arizona, are Vice Chairmen.

A list of Committees of the American Diabetes Association for the organizational year 1963-64 was published in the November-December 1963 issue of the Journal, at which time it was indicated that the names of the Committee of State Coordinators would appear in the current issue. They are:

<i>State</i>	<i>Coordinator</i>
Alabama	Samuel Eichold
Arizona	Eleanor A. Waskow
Arkansas	Hal Dildy
California	Mervyn U. Schwartz
Northern & Nevada	Roy F. Perkins
Southern	W. Bernard Yegge
Colorado	Barnett Greenhouse
Connecticut	Lewis B. Flinn
Delaware	Maurice Protas
District of Columbia	Joseph J. Lowenthal
Florida	L. Harvey Hamff
Georgia	Winfred Y. Lee
Hawaii	Glenn Q. Voyles
Idaho	
Illinois	James B. Hurd
Northern	Thomas D. Masters
Southern	William R. Kirtley
Indiana	Edward J. Hertko
Iowa	Benjamin M. Matassarini
Kansas	Carlisle Morse
Kentucky	Sol B. Stern, Jr.
Louisiana	Elton R. Blaisdell
Maine	Abraham A. Silver
Maryland	Robert F. Bradley
Massachusetts	Laurence F. Segar
Michigan	Frederick C. Goetz
Minnesota	Harold K. Roberts
Missouri	F. Hughes Crago
Montana	Morris Margolin
Nebraska	See Northern California
Nevada	Jackson W. Wright
New Hampshire	Everett O. Bauman
New Jersey	

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Western	Joseph L. Izzo
North Carolina	William M. Nicholson
North Dakota	Donald M. Barnard
Ohio	Harvey C. Knowles, Jr.
Oklahoma	Robert C. Lawson
Oregon	Wm. Richey Miller
Pennsylvania	
Eastern	Frederick G. Helwig
Western	L. Lewis Pennock
Rhode Island	Louis I. Kramer
South Carolina	Robert Wilson
South Dakota	Nathaniel R. Whitney, Jr.
Tennessee	Addison B. Scoville, Jr.
Texas	Hugo T. Engelhardt
Utah	William H. Bennion
Vermont	George W. Welsh, III
Virginia	William R. Jordan
Washington	Howard M. Hackedorn
West Virginia	Richard N. O'Dell
Wisconsin	Bruno J. Peters

ADA HAS NO LIBRARY FACILITIES

At intervals the National Office is asked to compile bibliographies and furnish other material from the Journal and other Association publications, and non-Association sources. These requests are made by physicians, both member and non-member, and by medical students and members of ancillary professions.

Unfortunately, the National Office has no library, and insufficient staff to handle such requests. Consequently the Office is unable to perform library services, or carry out bibliographical researches.

It may be helpful to call attention to the fact that the American Medical Association has a Library Reference Service, with a staff of twenty-one expert librarians and research specialists. This staff is available, as explained in *The Journal of the American Medical Association*<sup>1</sup> "to conduct literature searches, compile bibliographies, loan books, and make photostatic copies of articles . . . without charge." This service, limited to members of the American Medical Association, makes available to them the resources of a comprehensive medical library and literature research staff.

While the American Diabetes Association would like to perform library services of this nature, for its members and for readers of the Journal, it regrets that limited resources make it impossible for it to do so.

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The Index for Volume 12, 1963, of DIABETES is scheduled to be mailed about the middle of March, and should reach everyone in the United States and Canada by the end of that month. All members and subscribers to the Journal receive the Index without charge.

<sup>1</sup>*The Journal of the American Medical Association* 184:2, advertising page 14, April 13, 1963.

For the first time, the Index will include title and author references to all papers presented at the Scientific Sessions of the Annual Meeting, as well as those read by title, both of which were published by Abstract in the printed Program and subsequently in the July-August issue of DIABETES. All such entries in the Index will be indicated by the letter "A" preceding the page number. This designation refers to the page number on which the Abstract appears in the Journal.

NEW MEMBERS

The following were elected as of Dec. 1, 1963, and Jan. 1, 1964:

	Active
<i>California</i>	
Akre, Philip R.	La Jolla
Grotsky, Gerold M.	San Francisco
Mondz, Norman	Panorama City
Reaven, Gerald M.	Palo Alto
Romig, Richard A.	Fullerton
Vogel, John M.	San Francisco
<i>Colorado</i>	
Birenboim, Harold L.	Denver
<i>Florida</i>	
Bird, Edward D.	Gainesville
<i>Indiana</i>	
McArthur, Lloyd G.	Indianapolis
Wright, Peter H.	Indianapolis
<i>Maryland</i>	
Bradley, Albert B.	Baltimore
<i>Massachusetts</i>	
Hubbell, John P., Jr.	Boston
Kreisberg, Robert A.	Boston
<i>New Jersey</i>	
Shine, Kenneth I.	Trenton
Tabachnick, Irving I. A.	Bloomfield
<i>New York</i>	
Battaglia, Peter S.	Niagara Falls
Grimaldi, Richard D.	New York
Mahler, Richard J.	New York
Matz, Robert	New York
Rogers, George W.	New York
Spritz, Norton	New York
<i>Ohio</i>	
Wexler, Bernard C.	Cincinnati
<i>Pennsylvania</i>	
Levin, Herman W.	Philadelphia
<i>Texas</i>	
Kern, Lee R.	Austin
	Other Countries
<i>Canada</i>	
Ashworth, Murray A.	Toronto
Szabo, Andrew J.	Montreal
<i>Germany</i>	
Sauer, Heinrich	Hamburg

*Mexico*

Serrano, Pedro A.

Mexico, D.F.

*Switzerland*

Humbel, Rene E.

Zurich

## NEWS OF AFFILIATE ASSOCIATIONS

The COLORADO DIABETES ASSOCIATION will present an Institute on Diabetes Mellitus at the Aspen Meadows, Aspen, Colorado, from Thursday, February 27, through Sunday, March 1, 1964. Registration will be on Wednesday, February 26, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

The guest faculty will consist of Henry T. Ricketts, M.D., Professor of Medicine, University of Chicago; Stefan S. Fajans, M.D., Professor of Internal Medicine, University of Michigan; George F. Cahill, Jr., M.D., Director, Metabolic Unit, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, Boston; and Holbrooke S. Seltzer, M.D., Chief, Endocrinology Section, Veterans Hospital, Dallas.

The Institute will be in two parts running concurrently. Each will have daily breakfasts and lectures from 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., and lectures from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. One part will be devoted to a review of the practical aspects of diabetes for the practitioner, while the other will cover late advances in pathology, physiology and methodology. Colorado physicians with special interest in diabetes will assist in the lectures and panel discussions.

A detailed program will be sent to all registrants and to others on request. Correspondence may be addressed to Robert F. Berris, M.D., President, Colorado Diabetes Association, 1375 Delaware, Denver 2, Colorado.

The DIABETES ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA sponsored its Second Annual Lay Society Conference on February 8 at which Charles H. Best, M.D., of Toronto, was guest speaker. He spoke on "Frontiers of Investigation in the Field of Diabetes."

The NEW YORK DIABETES ASSOCIATION (Clinical Society) held an open meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 29, 1964, on "Pituitary Ablation in the Management of Diabetic Retinopathy—A Critical Evaluation" at the New York Academy of Medicine, New York City. John Bookman, M.D., was Chairman of the Program Committee. Kermit Pines, M.D., is Chairman of the Clinical Society.

Participants in the meeting and the titles of their papers were Harold Rifkin, M.D., Clinical Professor of Medicine, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, "Selection of the Patient for Hypophysectomy"; Ira Eliasoph, M.D., Assistant Attending Ophthalmic Surgeon, Mount Sinai Hospital, "Varieties of Retinopathy"; Russell Patterson, Jr., M.D., Assistant Professor of Surgery (Neurosurgery), Cornell University Medical School, "The Neurosurgical Approach to Therapy"; Harry Perlberg, M.D., United States Public Health Service, Special Fellow in Radiotherapy, Mount Sinai Hospital, "Types of Radiation Therapy Employed"; and Donald Holub, M.D., Associate in Medicine, Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, "Postoperative and Long-term Management of the Patient."

The New York Affiliate has announced a Prize Essay Contest in the field of diabetes open to house staff members, residents, or fellows of hospitals in the metropolitan area of the City of New York. A \$100.00 prize will be awarded for the best paper on original work in the field of diabetes mellitus. Five copies of the paper should be submitted by April 1, 1964, to the Prize Award Committee, 104 East 40th Street, New York, N.Y. 10017. The prize-winning paper and other selected papers will be presented at the Spring Open Meeting of the Clinical Society, at the New York Academy of Medicine, Room 440, 2 East 103rd Street, New York, N.Y.

At a recent election, Max Ellenberg, M.D., was elected President of the New York Diabetes Association. Also elected were Leon M. Levitt, M.D., President-Elect; Gerald J. Friedman, M.D., Vice President; Mr. L. S. Plath, Secretary; and Mr. Joseph A. Broadman, Treasurer.

## NEWS NOTES

### ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN DIETETIC ASSOCIATION

The American Dietetic Association will hold its 47th Annual Meeting in Portland, Oregon, July 27-31. The Portland Hilton will serve as the headquarters hotel, and the Memorial Coliseum will be the location for sessions and exhibits.

The 1965 Annual Meeting will take place in Cleveland, October 19-22.

### SOUTH AFRICAN SYMPOSIUM ON DIABETES

The *South African Medical Journal* devoted its Nov. 30, 1963, issue to a symposium on diabetes, which includes papers about Asian and African diabetics from Durban, Johannesburg, Southern Rhodesia and Cape Town. While individual papers are not available, reprints of the entire issue may be obtained from The Head Office of the Diabetic Clinic of the University of Natal, The Beatrice Street Clinic, Durban, Natal, South Africa.

### ADA MEMBERS PARTICIPATE IN POSTGRADUATE COURSES

"Newer Concepts in Internal Medicine," Postgraduate Course No. 9 of the American College of Physicians, was held in New Orleans January 27-31. The Course was given by Tulane University School of Medicine and Louisiana State University School of Medicine. Members of the American Diabetes Association who took part were GRACE M. GOLDSMITH, M.D., and THEODORE F. TREUTING, M.D., both of New Orleans. Dr. Treuting was Co-Director, presided at a session on cardiology on January 27, and at the January 31 session. Dr. Goldsmith presented "Therapy of Abnormal Lipid Profile" and "Folic Acid and Vitamin B-12 Deficiency in Macrocytic Anemias."

Postgraduate Course No. 10, entitled "Hypertension and