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ADA SILVER ANNIVERSARY MEETING JUNE 19-20

As previously announced, the Twenty-fifth Annual Meeting of the American Diabetes Association will be held at the Hotel Roosevelt in New York City on Saturday and Sunday, June 19-20, immediately prior to the annual session of the American Medical Association, June 20-24.

Pertinent information about the Meeting, together with a hotel reservation card, was mailed to Members of the Association in November. *Those who plan to attend the Meeting and desire to stay at the Hotel Roosevelt should complete the card and send it directly to the hotel as soon as possible.* In the event that there is a shortage of rooms, assignment will be made by the hotel in the order in which reservations are received.

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Saturday, June 19, and Sunday, June 20, are the dates for the Scientific Sessions. The titles of papers to be presented, those to be read by title, and other pertinent information, will be published in this Journal. The Program, as a separate publication, including abstracts of all papers, will be sent in advance to the Members. In addition, the abstracts will be published in the issue of DIABETES immediately following the meeting.

Solomon A. Berson, M.D., will present the Banting Memorial Lecture on Saturday, June 19, and will receive the Banting Medal. Dr. Berson is Chief, Radioisotope Service, Veterans Administration Hospital, Bronx, New York.

OTHER MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

- A special program is being planned for the Banquet on Saturday, June 19, to commemorate the Twenty-fifth Anniversary of the American Diabetes Association.
- The Banting Memorial Award will be presented to Randall G. Sprague, Ph.D., M.D., Rochester, Minnesota. Dr. Sprague is Professor of Medicine, Mayo Foundation, University of Minnesota Graduate School; and Consulting Physician, Mayo Clinic.
- The Banting Medal will be presented to I. Arthur Mirsky, M.D., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Dr. Mirsky is Professor and Chairman, Department of Clinical Science, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine.
- The 1965 Lilly Award will be presented to George F. Cahill, Jr., M.D., Boston, Massachusetts, for the contribution he has made to our understanding of the role of adipose tissue in normal metabolism and in insulin insufficiency. Dr. Cahill is Director of the Elliott P. Joslin Research Laboratory, and Assistant Professor of Medicine, Department of Medicine, Harvard Medical School.

APRIL 15 DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES IN RESEARCH AND ESSAY CONTESTS

Deadline for receipt of entries in the 1965 Research and Essay Contests sponsored by the American Diabetes Association is April 15. 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 Contests. Prizes to be awarded are as follows:

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 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*.

The deadline for receipt of entries is April 15, 1965.

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., 18 East 48th Street, New York, New York 10017.

FUTURE MEETINGS

Information concerning the Fourth Research Symposium and the Thirteenth Postgraduate Course sponsored by the American Diabetes Association will be announced in coming issues of this Journal.

ADA FORECAST FEATURES ARTICLE ON EMPLOYMENT

"Job Guidelines for People with Diabetes," by the Committee on Employment of the American Diabetes Association, appears in the January-February issue of *ADA FORECAST*. The article discusses some common employment practices that affect people with diabetes, and the attitude the diabetic should take toward job hunting. It also offers some ideas on how to look for a job and how to keep one.

Copies of the January-February issue are available at 35¢ each, or six for \$2.00.

NEWS OF AFFILIATE ASSOCIATIONS

The *DIABETES ASSOCIATION OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA* (Clinical Society) held its first meeting of the year on January 19. Louis K. Alpert, M.D., spoke on the subject "Insulin Resistance."

The *NEW YORK DIABETES ASSOCIATION* has announced a series of postgraduate lectures to be given on five Tuesdays in April-May making use of radio facilities contributed by the Department of Postgraduate Medicine, Albany Medical College. The programs will be broadcast over Radio Station WRVR-FM (106.7 mc) from 8:00 a.m. to 8:50 a.m. The last twenty minutes of each program will be devoted to questions from listeners who may telephone the station at RI 9-5400. Two-way radio facilities also will be available in the auditoriums of certain cooperating hospitals.

The schedule of dates, subjects, and speakers follows:

April 6: "Management of the Juvenile and Adult Patient with Diabetes Mellitus." Abraham H. Kantrow, M.D.; William S. Norton, II, M.D.; and Charles Weller, M.D.

April 13: "The Diagnosis of Diabetes Mellitus." Gerald J. Friedman, M.D.; and Felix A. Silverstone, M.D.

April 20: "Diabetic Acidosis." Norman Deane, M.D.; and Kermit L. Pines, M.D.

April 27: "Current and Future Trends in Diabetes Mellitus." Rachmiel Levine, M.D.

May 4: "Complications of Diabetes Mellitus." Max Ellenberg, M.D.; and Harold Rifkin, M.D.

Stanley S. Bergen, Jr., M.D., and Lewis C. Park, M.D., are Co-chairmen of the Professional Education Committee of the Clinical Society of the New York Affiliate, which arranged the program with the assistance of the Public Health Service of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

The *NIAGARA FALLS DIABETES ASSOCIATION* (Clinical Society) had Rachmiel Levine, M.D., as its guest speaker on January 25 at the Treadway Inn. In the morning, Dr. Levine spoke at a clinical conference at Memorial Hospital on "The Problems of Etiology of Diabetes Mellitus."

NEWS NOTES

MEMBERS PARTICIPATE IN AMERICAN COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS POSTGRADUATE COURSE

SAMUEL P. ASPER, M.D., and THADDEUS E. PROUT, M.D., both of Baltimore, will be members of the faculty for Postgraduate Course No. 12 of the American College of Physicians. The Course, entitled "Nuclear Medicine for the Internist," will be presented April 5-9 at The Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore. Drs. Asper and Prout will participate in a panel discussion of patients with diagnostic problems involving the thyroid. Dr. Prout will also present "Treatment of Hyperthyroidism."

NECROLOGY

MORRIS A. RACK, McKeesport, Pennsylvania, born November 12, 1910.

MORRIS J. ROBIN, Brooklyn, New York, born September 21, 1909.