

Fifth Postgraduate Course, as well as a comparison with the four previous Courses:

|   | 1957       | 1956       | 1955<br>Phila- | 1954       | 1953       |
|---|------------|------------|----------------|------------|------------|
|   | Columbus   | Dallas     | delphia        | Rochester  | Toronto    |
| Members   | 83         | 82         | 135            | 83         | 93         |
| Membership pending                              | 55         | 52         | 23             | 24         | 23         |
| Nonmembers                                      | 57         | 47         | 18             | 17         | 61         |
| <b>Total</b>                                    | <b>195</b> | <b>181</b> | <b>176</b>     | <b>124</b> | <b>177</b> |
| Part-time registrants                           | 1          |            | 2              |            |            |
| Graduate students                               |            |            | 1              | *          | *          |
| Fellows   |            | 2          | 3              | *          | *          |
| Residents                                       | 16         | 10         | 10             | *          | *          |
| Interns   | 8          | 4          | 5              | *          | *          |
| Medical students                                | 13         | 61         | 11             | *          | *          |
| Councilors and Faculty                          | 34         | 48         | 41             | 35         | 35         |
| Guests  | 12         | 4          | 6              |            | 2          |
| Others  | 25         |            |                |            |            |
| <b>Total</b>                                    | <b>109</b> | <b>129</b> | <b>79</b>      | <b>35</b>  | <b>37</b>  |
| <b>Grand Total</b>                              | <b>304</b> | <b>310</b> | <b>255</b>     | <b>159</b> | <b>214</b> |
| Additional Data                                 |            |            |                |            |            |
| Cancellations                                   | 12         | 12         | 15             | 25         | 5          |
| Applications rejected due to limited facilities |            |            |                | 47         | 92         |
| Attendance at banquet                           | 200        | 324        | 246            | 208        | 236        |

\*Graduate Students, Fellows, Residents, Interns and Medical Students were not formally registered in 1954 and 1953.

### THIRD CONGRESS, INTERNATIONAL DIABETES FEDERATION

The Third Congress of the International Diabetes Federation will be held in Düsseldorf, Germany, July 21-25, 1958. The First Congress met in Leyden, The Netherlands, in 1952, and the Second Congress at Cambridge England, in 1955.

Professor Dr. K. Oberdisse, Düsseldorf, has been designated Chairman and Priv. Doz. Dr. K. Jahnke, Düsseldorf, Organizing Secretary, of the Congress. An Advisory Committee, Third Congress, International Diabetes Federation of the American Diabetes Association, has been appointed. Its members are: Howard F. Root, M.D., Chairman, Frank N. Allan, M.D., Garfield G. Duncan, M.D., Francis D. W. Lukens, M.D., and Franklin B. Peck, Sr., M.D. Dr. Root is a Vice President of the International Diabetes Federation and a Past President of the American Diabetes Association. Franklin B. Peck, Sr., M.D., Secretary of the Association, has been named official Medical Delegate to the Congress. Mr. J. Richard

Connelly, Executive Director, will serve as Lay Delegate. Additional information about the Congress will be published in future issues of this Journal.

### RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS AWARDED

The Committee on Research and Fellowships of the American Diabetes Association announces the award of three Research Fellowships for the 1957-58 academic year (July 1, 1957-June 30, 1958). Recipients include Wilson Randolph Tucker, M.D., Cincinnati, Ohio, Jefferson Earle White, Jr., M.D., Atlanta, Georgia, and Albert I. Winegrad, M.D., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Dr. Tucker will study the experimental production of vascular lesions in the retina by administration of corticotropin or adrenal steroids, and the possible role of hyperlipemia in the genesis of such lesions. He will work with Chester Coggeshall, M.D., Chief, 1st Medical Service, St. Luke's Hospital, and Edwin F. Hirsch, M.D., Professor Emeritus of Pathology, University of Chicago.

Dr. White will work with Eugene A. Stead, Jr., M.D., Department of Medicine, Duke University School of Medicine, Durham, North Carolina. He will study the rate of utilization of ketone bodies (ketolysis) in the rat in varying states of endocrine and metabolic imbalance.

Dr. Winegrad will study the effect of various hexoses on unesterified fatty acids in plasma and in adipose tissue, in normals and in diabetics. He will work with Francis D. W. Lukens, M.D., The George S. Cox Medical Research Institute, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

The Committee on Research and Fellowships plans to award at least one Fellowship for the academic year 1958-59. The deadline for applications is Nov. 15, 1957. Requests for application forms and other inquiries should be addressed to Mr. J. Richard Connelly, Executive Director, who will forward the information to the Committee.

### 1958 LILLY AWARD

The second annual Lilly Award will be given at the Eighteenth Annual Meeting, June 21-22, 1958, in San Francisco. The following stipulations govern the contest for the award, which is supported by Eli Lilly and Company and consists of \$1,000 and a medal.

*Purpose:* To recognize demonstrated research in the field of diabetes, taking into consideration independence of thought and originality.

*Eligibility:* Any investigator in an appropriate field of work closely related to diabetes who is less than forty