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

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 years of age on January 1 of the year in which the award is made. The research will not necessarily be judged in comparison to the work of more mature and experienced workers. The candidate should be a resident of the United States or Canada.

Nominations: Nominations for the award will be solicited from the members of the American Diabetes Association. Such nominations will be requested by repeated notices to be published in DIABETES. Names of nominees will be sent to the Chairman of the Committee on Scientific Awards and must be received before January I of the year of the award. The nomination should be accompanied by full information concerning the nominee's personality, training and research work. Six copies of each item should be submitted. No member may send in more than one nomination. A list of the nominee's publications, if any, and six copies of the publication or manuscript for which the award is to be given should also accompany the nomination. At the discretion of the Committee on Scientific Awards, the award may be given for work published during the year prior to January 1 of the same year of the award. The nominee should be actively engaged at that time in the line of research for which the award is to be made.

Announcement: The name of the winner will be announced in the program of the Annual Meeting of the Association, and the award presented at that meeting. The winner, subject to the approval of the Committee on Scientific Programs, will be invited to present a paper on the subject of his work. Papers considered for the award must be submitted with the idea that they will be published in whole or in part in DIABETES if found acceptable to the Editor and/or Editorial Board. If the Committee should decide that no outstanding work has been presented for this consideration, the award will not be made.

Award: In addition to the monetary award and the medal, traveling expenses will be given to make it pos-

NOVEMBER 15 RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP DEADLINE

ORGANIZATION SECTION

The Committee on Research and Fellowships of the American Diabetes Association plans to award at least one Fellowship for the 1958-59 academic year (July 1, 1958—June 30, 1959). 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.

1957-58 MEDICAL STUDENT-INTERN **ESSAY CONTEST**

The sixth Medical Student-Intern Essay Contest, sponsored by the American Diabetes Association, is open to medical students, interns and physicians within two years after their graduation from medical school. Any subject relating to diabetes and basic metabolic problems may be selected.

An award of \$250 is offered to the author or authors of the best paper reporting original work, whether laboratory investigation or clinical observation. This prize is again made possible through the kindness of the St. Louis Diabetes Association.

An award of \$50 will be given for the best review article or case report.

Papers will be judged on the basis of value of the material and method of presentation.

Members of the American Diabetes Association and subscribers to DIABETES are requested to encourage medical students and interns to enter the contest. Entrants should submit the original and two copies of their manuscript. The manuscript should be typewritten and double-spaced, and mailed by April 1, 1958 to: Committee on Scientific Awards, American Diabetes Association, Inc., 1 East 45th St., New York 17, N. Y.

DIABETES WEEK, NOVEMBER 17-23

Diabetes Week will be observed November 17-23 this year. More than 900 County and State Medical Societies which are participating through Committees on Diabetes, as well as 41 Affiliate Diabetes Associations, are already receiving material for this year's campaign. All members and subscribers to DIABETES are urged to participate in the Association's public education and detection program in their respective communities. The Diabetes Week poster is reproduced on page A-11 of this issue of the Journal.