

ORGANIZATION SECTION

Contest sponsored by the American Diabetes Association. Any subject relating to diabetes and basic metabolic problems may be selected.

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

The author or authors of the best review article or case report will be awarded a prize of \$50.

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.

IDF HOLDS THIRD CONGRESS

As previously announced, members of the American Diabetes Association and its Affiliates may be able to fly by chartered plane at reduced rates to attend the next Congress of the International Diabetes Federation at Düsseldorf, Germany. Requests for passage on the chartered plane must be received not later than Feb. 1. The Congress will be held July 21-25, 1958.

Howard F. Root, M.D., Vice President of IDF, requests those interested to address inquiries and reservations to the Manning Travel Bureau, Hotel Kenmore, Commonwealth Avenue, Boston 15, Massachusetts. Additional information and application forms were sent November 21 to members of the American Diabetes Association.

DIABETES ABSTRACTS

A limited number of back issues of DIABETES ABSTRACTS are available upon request to the American Diabetes Association, 1 East 45th St., New York 17, N.Y. These issues include: Volume 5, Number 4 (October 1946), which contains the five-year cumulative index for Volumes 1-5; Volume 10, Number 1 (January 1951); and Volume 4, Number 3 (July 1945).

ADA IDENTIFICATION CARD

An identification card for diabetics, issued by the American Diabetes Association, is available. As announced previously, this card was developed by the Committee on Information for Diabetics, bears the official seal of the Association, and will fit the average

pocket or purse wallet. The price is \$.10 each in quantities of one through nine and \$.05 each in quantities of ten or more, both prices including handling and shipping.

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NOW AVAILABLE

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