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### ELECT OFFICERS AND COUNCILORS FOR 1959-60 ORGANIZATIONAL YEAR

The Nineteenth Annual Meeting of the American Diabetes Association was held in Atlantic City June 6-7, 1959. At the Business Session on June 7, Francis D. W. Lukens, M.D., Philadelphia, was elected President for this organizational year to succeed Alexander Marble, M.D., Boston. Franklin B. Peck, Sr., M.D., Indianapolis, was elected First Vice President; Blair Holcomb, M.D., Portland, Oregon, Second Vice President; E. Paul Sheridan, M.D., Denver, Secretary; and Thomas P. Sharkey, M.D., Dayton, Treasurer. Drs. Lukens and Peck served in 1958-59 as First Vice President and Second Vice President respectively, while Drs. Sheridan and Sharkey served in the positions to which they were re-elected. All the officers will serve through the Twentieth Annual Meeting of the Association which will be held in Miami Beach, Florida, June 11-12, 1960, at the Hotel Deauville.

At this Business Session, Louis K. Alpert, M.D., Washington, D.C.; Jerome W. Conn, M.D., Ann Arbor; Edwin W. Gates, M.D., Niagara Falls; Harvey C. Knowles, Jr., M.D., Cincinnati; Arnold Lazarow, M.D., Minneapolis; and Laurentius O. Underdahl, M.D., Rochester, Minnesota, were elected to the Council for a three-year term expiring in 1962.

At the annual sessions of the Board of State Governors and the Assembly of Delegates, Joseph L. Izzo, M.D., Rochester, New York, and Maurice Protas, M.D., Washington, D.C., were

elected Chairman of each group respectively. Drs. Izzo and Protas therefore will serve as ex officio members of the Council.

### 19th ANNUAL MEETING REGISTRATION FIGURES

Attendance at the Nineteenth Annual Meeting approached the all-time high established at the Seventeenth Annual Meeting held in New York in 1957. Near-record registration is revealed by the following figures:

	Association Members	Guest Physicians	Other Guests	Total
1959 Atlantic City	404	254	54	712
1958 San Francisco	267	165	27	459
1957 New York	493	182	43	718
1956 Chicago	406	130	29	565
1955 Atlantic City	408	137	35	580
1954 San Francisco	199	99	16	314
1953 New York	438	198	7	643
1952 Chicago	325	102	5	432
1951 Atlantic City	342	125	10	477
1950 San Francisco	162	83	6	251

Detailed information concerning the Banquet of the Nineteenth Annual Meeting and reports presented at the Business Session will be published in the Sept.-Oct. issue of DIABETES.