



PHYLLIS GRANT, M.D.



J. WILLIAM ALLGOOD

Alpha Omega Alpha Scholastic Medical Society, of which he is President of the Medical College of South Carolina chapter; Student American Medical Association; Honor Council of Medical College of South Carolina. Fellowships include: Lederle Research Fellowship with Dr. Curtis Worthington, Department of Anatomy, Medical College of South Carolina (1958); National Institutes of Health Research Fellowships with Drs. John and Maria Buse, Department of Medicine, Medical College of South Carolina (1959-60). He has published "Initiation of Blanch-blush Cycles in the Mouse Uterus by Cholinergic Drugs." His present plans are to proceed to an internship and residency training in internal medicine.

"The Role of Potassium in the Therapy of Diabetic Acidosis," is the title of Dr. Grant's paper which was selected as the best in the category of review article or case report. Dr. Grant was born in New Jersey, and took her premedical work at Douglass College, New Brunswick, New Jersey, where she was graduated in 1956 with a B.A. degree. She attended Kansas University School of Medicine and received her M.D. degree in June 1960. Dr. Grant has worked in the Department of Physiology of Kansas University, and has externed at New England Hospital in Boston. She is at present interning at Wesley Hospital in Wichita. Her plans are to specialize in pediatrics.

Dr. Williamson, whose paper "Electron Microscopy of Glycogenic Changes in Beta Cells in Experimental Diabetes," won him honorable mention, was born in Enid, Oklahoma, in 1931. He received his B.A. degree from Phillips University in 1954 and his M.D. (cum laude), from Washington University in 1958. He has held the following positions: Co-Chief Resident in Pathology, Barnes Hospital; Assistant in Pathology, Washington University School of Medicine; National Cancer Institute Trainee; Trainee (N.C.I.) in Experimental Pathology; Assistant Resident in Pathology, Barnes Hospital; and Intern in Pathology, Barnes Hospital. Dr. Williamson is married and the father of two children.

Dr. Lawrence, whose paper entitled "Studies in Reproductive Physiology in the Alloxan Diabetic Female Rat: The Endocrine Basis for Impairment of Reproductive Function in Diabetes Mellitus," won honorable mention, received her B.A. from Barnard College (Columbia University) in 1952, and did graduate study at Stanford University until 1953 and at the University Laboratories of Physiology, University of Oxford, until 1954. She received a degree of Ph.D. at the Depart-

ment of Anatomy, University of California at Berkeley, on studies in endocrinology. She is at present a rotating intern at the University of Chicago Clinics. She received her M.D. degree at the University of California School of Medicine in San Francisco this year. It is her intention to undertake residency training in internal medicine at the conclusion of her internship. She is married to a member of the faculty at the University of Chicago, and has a son born this April.

Dr. Hanauer, who with Dr. Batson wrote the paper entitled "Anaphylactic Shock Following Insulin Injection: Case Report and Review of the Literature," which received honorable mention, was born in New York City in 1935. He received his A.B. degree from Cornell University in 1956, and was graduated from Cornell Medical College in 1960. He is married and interning at Beth Israel Hospital in Boston.

Dr. Batson was graduated from Vanderbilt University Medical College in 1958, after completing his academic education at Vanderbilt University. He interned and was medical resident at The New York Hospital and is at the present time at Vanderbilt Hospital in Nashville completing his residency. He is married and the father of two young sons.

1960-61 GRADUATE AND MEDICAL STUDENT-INTERN ESSAY CONTESTS

Members of the American Diabetes Association and subscribers to DIABETES are asked to encourage medical students, interns, and physicians within two years after their graduation from medical school, and graduate students in the basic sciences to enter the ninth Graduate and Medical Student-Intern Essay Contests.

\$250 Prize—for the best paper reporting original work, whether laboratory investigation or clinical observation.

\$100 Prize—for the best review article or case report.

The prize-winners as well as those receiving honorable mention also are given a one-year's subscription to DIABETES: *The Journal of the American Diabetes Association*.

The papers will be judged on the basis of the value of the material and method of presentation. Any subject relating to diabetes and basic metabolic problems may be selected.

Papers entered in the Contest should not have been previously published. Appropriate manuscripts will be considered for publication in DIABETES.

Contestants should submit the original and two copies of their papers. Typewritten and double-spaced, all manuscripts should be mailed with a letter of transmittal by March 15, 1961, to: Committee on Scientific Awards, American Diabetes Association, Inc., 1 East 45th Street, New York 17, N. Y.

21ST ANNUAL MEETING

As previously announced, the Twenty-first Annual Meeting of the American Diabetes Association will be held in New York City, June 24-25, 1961, at the Commodore Hotel, prior to the annual session of the American Medical Association.

Physicians and other scientists who would like to present papers at the Scientific Sessions are invited to submit abstracts to Jerome W. Conn, M.D., Chairman of the Committee on Scientific Programs. Seven copies of the abstracts, which are requested in order to expedite review by the Committee, should be sent as soon as possible, but not later than March 1, 1961, to Dr. Conn in care of the national office.