

would appreciate information on other international congresses to be held in 1930. We wish to have the date of the meeting and the address of the executive officer, preferably the American representative.

The committee can not undertake to make arrangements for obtaining passage on steamers nor for other details concerning travel. Those proposing to attend any of these congresses would do well to obtain reservations for passage at an early date, as the meetings are mostly held during the peak of the summer ocean travel. Prospective travelers may procure reservations from the steamship companies or their agents or they may procure them through one of the many travel agencies.

The committee hopes to issue a more detailed statement next autumn.

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SYMPOSIUM ON PHYSIOLOGY AND BIOCHEMISTRY

TAKING advantage of the meeting in Boston of the International Physiological Congress, the University of Minnesota, through its medical school and the Mayo Foundation, will conduct a program in physiology and biochemistry between July 15 and August 15, 1929. The following foreign scholars will be present:

Professor M. von Frey, professor of physiology and director of the Physiological Institute, Würzburg, Germany. His work on the physiology of the special senses is internationally recognized.

Professor Otto Meyerhof, of the Kaiser-Wilhelm Institute for Biology, Berlin, Germany. Dr. Meyerhof is noted in the field of general physiology and received (in company with Hill, of London) the Nobel Prize for his work on muscle.

Professor T. Thunberg, of the University of Lund, Sweden, investigator of vital oxidation phenomena, artificial respiration and metabolism.

Professor G. Anrep, lecturer in physiology, Cambridge, England. Dr. Anrep was associated with Professor Pavlov in Petrograd for several years and will lecture on conditioned reflexes.

Professor E. Laquer, director of the pharmacotherapeutic laboratory of the University of Amsterdam, Holland. His researches have been on sex hormones and related problems.

Professor Waldschmidt-Leitz, German Technical High School, Prague, Czecho-Slovakia. Until recently he was an associate of Professor Willstätter, in Munich, and his field is enzyme chemistry.

Each guest scientist will deliver several lectures in English on subjects of his choice and in the field of his special research. Each will conduct one or more weekly seminars and have an office where he will be

available for consultation. The detailed program will be issued later. No fees will be charged. Credit for attendance by graduate students of this or other universities will be in the discretion of their advisers. Staff members and students of medical schools, physicians, psychologists, biologists, chemists and all others are invited. Board and lodging at moderate rates will be available. Recreational facilities are abundant in Minneapolis and vicinity. Correspondence should be addressed to The Dean, Medical School, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn.

ELECTIONS TO THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

At the meeting of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences held in Boston, May 8, the annual election of fellows and of foreign honorary members was announced.

The fellows elected in class I, mathematics, the physical sciences and engineering are:

J. A. Beattie, assistant professor of physico-chemical research, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

C. J. Davisson, the Bell Telephone Laboratories, New York.

A. C. Hardy, associate professor of optics and photography, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Marston Morse, associate professor of mathematics, Harvard University.

W. S. Sims, Rear-Admiral U. S. N. (retired). In command of U. S. naval forces in European waters during the World War.

J. L. Walsh, assistant professor of mathematics, Harvard University.

A. E. Wells, professor of metallurgy, Harvard University.

Fellows in class II, the geological and biological sciences and medicine:

J. B. Ayer, clinical professor of neurology, Harvard University.

Kirk Bryan, assistant professor of physiography, Harvard University.

L. R. Cleveland, assistant professor of protozoology (tropical medicine), Harvard University.

Hallowell Davis, assistant professor of physiology and chairman of the board of tutors in the division of biology, Harvard University.

J. H. Faull, professor of forest pathology, Harvard University.

Joseph Grinnell, professor of zoology and director of the museum of vertebrate zoology, University of California.

Leigh Hoadley, assistant professor of zoology, Harvard University.

E. A. Locke, clinical professor of medicine, Harvard University.

E. H. Wilson, keeper of the Arnold Arboretum, Harvard University.