

XXIII INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF PHYSIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Professor G. Kato, Chairman of the Organizing Committee for the 23rd International Congress of Physiological Sciences, has announced plans for the Congress to be held in Tokyo, Japan, September 1-9, 1965. About 2,500 active members and 1,000 associate members are expected to attend the Congress.

The registration fee has been set at \$25.00 for an active member and \$12.50 for an associate member. Active members of the Congress are entitled to take part in the scientific sessions and to present a free communication. Associate members include wives and other family members of active members.

The participants in the scientific sessions are at liberty to read their papers in any language they wish, however the use of English is strongly urged. In any event abstracts must be submitted in English.

Immediately following the Congress the following tours are available to members at reasonable costs.

- A. Kyoto and Nara (ancient capitals of Japan)
- B. Beppu (Spa) via Inland Sea and Aso (an active volcano in Kyushu) with a short visit to Kyoto and Osaka en route.
- C. Hokkaido
- D. Hakone and the five lakes surrounding Mt. Fuji.
- E. Ise Shrine and Shima (well-known for cultured pearls, as well as for the world-famous Ama, diving women).

A circular describing the Congress and a preliminary application card have been distributed to all APS members. Additional copies are available from the APS Central Office, 9650 Wisconsin Ave., Washington, D.C.

CHARTER FLIGHT TO TOKYO

A charter flight is being organized to attend the International Congress of Physiology in Tokyo in September 1965. All members of the American and Canadian Physiological Societies who may be interested in joining such a flight are invited to communicate with Dr. Olivier Heroux, National Research Council, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

The aim of the organizer is to get enough people to be able to get transportation to Tokyo at about half-price with a one or two-day stop-over in Honolulu and three or four weeks in Japan. Arrangements will also be made to have the Japanese Government sponsor tours for American and Canadian physiologists to visit national industries which would be of direct interest to physiologists such as the silk industry, pearl industry, etc.