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Has great strength of character and possesses outstanding qualities of leadership. In close races has never been known to have questioned the decision of the judges.

ADOLPH KIEFER - Lake Shore A.C., Chicago, Swimmers

Member of the 1936 Olympic team and Olympic champion in the 100 meters backstroke. Regarded as the greatest backstroke swimmer of all time. National indoor and outdoor backstroke champion since 1935. Holder of two world and twelve American swimming records. Won Illinois Athletic Club 2 1-2 mile river swim in 1937.

Is a true gentleman and sportsman and a potential leader in any field.

Has always conducted himself in such manner as to reflect great credit on American athletes both at home and abroad.

Refused to enter the medley swim at the National A.A.U. outdoor championships last summer because only a short time before he had won the 2 1-2 mile river swim and he felt that it would humiliate the other swimmers if he should defeat them in the medley event. He was regarded as a sure winner and this gracious act stamps him as a true sportsman.

DONALD LASH - University of Indiana, Distance runner

Member of the 1936 Olympic team and best combination distance runner from one to five miles that America has ever known. Holds the world's record for two miles and has been a member of three world's record relay teams. Won national A.A.U. cross country championship four times.

Modest and unassuming and works in an ideal manner with his coaches and teammates. Possesses great courage, character and sportsmanship and has upheld the amateur code at all times.

Inspiration to high school boys all over the country.

Is an excellent leader and a fine moral influence to his associates.

Unselfish and self sacrificing for the good of his teammates. At Randall's Island in the 5000 meter Olympic tryouts after leading the race dropped back to lend encouragement to a teammate in order to help him to place in the event and make the Olympic team. He was successful but almost lost the race in making this fine gesture to a teammate.

ANGELO LUISETTI - Stanford University, Basketball Player

Captain of the Stanford University basketball team for 1937-38. Pacific Coast authorities have proclaimed him to be the greatest basketball player of all time. He was selected on several all-American teams. In three years, including his freshman year, he scored 1131 points and is now in a position to eclipse the all time four year scoring record.

He is a born leader and a vital inspiration to his teammates.

He received as great acclaim as any athlete on the Pacific Coast yet his poise has not been affected. He is extremely modest.

Is held with highest respect by his fellow students and is a leader in the student body.

Exemplifies in a phenomenal way the qualities of sportsmanship, excellence of performance, strength of character, force and personality.

Has in no way used his athletic success for exploitation.

Is a capable all-around athlete as well as a basketball player.