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The Sullivan Memorial Committee of the A.A.U. has made a careful analysis of the reasons which accompanied the nominations submitted by members of the Tribunal and has made its choice of the ten athletes considered most worthy.

The ten, and the summary of reasons for their selection, are submitted on the enclosed sheets. After carefully considering all names submitted and the reasons for their selection, will you please name in order of preference the three you consider most entitled to the award. First choice will be given five votes, second choice three votes, and third choice one vote. The man or woman receiving most votes will be awarded the trophy. A postal card for your convenience is enclosed.

In one or two instances in past years friends of candidates addressed appeals in their behalf to some of the members of the Tribunal. Undoubtedly the candidates in whose interest the appeal was sent, would have objected to such a procedure had he known of it. It is not in accord with the spirit of the award. We place before you all of the available facts about all candidates. It is a fair and unbiased presentation and sufficient to enable all members of the Tribunal to decide on the candidate they feel most worthy to receive the award.

All votes must be returned by December 28, 1937.

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