

but one will have to be held before May 1930, at which time the Congress of the International Olympic Committee will be held to decide upon the program for the 1932 Olympic Games. In compliance with your request, I am enclosing herewith the list of organizations holding membership in the American Olympic Association together with their addresses. I duly received the copies of the Athletic Journal which contained the highly interesting article on the international growth of basket ball. Please accept my thanks for same."

Among the sixty-six organizations holding membership in the American Olympic Association are

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We circularized these many members seeking their support for basket ball, fully realizing that some of these organizations holding membership were desirous of seeing their sport listed among the Olympic Games competition.

On September 9, 1929, Mr. Brundage wrote as follows:

"This will acknowledge your letter of September 6th relative to adding basket ball to the Olympic program. As it happens, Mr. J. Sigfrid Edstrom, president of the International Amateur Athletic Federation, which is the body controlling track and field sports throughout the world, and also a member of the International Olympic Committee, is in America at the present time, and I had a talk with him just last week when he was in Chicago. In the discussion, I brought up the matter of adding basket ball to the Olympic program. The general feeling is, as I think I stated before, to cut down the program rather than

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