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**2. Meeting of the
International Olympic Committee**

MAY 1926.

The International Olympic Committee will meet at Lisbon from May 2nd to May 7th 1926.

The opening meeting will be held on Monday, May 2nd at 3 p.m. (Hotel de Ville). The meetings will take place every day at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

AGENDA:

1. Communications from the President.
2. Consideration of the wishes expressed at Prague by the International Federations.
3. Alterations in the Statutes.
4. Election of the Executive Committee.
5. Consideration of the wishes of the Prague Conference in regard to the Chamonix Games.
6. A proposal by the International Gymnastic Association.
Only one federation for each sport.
MM. Cazalet and Nerman will be heard on Thursday, May 5th at 10 a. m.
7. Rules for Olympic Congresses.
Colonel Thompson and M. Paul Rousseau will be heard on Thursday, May 5th at 10 a. m.
8. Consideration of requests from the International Associations of Lawn-Tennis, Running Deer and Weight Lifting.
9. Report of the Marquis de Polignac on the Aviation Prize.
10. Games of the IXth Olympiad.
11. Games of the Xth Olympiad.

12. The African Games.
13. The Central American Games.
14. Measures to be taken against the abusive use of the word Olympic as applied to certain Games.
15. Disposition of Olympic Cup for 1927.
16. Various.
N. B. — The alterations to the statutes can only become law on condition that two thirds of the members inscribed when the voting takes place vote in favour of the motion.

On behalf of the Executive Committee.

A. G. Berdez.

Secretary.

3. ELECTION OF A REPRESENTATIVE FOR GREECE.

M. Averoff has been elected a member for Greece.

4. THE RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF THE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE, THE NATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEES AND THE INTERNATIONAL FEDERATIONS

I promised at Prague to discuss this matter and I keep my word so that henceforth no one can ignore it.

The Olympic Games are directed by the International Olympic Committee in collaboration with the International Federations and are organised by the National Olympic Committees.

This situation creates for each one of these organisations both rights and duties which are as follows:

The International Olympic Committee directs the Rules of the Games, draws up the General Programme and decides the qualifications of the amateur athletes chosen to take part and settles the place where each Olympiad is to take place. The Executive Committee constitutes the Jury of Honour during the Games.

THE NATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEES receive and forward the entries which have been sent to them by the National Associations, after having signed the declaration that each competitor is an amateur according to both his Associations and the Olympic definition of an amateur. They must, if there are any disputes, find a way of settling them with the National Associations. They must put into force the decisions pronounced by the Jury of Honour. They must organise their countries' teams as far as Housing and Transport, etc. is concerned. They must be responsible for the whole organisation of the Games of one Olympiad, conforming to the Rules and Regulations of the Olympic Games and furnishing all equipment necessary for the Games when the Games are held in their country.