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Entrants must be registered students at a tertiary or secondary educational institution in Australia and essays for the 1987 competition must be written in either 1986 or 1987. The length should be between 2,000 and 5,000 words, with the latter the strict maximum. Essays may be written specially for the competition or be revised versions of papers written to satisfy course requirements. They should be typed, in double spacing, on one side of the paper only. Two copies should be sent to: Dr. Wray Vamplew, The Editor, Sporting Traditions, Economic History Discipline, The Flinders University of South Australia, Bedford Park, South Australia, 5042.

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