## International Literature Competition on the Theory of Physical Education organized by the «Fédération Internationale d'Education Physique»

## THULIN'S PRIZE

A project of Statutes for an International Literature Competition on the Theory of Physical Education was approved of at the F. I. E. P.'s General Assembly on the 20th July 1939 in Stockholm and another similar project of Rules was also approved of at the General Assembly of the same Organization held during the World Congress of Physical and Sportive Education held in Madrid from 13th to 18th September 1966.

The Executive Committee of the F. I. E. P. is therefore able to publish the definitive Rules of an initiative which marks an epoch in world physical education.

## RULES

I — Thulin's Prize is destined to award, every 4 years, the best literary original work on the theory of physical education from the biological, pedagogical and technical points of view.

For this purpose Mr. Joseph G. Thulin, H. C. Doctor of the Lund's University and former President of the F.I.E.P., made a donation of 5,000 Swedish «crowns» (U.S.A. \$ 1,000 dollars) for the making of medallions in bronze. One of these medallions will be delivered to the Prize-Winner during a Solemn Session in the country where is the seat of the F.I.E.P.'s Presidency.

The works should be written in one of the official languages of the F.I.E.P. — English, French or Spanish — in a maximum of 500 type-written sheets with 25 lines and a minimum of 400 sheets, besides pictures. II - The works will be examined by a Jury thus formed:

- The President of the F.I.E.P.;

- The Vice-Presidents of the F.I.E.P.;

- The Secretary General of the F. I. E. P.;

- The Presidents of the International Sections of the F.I.E.P.;

- a F. I. M. S.'s representative.

The decisions of the Jury will be taken according to the majority of votes.

III — The works will be sent to the Secretary General of the F.I.E.P. in 10 copies, one year and a half before the date for the distribution of the Thulin's Prize.

## Note:

The first of these events will take place in 1970, in Portugal, together with a General Assembly of the F. I. E. P.

A sum up to \$2,000 U.S.A. dollars offered by the General Direction of Physical Education, Sports and School Health (G.D.P.E.S.S.H.), of the Ministry of National Education in Portugal, is destined by the F.I.E.P. to the edition in this country of the rewarded work.

The Prize-Winner and the Members of the Jury will be guests of the F.I.E.P.

The funds which constitute the **Thulin's Prize** for 1970 will be managed by the present day **Executive Committee** of the **F.I.E.P.**, in accordance with the **Prize**-Winner who will become the owner of the edition of his work.

The F. I. E. P. exists since 1923, it has been tried, has survived, has acquired experience and is under continual development.

The F. I. E. P. has representatives of different sciences and pedagogical application of bodily exercises, both at school and out of school in its three International Sections — the Scientific, Scholastic and Recreation-Work ones —.

The F. I. E. P. seeks coherent, therefore synthetical solutions, to specific problems which concern gymnastics, games and sports, by means of its publications, lectures, courses, seminars, congresses and now through an International Literature Competition on the Theory of Physical Education.