

#### 14.— **Jury of Honour**

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The Jury of Honour of the Games of the IXe Olympiad met in Amsterdam immediately after the conclusion of the Games. The members present unanimously agreed that, thanks to the determination of the Athletes and of the Officials of the International Federations and of the National Olympic Committees to maintain the ideals of the Olympic Games, the spirit in which the Games had been conducted was excellent. They further agreed to place on record the deep impression, which the Sporting spirit of the thousands of spectators, who had attended the Games had created, and they expressed the opinion that the perfect organization of the Dutch Olympic Committee and the arrangements made

for the confort of the Athletes, Officials and Spectators, contributed very materially to the harmony, which reigned practically troughout the period of the Games.

The Jury of Honour then considered the reports on certain incidents, which had occured during the Football Boxing and Water Polo competitions. In their opinion, these incidents were directly due to the inefficiency of some of the Referees, Judges and other Officials and also to the unsporting spirit of some of the Competitors Managers and Trainers.

The Jury of Honour considering that such incidents do untold harm to the Olympic Games, decided to draw the attention of the International Federations concerned to the said incidents, and to request them to take such action as they may think necessary to prevent a repetition of such incidents in the future.

