

tive Committee of the I. O. C. the two German Committees (East and West) met for the first time in Hamburg and on the second occasion in Kassel. As they were at loggerheads with each other and failed to reach a satisfactory understanding, they decided to hold a third meeting which was to take place in Berlin on December 9th of this month; unfortunately it was cancelled on account of the Olympic Committee of the German Democratic Republic (East) having denounced the Lausanne Convention. It made a new request of recognition to the International Olympic Committee. It is most unfortunate that this regrettable discrepancy should have occurred on the very eve of the Session of Oslo.

German Olympic Committee disagree

In accordance with certain clauses contained in the « Lausanne Convention », signed in May 1951 by the Representatives of both German Olympic Committees and the Execu-