

## Germany at the Olympic Games

An agreement was reached on January 7th 1956 between the German football Federations of the West and East Germany, to the effect of selecting an unified team to be engaged to compete at the Olympic Games in Melbourne. The following decisions have been reached :

1. Communal training courses will be held alternatively in the West Federal Republic and in the Popular Democratic Republic.
2. Each of the two Federations will appoint their respective trainer and his assistants.
3. An official representative of each of

the two Federations will attend these instructional courses.

4. At the close of these training courses, the Olympic selected team will be appointed by both Federations acting in full accord. Moreover, it is known that similar agreements' have been realized in various other sports in Germany with this aim in view. It is gratifying to observe how the union of these two regions of Germany is being reached in a most favourable way in view of the coming Olympic Games and in the field of sport. An achievement that politics have failed to realize up to this day.