

## Awards for...

### Mr. Frederick Ruegsegger...

- At the IOC headquarters on Tuesday 4th December Mr. Frederick Ruegsegger received the Olympic Diploma awarded to him by the 74th Session in Varna. (See Olympic Review No. 72-73.)

During a ceremony, Lord Killanin presented him with this award, emphasizing how much it had been merited. In particular, he stated, *"Mr. Brundage never had a more precious or more loyal collaborator. It is a great pleasure for me to see Fritz here amongst us this evening, and to pay him such a worthy tribute"*.

Mr. Ruegsegger was deeply moved and thanked the President for the symbol of honour which had been bestowed on him. *"I have always been loyal to the Olympic Movement and I shall continue to serve it with loyalty and sincerity. In a few days, he added, I shall be going home to my family, and I can assure you that this diploma will take up a place of honour in my house."*

### ... and Mr. Willi Daume

- A few minutes later Mr. Harold Henning, President of the FINA, solemnly presented Mr. Willi Daume, IOC member for Germany, with the gold medal of this federation for the invaluable services Mr. Daume had given to the organisation of swimming events during the Olympic Games.

*"The whole world will remember the excellent facilities at Munich. This was made possible thanks to the great work of Mr. Daume at the head of the Organising Committee for the Games of the XXth Olympiad."*

- *Birthday:* Jonkheer Herman A. van Karnebeek, Vice-President of the IOC for which he has been the member for Holland since 1964, has just reached the age of seventy years. All members of the IOC join us in sending him sincere good wishes and in thanking him on this occasion for his devotion to the Olympic cause.



Mr. Frederick Ruegsegger with Lord Killanin, President of the IOC.



Mr. Willi Daume to the left of Dr. Harold Henning, President of FINA, with Mr. A. Lambassa, Treasurer of FINA, in the background.

- *Decoration:* Comte Jean de Beaumont, vice-président of the IOC, has just been made Commander in the Italian Republican Order of Merit. The *Olympic Review* warmly congratulates him.

- In recognition of his distinguished services, Mr. Suat Erler, the IOC member for Turkey, received the Award of Merit, 1st Class, of the Order of Merit of the German Federal Republic from Mr. Gustave Heinemann, President of the German Federal Republic. We send him our warmest congratulations.