

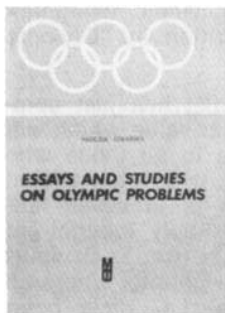
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Essays and studies on Olympic Problems, by Nadia Lekarska. Editions Medicina and Fizcultura, State Publishing House, II, Slaveikov Square, Sofia, Bulgaria, 1973, 122 pages, in English, price 0,67 levas.

As the author points out in her preface, this book sets out to study the development of certain problems with which the Olympic Movement is faced and follows their creation through the years: Olympic programme, women and Olympism, amateurism, etc...

But Mrs. Lekarska is aware that such a work is open to a certain amount of subjectivity and clearly states that the commentaries and the conclusions are strictly personal... This courageous and honest statement of fact adds yet more to the value of her book, which itself explores a new course as yet unknown.

- *Olympic Dates*, another pamphlet distributed to members of the Congress in Varna by the Bulgarian Olympic Committee, will facilitate the research of those interested in sports history. Mr. Nicolai Gueorgiev, Secretary General of the Bulgarian Olympic Committee, undertook and perfected this compendium of all the notable dates of the Olympic Movement, compiled with the help of the International Federations and National Olympic Committees. The important involvement and dedication of the author in assuring the success of the Xth Olympic Congress are worthy of praise. The editing of this brochure is yet another reason for thanking him.



La Médaille de Sang (The Blood Medal), by Serge Groussard, Editions Denoël, 14, rue Amelie, 75007 Paris, 570 pages, Price: 36 French francs, in French.

Those two tragic days of 5th and 6th September 1972 were a moving experience for Serge Groussard. Going beyond the fact itself, he wanted to cover and clarify what really happened at Connlystrasse, Munich, Bonn, Tel Aviv, Cairo, or Tunis... Second by second, he takes us, with the unique magic of the written word, through the Olympic Village to Krisenstrasse, to Vierjahreszeiten, to the airport of Furslenfelbruck... The main interest of this book lies in the material gathered, the care taken in revealing details, the biography of each person mentioned, the complete and lucid history of all that took place and above all that passionate and courageous honesty.

Dictionar sportiv poliglor (Multi-lingual sports dictionary), by Prof. Constantin Tudose, Editura Stadion, Strada Vasile Conta 6, Bucarest (Rumania). 1973, 800 pages, Price: 34 lei, Rumanian, Spanish, Italian, French, Russian, English, German.

Prof. Constantin Tudose is one of the leaders of the Pierre de Coubertin Olympic Circle of the Nicolas Balescu School, on whose Olympic exhibition we have already written in "Olympic Review" No. 68-69.

This eminent specialist has just completed a work of great value which will give many a service to all those who have anything to do with international sport. His dictionary is in seven languages and is remarkably thought-out for easy and practical use. Each sport has its own particular chapter where all the technical terms that have been made reference to are grouped.

Besides this, a complete vocabulary in each language allows one to quickly locate the number of the page where the term in question may be found. The selected vocabulary is large enough to include really technical and specific terms which are difficult to find in other works of this kind.

The Best of Sports Illustrated: A book of illustrated sports under the direction of Ken Rudeen. Ed. Little, Brown and Company, Boston, Toronto. Second edition: 214 pages. Price 12.50 dollars—in English.

Each year, *Sports Illustrated* releases about 600 reports and 2000 photographs. This book assembles some of the best publications on sports during the year 1972, accompanied by a large number of remarkable photographs. Two articles by the US marathon runner in Munich, Kenny Moore, are particularly worth mentioning, "Concentrate on the chrysanthemums" and "They were killed in the night" as well as another by Jerry Kirschenbaum, "The violated sanctuary".



Biorama Ski 74 by Serge and Patrick Lang, Rheintalweg 106, 4125 Riehen, Switzerland, 128 pages, French, German. Price: 5 Swiss francs.

With this new edition of *Biorama Ski*, Serge and Patrick Lang have really created a bible of skiing, indispensable for those who wish to follow this winter's events. Containing complete biographies, comments by champions of the past and a complete prize list of the principal international competitions, the whole book is magnificently illustrated with carefully selected colour and black and white photographs.

- As a tribute to the founder of the IOC, Pierre de Coubertin, and to mark the occasion of the Olympic Congress in Varna, the Czechoslovakian Olympic Committee has issued a *selection of correspondence* of general interest between the Baron and Dr. Jiri St. Guth Jarkowsky, one of the first IOC members and Founder-President of the Czechoslovakian Olympic Committee. Its last but one Olympic Congress has been held in Prague in 1925, and it is in memory of this Congress that the Czechoslovakian Olympic Committee presents this publication to those taking part in the Xth Olympic Congress.