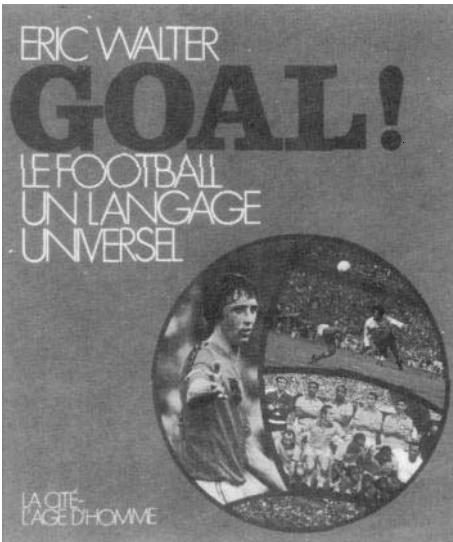


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Goal - Le Football, un Langage Universel (Goal - Football, a universal language) by Eric Walter. Editions La Cité - L'Age d'Homme, 10 Métropole, Lausanne (Switzerland). 202 pages, in French.

Head of the Sports Service at "Radio Suisse Romande", Eric Walter, by telling us about football as he has known it, has wanted to make us feel the "football phenomenon" beyond its purely sporting aspect: human contact, in turn comedy or drama, sociological phenomenon, and above all this constant human side which he so well knows how to enhance—around an anecdote or news item—like at the end of a long account written on the personal concept that he has of sport.,

The title "Goal" was in fact premonitory.

Patinage et Danse sur Glace (Skating and ice dance) by Michel Delore. Editions Amphora, 14 rue de l'Odéon, 75006 Paris (France). 200 pages, in French - 1974. Price: 33 French francs.

Books on skating, written in French, are so few and far between that we are pleased to acclaim this new work by Michel Delore, devoted to the technique, training and competition of figure skating and ice dance.

In this book, beginners and more advanced skaters alike will certainly find such information to start them off or progress in this exacting but thrilling sport.

Athletics Sportsgraph by Harold Abrahams. Publisher: Young World Productions, London. 92 pages, in English - 1972. Price: £2.50.

British 100 m champion at the 1924 Olympic Games in Paris, who has since become one of the top officials in British athletics, Harold Abrahams has always been ardently devoted to the development of athletics in his country as well as abroad. This work, which is plentifully illustrated and introduced by the Marquis of Exeter, President of the IAAF, represents the main points of 80 years of sports, finishing with a list of the principal world, Olympic, European, Commonwealth and British records.

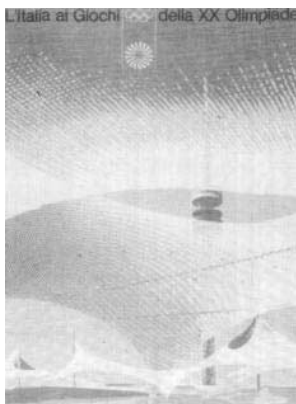
Sports Encyclopaedia. Publisher: Westport Corp., New York. 256 pages, in English - 1974. Price: \$9.95.

This encyclopaedia, which tries to be practical, deals with 59 sports, some very well-known, others almost forgotten or played only in certain areas.

Each sport is preceded by a brief historical account and presented on the whole with its characteristics, its own terminology, etc; playing methods, general rules and records are enframed. A large number of colour photographs, diagrams and drawings help the reader to understand a movement, position or tactic.

Corbitt - the Story of Ted Corbitt, long Distance Runner by John Chodes. Publisher: Tafnews Press, P. O. Box 296, Los Altos, California 94022 (United States). 160 pages, in English - 1974. Price: \$3.95.

Only long distance runners know the name of Ted Corbitt, who was called the father of road races in America. A pioneer of very long distances (further than the marathon), Ted Corbitt has extended his competitive career for more than twenty years. Now more than fifty years old, he continues to race with the same success. Although he has never won an Olympic title, he can be proud of having run 178 marathons, many more than any other long distance runner.



L'Italia ai giochi della XX Olimpiade (Italy at the Games of the XXth Olympiad) Official report of the Italian National Olympic Committee. Published by the CONI under the direction of Donato Martucci, CONI's Press Officer. 530 pages, Italian.

This extensive, well-presented work gives valuable information on the Munich and Sapporo Games. In addition to useful addresses, there is a list of all the countries having participated in the Olympic Games since 1896, a list of the Olympic medallists at Munich and a concise report of all the events at the Munich Games, before the tables showing the complete results of all the participants. The illustrated section, in black and white, although not large is well selected and laid out. The final pages present the first six or eight finalists in every event since 1896 with their performances.

ABC's Wide World of Sport - Quiz Book. Publisher: Stadia Sports Publishing Inc., 180 Madison Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10016 (United States). 224 pages, in English - 1974. Price: \$1.95.

Compiled by Larry Borstein, this latest edition gives you the possibility of checking your sports knowledge or memories... and of adding a multitude of others. However, it is to be hoped that this publication, which is conceived particularly for the American market, will soon be extended to a larger public.

A History of the Laws of Association Football by Sir Stanley Rous and Donald Ford. Publisher: FIFA. Price: 20 Swiss francs.

In the preface to this work, the authors present this book as an attempt to give an account of how the laws of the game have evolved from their beginnings and to illustrate the problems and considerations that formed them.

This Day in Sports by John G. Fetros. Publisher: Newton K. Gregg, Novato, California. 264 pages, in English. Price: \$5.95.

What happened on 20th January 1892? On 30th June 1859? On 11th October 1890? This book will enable you to reply without hesitating and thus to learn a number of more or less important, but nevertheless interesting, facts.

The Super Athletes by David P. Willoughby. Publisher: A. S. Barnes & Co. Inc., Cranbury, N. J. 08512 (United States) and Thomas Yoseloff Ltd., 108 New Bond Street, London W1Y 0QX (Great Britain). 665 pages, in English - 1974. Price: \$18 or £6.

Amateurs of spectacular and sometimes rather ridiculous performances will be overwhelmed by this bulky work which attempts to catalogue the best achievements in the field of strength, speed and stamina. From antiquity to the present time, this is a beautiful collection of strong-men, circus strong-arm men, acrobats and genuine athletes.

Sport 75 - Handbuch des Schweizer Sportes (Sport 75 - Handbook of Swiss Sport) by Hugo Steinegger, Press Officer of the ANEP (Swiss Physical Education Association). Published by Habbegger Verlag, 4552 Derendinger (Switzerland), 1975. 240 pages, German. 9,80 Swiss francs.

The third edition of this sports annual contains as usual every useful piece of information on the practice of any sport in Switzerland. Carefully illustrated, it will be of great service to both athletes and sports administrators alike.

The 50 Meter Jungle - How Olympic Gold Medal Swimmers are Made by Sherman Chavoor, with the assistance of Bill Davidson. Preface by Mark Spitz. Publisher: Coward, McCann, Geoghegan, Inc., 200 Madison Avenue, New York, N. Y. 10016. 223 pages, in English - 1973. Price: \$6.95.

Written in a sharp and often vindictive style, this book will shock or convince but no one will feel indifferent. Sherman Chavoor, who followed Spitz to his Munich triumph, seems to be somewhat bitter about certain aspects of modern sport. But he honestly warns the reader in his introduction: "The swimming pool is the centre of more intrigues, struggles for power and parasites than anywhere else in the sports world."

Untersuchungen zur Zeitgeschichte des Sports (Study on the contemporary history of sport) by Hajo Bernett. Publisher: Karl Hoffmann, Schondorf bei Stuttgart (FRG). 148 pages, in German - 1973.

This 52nd volume, published by the German Physical Education Commission (ADL), studies the structure of national socialist sports ideology, its origins, development and results. The author begins with the large gymnastics festival held at Munich in 1923, then in turn he looks at sports instruction of the S. A. (firstly, sports division: "Sport Abteilung", then fighting division: "Sturm Abteilung"), the political role of physical education in national socialist teaching, the indoctrination of student sports after 1923, and finally the 1936 Olympic Games in Berlin. The work is usefully completed by an alphabetical index comprising a short biography of each person mentioned.

