

## Olympic notebook

- **Mr. Juan Antonio Samaranch**, first Vice-President of the IOC of which he has been member in Spain since 1966, has been appointed Ambassador to Moscow by his Government. He will doubtless take advantage of his presence in the 1980 Olympic city to serve the interests of Olympism to the full.
- **Mr. Agustin Carlos Arroyo**, IOC member in Ecuador since 1968, has taken up his functions in London as Ecuador's Ambassador to Her Majesty's Government.
- **Mr. Pedro Ramirez Vázquez**, IOC member in Mexico since 1972, former President of the Organising Committee of the Games celebrating the XIXth Olympiad (Mexico 1968), and a famous architect, has accepted the post of rapporteur general of the 13th Congress of the International Union of Architects, to be held in Mexico in October 1978.
- **The Rt. Hon. Philip John Noel-Baker** (GBR), winner of the Nobel Peace Prize in 1959, statesman, pedagogue, promoter of sport and, as an athlete, second in the Olympic 1500 m in 1920, is one of the five life peers in the honours list awarded by HM Queen Elizabeth II, with the title of Baron.

● **Mr. Willi Daume**, IOC member in Germany since 1956, can be reached by telex at the number 524 230 nokmu d.

*We have learned of the recent deaths of the following defenders of the Olympic movement:*

- **Gastone Dare** (ITA, 59), second in the team sabre both at the 1948 and 1952 Olympic Games, passed away after a long illness.
- **Siegfried Mair** (ITA, 38), third in the two-man luge at the 1964 winter Games, died in a car accident.

*The "Olympic Review" sends its sincere condolences to the families and friends of these lamented sportsmen.*