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Queen's Message

The following Message, addressed to His Excellency the Governor, was received from Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II on the opening day of the Games —

I send my good wishes for the success of the first South Pacific Games which open today in Suva.

These Games are a new venture, and I am glad that they should first be held in a city of which my husband and I have such happy memories.

I join with the Government and people of Fiji in welcoming the representatives of the many countries which are taking part in the Games. I am sure that they will form new friendships which will strengthen the close and happy relations which exist between Fiji and her neighbours in the Pacific.

ELIZABETH R.

29th August, 1963.

Appreciation

The First South Pacific Games took place in a manner which has given Suva, indeed Fiji, a feeling of satisfaction.

The appointment of Fiji as first Host Territory was a considerable honour but as the two and a half years available for planning passed and the full impact of what had to be arranged was realised, the wish was sometimes expressed that the honour might have gone elsewhere.

Nevertheless the challenge was accepted and everyone, or nearly everyone, the Government, associations, business houses and individuals, all responded to make the Games the success that they deserved to be.

J. K. Compton

Chairman,
Organising Committee,
First South Pacific Games,
Suva, Fiji.

FIRST SOUTH PACIFIC GAMES

The idea of holding the South Pacific Games originated with Dr. A. H. Sahu Khan who was one of Fiji's representatives at the meeting of the South Pacific Commission at Rabaul in 1959. The idea was adopted and led to representatives of nine territories meeting at Noumea in March 1961 and Mr. L. O. Simpson, Fiji delegate, was appointed Chairman. Largely as a result of the latter's enthusiasm, Fiji was offered the honour of staging the First Games.

On receiving this invitation, the Fiji Amateur Sports Association consulted the Government which gave its blessing and the offer was accepted.

The Fiji Amateur Sports Association then appointed a Chairman with a nucleus of an Organising Committee with instructions to get on with it. Simultaneously it appointed under the terms of the draft constitution, the first Council consisting of Mr. L. R. Martin, Chairman; Mr L. O. Simpson, Secretary and Mr S. W. Meeks, Treasurer. Messrs. Simpson and Meeks held the same office on the Organising Committee. Unfortunately, not long afterwards, Mr Simpson returned to New Zealand where however, in spite of distance, he continued to give much valuable assistance.



Introduction

This report has been written with the object of giving as much help as possible to those who will take up the torch at Noumea, New Caledonia, in staging the Second Games in 1966 — and those who follow.

Inevitably in tackling a once-in-a-generation task of such a magnitude, committees learn by experience. Next time they would tackle some of the problems in a different way. In Suva, the Organising Committee encountered many difficulties in estimating needs, demands, quantities and, above all, the standards to be aimed at.

It was felt from the beginning that the standard of organisation set would play a big part in establishing the Games as a living idea. To set the standard of accommodation too high would result in unnecessary expenditure by the visiting teams who, in addition to having to pay their way to Suva, had to pay for their accommodation; to set them too low, would lead to dissatisfaction. On the other hand, the organisational standards for the sports had to be as high as possible and, in any event, had to comply with the appropriate international regulations and in certain aspects had to pass the scrutiny of official international observers.

So that this report could be of maximum assistance in staging future South Pacific Games, it contains adverse comment when considered useful;

sins of omission and commission are recorded as well as the successes. These comments and recommendations are not intended as tendentious criticisms but as a guide to the next games.

The first games were successful and the athletes now know each other and each other's standards and we can look to much higher standards and closer competition in the next Games.

The keynote of the success of the organisation of the Games was the general effort by all sections of the community and no one can assess the extent of the services, large and small, that were given, whilst the total voluntary help in terms of man hours was prodigious. The Government and Suva City Council helped greatly, whilst the Fiji Military Forces and the Royal New Zealand Air Force assisted to the limit of their resources.

The task of the Organising Committee extended over three and a half years and of the sub-committees over varying lengthy periods. Members of the committees were largely professional and businessmen who gave leisure hours and many working hours to tedious details and planning.

The final act in connection with the First South Pacific Games is the publication of this Official History and it is presented in the hope that it will help to make the second Games at Noumea an even greater success: **Bon chance Nouvelle Calédonie.**



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Aerial view of Suva, host city for the First South Pacific Games.



SOUTH PACIFIC GAMES COUNCIL

The first meeting of the South Pacific Games Council was held in Suva on Sunday, September 1st, 1963. Those present were:—

President
L. R. MARTIN, O.B.E.

Hon. Secretary
F. J. COYNE

Hon. Treasurer
S. W. MEEKS

DELEGATES

American Samoa: J. P. SAMIA, J. E. HARLAN
British Solomon Islands Protectorate: I. A. FRASER, S. DAKAI
Condominium of the New Hebrides: R. DELAVEUVE
Cook Islands: P. F. HENDERSON
Fiji: J. H. COMMON, A. J. SCOTT, K. C. GAJADHAR
French Polynesia: DR. P. CASSIAU, L. LAVIGNE, G. CATROS
Gilbert & Ellice Islands Colony: E. T. EVANS, P. S. JACKSON
Kingdom of Tonga: S. H. BROWN, SIUPELI TALIAI, R. J. O'BRIEN
Nauru: T. MOSES, P. COOK
New Caledonia and Dependencies: A. DROUET, R. KADDOUR, N. M. DALY
Niue: R. R. REX
Papua/New Guinea: R. JOHNSON, C. McCUBBERRY, W. H. WILLIAMS
Western Samoa: H. A. LEVESTAM, ENI SOFAFA, T. S. ATOA

South Pacific Games Organising Committee

Chairman of the Committee: J. H. COMMON, O.B.E.
Director of Organisation: F. J. COYNE
Secretary: K. C. GAJADHAR
Treasurer: S. W. MEEKS

MEMBERS

Accommodation: MRS. V. A. R. COMMON
Ceremonial: COL. G. S. MATE, M.C., M.M.
Communications & Radio: W. G. J. CRUICKSHANK
Construction Work: C. I. MACKAY
Entertainment: D. COLLINS
Fund Raising: H. H. MADAMS
Grounds and Stadium: W. P. RAGG, O.St.J.
Hospitality: C. A. STINSON, O.B.E.
Medical: THE LATE DR. A. J. HIBELL
Publicity: J. W. DEERING
Sports: L. R. MARTIN, O.B.E.
Tickets: L. M. ROLLS
Transport: F. W. GOODRUM
Traffic Control & Security: F. S. WIGLEY
Village: D. R. WILKINSON
Government Representative: G. L. MORTIMER
Secretariat: A. F. VAREA
Liaison Officer, R.N.Z.A.F.: Flt. Lt. W. J. WEBSTER



In the opening match, Fiji defeated Papua & New Guinea. Here, P Sowani the Papua & New Guinea goalkeeper, turns a Fiji forward shot safely round the post.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

All matches except one were played at Buckhurst Park in Suva: one match, between the British Solomon Islands Protectorate and Fiji, was played at Lautoka on Churchili Park.

PARTICIPANTS AND METHOD OF PLAY-OFF

Six territories took part, the British Solomon Islands Protectorate, Fiji, French Polynesia, New Caledonia, the New Hebrides and Papua/New Guinea. The competition was on a knockout basis with the draw carried out prior to the arrival of the teams.

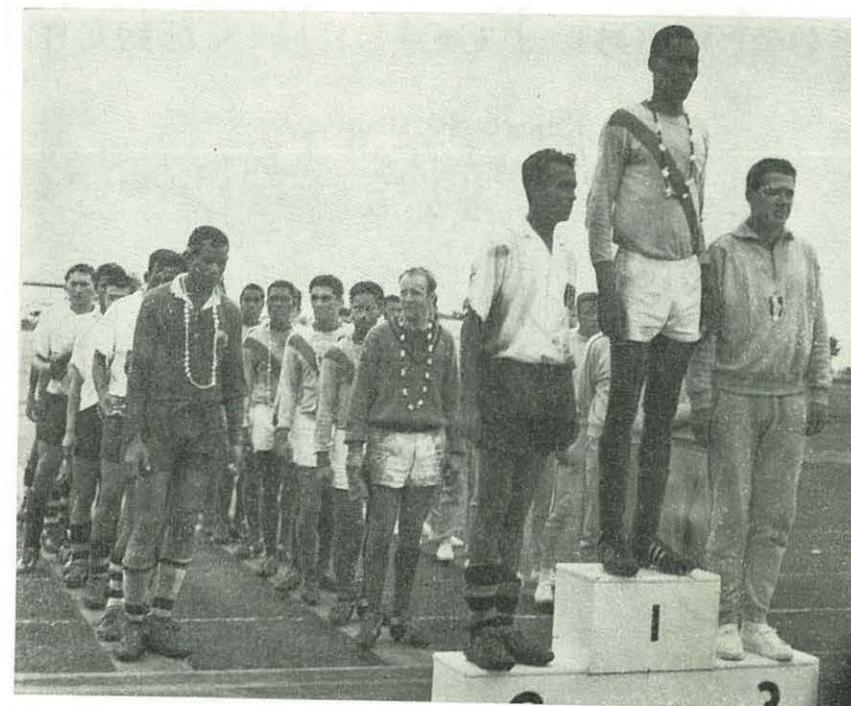
It was appreciated that this was unsatisfactory but with the facilities and time available, there was no alternative with the number of entrants.

There was considerable adverse criticism of this arrangement but it was not practicable to make other arrangements when the teams arrived.

It was particularly unfortunate that the two strongest teams met in their first match, namely New Caledonia and French Polynesia, and this was virtually the final.

RULES

All matches were played under the Rules of the Federation Internationale de Football Association to whom a report had to be sent under the regulations. Considerable difficulty was later experienced by these reports not being completed immediately after each game and before the officials were scattered all over the Pacific.



The Captain of the New Caledonia football team waiting to receive his gold medal. Fiji was lucky to win the silver medals as French Polynesia, who were third, were narrowly defeated by New Caledonia in the semi-final.

Association Football - Results

FIRST ROUND

Thursday, 29th August

| | Won by | Goals |
|-------------------------|--------|-------|
| Fiji v Papua/New Guinea | FIJI | 3—1 |

Friday, 30th August

| | | |
|---|----------|-----|
| British Solomon Islands Protectorate v New Hebrides | B.S.I.P. | 6—3 |
|---|----------|-----|

SEMI FINALS

Sunday, 1st September

| | | |
|---|------|-----|
| Fiji v British Solomon Islands Protectorate | FIJI | 5—0 |
|---|------|-----|

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------|-----|
| New Caledonia v French Polynesia | NEW CALEDONIA | 2—1 |
|----------------------------------|---------------|-----|

PLAY-OFF FOR THIRD PLACE

Friday, 6th September

| | | |
|---|------------------|------|
| French Polynesia v British Solomon Islands Protectorate | FRENCH POLYNESIA | 18—0 |
|---|------------------|------|

FINALS

Saturday, 7th September

| | | |
|----------------------|---------------|-----|
| New Caledonia v Fiji | NEW CALEDONIA | 8—2 |
|----------------------|---------------|-----|

Association Football Officials

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

Chairman: N. M. Daly, (New Caledonia)

Secretary: S. M. Singh (Fiji)

Members: D. Anderson (Papua/New Guinea); J. Taylor (British Solomon Islands Protectorate); Maoni Rene' (French Polynesia); R. Delaveuve (New Hebrides).

REFEREES

S. M. Singh (F), S. N. Sharma (F), D. Anderson (Papua/New Guinea).

LINESMEN

S. A. Hussein, Indar Jit, J. Singh, M. Hanif, D. Segram, Shirinivasan (all of Fiji).

Medal Winners — Association Football

| Gold Medal | Silver Medal | Bronze Medal |
|-----------------|---------------|---------------------|
| A. Benebig | P. Kean | A. W. Au |
| J. C. Benebig | E. Savou | A. R. Samkova |
| D. Cacot | V. Lal | Y. Raffin |
| C. Cornet | M. Samy | J. C. T. Taurua |
| G. Delmas | C. B. Singh | M. J. Teikivaiani |
| B. Gouapana | K. Reddy | L. T. Tetainanuarii |
| J. P. Gouzenes | J. I. Lal | D. V. Puhia |
| P. Hmaen | J. Warner | R. Van Sam |
| M. Kanyan | S. Dutta | T. A. J. Boosie |
| G. Massenya | C. S. Yee | G. C. J. Ateni |
| R. Maxue Paouta | S. Nair | C. F. Pai |
| J. B. Nahiet | D. Simmonds | H. Mataitai |
| W. Pawiro | R. N. Sanjivi | F. Pua |
| R. Poairiaiwa | R. Narayan | P. Ropiteau |
| R. Prevost | A. Thoman | R. J. Ganivet |
| E. Waitronyi | J. Prasad | A. M. Tumahai |
| | Zikar Ali | M. Temaiana |
| | | M. Nena |
| NEW CALEDONIA | FIJI | FRENCH POLYNESIA |



J. Pothin, New Caledonia, winning the 100 metres in 10.6 sec. followed by K. N. Raiyala, Fiji, extreme left with C. Kaddour, New Caledonia, third.

ATHLETICS

OFFICIALS

I.A.A.F. Rules provided the basic requirements for an international meeting; the absolute minimum of officials is about 70 — 80; reference to the official programme will show their number and titles. In addition, three Suva schools were good enough to provide some twenty-five schoolboys as runners and carriers, and most helpful they were. H.M.S. Cook provided nine officials, whose promptness and efficiency were noteworthy. Seventy-five officials were appointed and briefed on behalf of the Fiji Amateur Athletics Association and a further eleven were nominated (and appointed) from competing territories. This total was adequate but it would have been even better to have had more available. In the nature of things, it was unlikely that it would be possible to find such a large number of people with experience as well as enthusiasm but their application to the many problems brought its reward — the meeting proceeded satisfactorily. Many tributes were paid to the officials for their completely just and careful handling of competitors and rules.

EQUIPMENT

The technical equipment was ordered many months before the Games; it was sufficient in quantity and in quality and no complaints were received. Although better equipment can in fact be obtained, it would not yet seem necessary to do so in Games of this nature. All technical equipment was weighed and measured under the IAAF Rules, and certified accordingly by the Government Weights and Measures Inspector. A point which a future Organising Committee could well bear in mind is that if there is more than one village centre with training facilities, a fairly

large amount of practice equipment is required. Items such as ground scoreboards, take-off boards, stands for judges and timekeepers, flags and a host of other items were prepared by the Public Works Department.

COMPETITORS

The behaviour of competitors within the arena was excellent; they reacted very well to the firm but sympathetic handling of the Chief Marshal and his assistants. No problems were reported regarding numbering. Only on one occasion, as far as is known, were competitors too late in arrival in the marshalling area to get inside the arena for their event. It is recommended that the system be retained whereby a group of ladies at the village(s) sews on competitors' numbers. Correct and visible numbering is a vital necessity from the competitors', officials' and the public point of view.

ARENA

In spite of the tremendously heavy rainfall experienced during the month, (five times the normal expectation of rain for the month fell in the first twenty-one days) the track was in excellent condition, indeed it elicited many favourable even astonished comments from visiting competitors and officials. The relaying of the entire track and the new drainage system worked extremely well.

CONTROL (RECORDING) ROOM

This was on a small scale only (3 recorders and a typist) and the press representatives did not ask for copies of results although these were ready if requested. The Press and Radio managed very well from the announcing and from scoreboard results. Nine separate types of forms (cyclostyled) were

used for recording, and were found satisfactory. Two complete sets of records of events were sent from the appropriate referee, one to the Arena Manager and one to the Control Room. (One complete set has been lodged with the Games Council).

TIMEKEEPING

Omega watches were provided (split-second timing) and were entirely satisfactory. The Technical Committee recommends that in future Games, there should be additional watches on third place in accordance (for example) with Olympic Rules 9 and 10, I.A.A.F. Rules 1963. In these First Games, watches were used as follows:—

| | |
|---------------|---------------------|
| First place : | 3 and 1 alternative |
| Second place: | 3 |
| Third | } 1 each |
| Fourth | |
| Fifth | |
| Sixth | |

There was no occasion on which a significant difference between watches was revealed on first and second places but on two occasions the individual times on fourth, fifth and sixth places appear to have gone awry. Considering the amount of time available for practice and training, this is a most satisfactory result.



Coming into the second lap of the women's 800 metres, G. Bigourd of New Caledonia (75) taking the lead to go on and win from L. L. Lotu (161) of Fiji.

JUDGING

An often invidious job well done, and credit goes to the Chief Judge and his officials.

MEASURING

A Cantabrian datum apparatus was provided but it was not used, (a) because of its complexities and the time required to set it up and to train officials in its use and, (b), because it was felt that officials could move faster in the actual measuring of throws and jumps using the normal tapes. These proved perfectly satisfactory and the field events moved along at a reasonable pace, both from the point of view of programme timing and convenience of competitors. All measuring apparatus was certified by the Official Weights and Measures Inspector.

VICTORY CEREMONIES

These went off well with the usual complexities of events finishing earlier or later than expected, competitors doubling in events, trying to disappear etc. The Ceremonial Officer has of course to remain in close liaison with the general Ceremonies Committee besides watching the particular requirements of an Athletics programme.

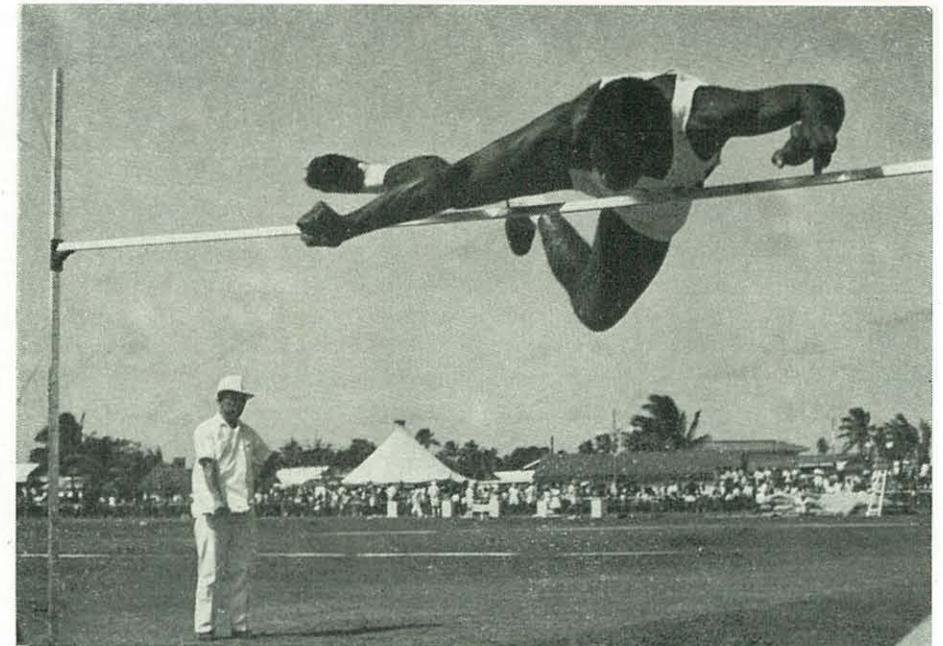
ANNOUNCING

The possible difficulties arising from the fact that many competitors and officials from the French territories had little English, were met by providing an interpreter with the Starter and Referees and by announcements over the PA system in French following English. After the first day when the organisation was shaking down, a good flow of information was kept up by the announcer (who had also technical responsibility for the P.A. and recording/reply equipment).

PROGRAMME

The programme, in the form of printers' proofs, was presented to the Technical Committee the day before each day of athletics. This seemed to work well and there were very few alterations (none of substance) after two changes at the very first meeting on the 29th August. The Technical Committee made the following recommendations:—

- that the draft programme with actual timings of events on each day be sent out to all competing territories **at least six months** before the Games are due to open and that any necessary changes are likewise advised as soon as possible;
- that competing territories give **at least three months** advance notice, to the host territory, of the probable number of competitors for each race;
- that the **decathlon** be included in the programme if at all possible;
- that there be semi-finals in the 100 metres events and that not less than three, preferably four, competitors go forward from the heats of a first round to the next round;
- that consideration be given to introducing qualifying heights/distances in field events subject of course to the minimum number of competitors going forward to finals as provided in I.A.A.F. rules. The Committee did not however think it advisable that such qualifying standards should be decided **before** the convening of the Technical Committee for the 1966 Games with all territories represented;



E. Laboran, Papua/New Guinea clearing 6'-3" to win the high jump.

- that at the 1966 Games, Athletics be allocated **a 4-day programme** to allow maximum time for the recuperation of competitors in more than one event;
- that Athletics, as the basic and major sport in the Games programme, be allocated every favourable consideration by the Organising Committee and that in particular the Athletics arena be **not** shared with any other sport.

PREPARATION OF PROGRAMME

This was carried out by the Arena Manager who was also the Secretary of the Athletics Technical Committee. This was too great a burden in addition to his other work and someone should be appointed, responsible to the Secretary, for the preparation of the programme.

INTERNATIONAL OBSERVER AND JURY OF APPEAL

Mr. F. W. Humphreys of the Australian Amateur Athletic Union was appointed by the I.A.A.F. as its Observer to the Games. He had been Arena Manager at the Commonwealth and Empire Games at Perth in 1962 and the I.A.A.F. could not have selected a more knowledgeable and pleasant representative; his great experience of Athletics was of enormous value and all benefited from his stay in Fiji. Mr Humphreys also served as Chairman of the Jury of Appeal, the two other members being Mr. D. W. Murty (P.N.G.) and Mr W P Ragg (President of the Fiji A.A.A.). Only once (3000 metres Steeplechase) were they called upon to act as a Jury and the result satisfied everyone.

ATHLETICS RESULTS

Men—Track

100 METRES — HEATS

(31st August)

HEAT 1

| | | | |
|---|----------------|------------------|------|
| 1 | Kaddour, C. | New Caledonia | 11.1 |
| 2 | Raiyala, K. N. | Fiji | 11.1 |
| 3 | Vuia, J. | Papua/New Guinea | 11.1 |
| 4 | Bourne, J. | French Polynesia | 11.2 |
| 5 | Tavituel, J. | New Hebrides | 11.6 |
| 6 | Su'a, K. | Western Samoa | 11.6 |

HEAT 2

| | | | |
|---|---------------|--------------------------------------|------|
| 1 | Pothin, J. | New Caledonia | 11.2 |
| 2 | Sale | Papua/New Guinea | 11.3 |
| 3 | Walakwata, P. | British Solomon Islands Protectorate | 11.6 |
| 4 | Likiliki, P. | Kingdom of Tonga | 11.6 |
| 5 | Hukui, C. F. | Niue | 11.7 |
| 6 | Pasefika | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | 12.1 |

HEAT 3

| | | | |
|---|----------------|--------------------------------------|------|
| 1 | Richter, B. I. | Papua/New Guinea | 11.2 |
| 2 | Bower, F. | Fiji | 11.3 |
| 3 | Henry, K. | Cook Islands | 11.3 |
| 4 | Nial, K. | New Hebrides | 11.5 |
| 5 | Paia, W. | British Solomon Islands Protectorate | 11.5 |
| 6 | Toariri, M. | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | 11.7 |

HEAT 4

| | | | |
|---|----------------|--------------------------------------|------|
| 1 | Moceidreke, S. | Fiji | 11.2 |
| 2 | Favereau, R. | French Polynesia | 11.2 |
| 3 | Areski, A. | New Caledonia | 11.5 |
| 4 | Ningalo, W. | British Solomon Islands Protectorate | 11.8 |
| 5 | Utia, T. | Cook Islands | 12.0 |
| 6 | James, L. | New Hebrides | 12.0 |

Windgauge readings: Heat 1, minus 19.5; Heat 2, minus 29.0; Heat 3, minus 3.0; Heat 4, minus 12.2.

100 METRES — FINAL

| | | | |
|---|-----------------------|-------------------|------|
| 1 | POTHIN, J. | (1) New Caledonia | 10.6 |
| 2 | RAIYALA, K. N. | (2) Fiji | 10.9 |
| 3 | KADDOUR, C. | New Caledonia | 11.1 |
| 4 | Sale | Papua/New Guinea | 11.4 |
| 5 | Bower, F. | Fiji | — |
| 6 | Moceidreke, S. | Fiji | — |

Windgauge reading: plus 7.2.

Records: Games, Fiji All-comers, Pothin, J. (1); Fiji National, Raiyala, K. N. (2).

200 METRES — HEATS

(31st August)

HEAT 1

| | | | |
|---|------------|------------------|------|
| 1 | Bourne, J. | French Polynesia | 22.8 |
| 2 | Henry, K. | Cook Islands | 23.4 |
| 3 | James, L. | New Hebrides | 24.6 |

Areski, A. (N.C.) and Fafale, S. (B.S.I.P.) scratched.

HEAT 2

| | | | |
|---|------------|------------------|------|
| 1 | Maina, W. | Papua/New Guinea | 22.6 |
| 2 | Drega, E. | Fiji | 23.3 |
| 3 | Ribauw, P. | Nauru | 24.8 |

Ningalo, W. (B.S.I.P.) scratched.

HEAT 3

| | | | |
|---|----------------|----------------------|------|
| 1 | Richter, B. I. | (1) Papua/New Guinea | 22.0 |
| 2 | Likiliki, P. | Kingdom of Tonga | 22.9 |
| 3 | Hmeun | New Caledonia | 23.5 |
| 4 | Tutai, T. | Cook Islands | 23.7 |
| 5 | Meanoa, V. | American Samoa | — |

HEAT 4

| | | | |
|---|---------------|--------------------------------------|------|
| 1 | Kaddour, C. | New Caledonia | 22.2 |
| 2 | Nabou, A. | Fiji | 22.4 |
| 3 | Favereau, R. | French Polynesia | 22.8 |
| 4 | Walakwata, P. | British Solomon Islands Protectorate | 23.2 |
| 5 | Nial, K. | New Hebrides | 23.9 |

HEAT 5

| | | | |
|---|----------------|-----------------------------------|------|
| 1 | Vuia, J. | Papua/New Guinea | 22.7 |
| 2 | Moceidreke, S. | Fiji | 22.9 |
| 3 | Utia, T. | Cook Islands | 23.4 |
| 4 | Toariri, M. | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | 25.3 |
| 5 | Taleuati, S. | American Samoa | 26.1 |

HEAT 6

| | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------------------------------|------|
| 1 | Tavituel, J. | New Hebrides | 23.2 |
| 2 | Su'a, K. | Western Samoa | 24.1 |
| 3 | Fa'apouli, T. | American Samoa | 24.2 |
| 4 | Pasefika, L. | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | 24.3 |

Rokoduna, I. (NI) scratched.

Windgauge readings: Heat 1, minus 0.7; Heat 2, minus 3.0; Heat 3, minus 2.5; Heat 4, minus 22.0; Heat 5, minus 3.0; Heat 6, plus 4.0.

200 METRES — SEMI-FINALS

(2nd September)

SEMI-FINAL 1

| | | | |
|---|----------------|------------------|------|
| 1 | Richter, B. I. | Papua/New Guinea | 22.0 |
| 2 | Nabou, A. | Fiji | 22.4 |
| 3 | Vuia, J. | Papua/New Guinea | 22.5 |
| 4 | Moceidreke, S. | Fiji | 22.6 |
| 5 | Henry, K. | Cook Islands | 23.2 |
| 6 | Tavituel, J. | New Hebrides | 23.3 |

SEMI-FINAL 2

| | | | |
|---|--------------|------------------|------|
| 1 | Kaddour, C. | New Caledonia | 22.1 |
| 2 | Drega, E. | Fiji | 22.2 |
| 3 | Bourne, J. | French Polynesia | 22.7 |
| 4 | Likiliki, P. | Kingdom of Tonga | 22.9 |
| 5 | Maina, W. | Papua/New Guinea | 22.9 |
| 6 | Su'a, K. | Western Samoa | 23.1 |

Windgauge readings: Semi-final 1, plus 29.0; Semi-final 2, plus 21.5.

200 METRES FINAL

(4th September)

| | | | |
|---|-----------------------|------------------|------|
| 1 | KADDOUR, C. | New Caledonia | 22.3 |
| 2 | NABOU, A. | Fiji | 22.4 |
| 3 | RICHTER, B. I. | Papua/New Guinea | 22.6 |
| 4 | Vuia, J. | Papua/New Guinea | 22.8 |
| 5 | Bourne, J. | French Polynesia | 23.0 |
| 6 | Drega, E. | Fiji | 23.1 |

Windgauge reading: minus 41.0.

Records: Games, Richter, B. I. (1); Fiji All-comers, equalled by Richter, B. I. (1)



Sitiveni Moceidreke comes in first for Fiji in Heat 1 of the 4 x 100 metres relay.

400 METRES HEATS

(2nd September)

| | | | |
|---|---------------|--------------------------------------|------|
| 1 | Harrison, C. | Papua/New Guinea | 50.5 |
| 2 | Racule, A. | Fiji | 52.2 |
| 3 | Piepe, A. | New Caledonia | 52.9 |
| 4 | Poutoa, S. | American Samoa | 54.4 |
| 5 | Walerefoa, M. | British Solomon Islands Protectorate | 54.7 |
| 6 | Kalpau, P. | New Hebrides | 55.2 |

Rokoduna, I. (NI) scratched.

HEAT 2

| | | | |
|---|-------------|------------------|------|
| 1 | Maina, W. | Papua/New Guinea | 50.7 |
| 2 | Humuni, A. | New Caledonia | 51.3 |
| 3 | Waqa, L. | Fiji | 52.5 |
| 4 | Krauser, R. | French Polynesia | 56.1 |
| 5 | Utu, P. | American Samoa | 60.4 |

Ribauw, P. (NA) and Walakwata, P. (B.S.I.P.) scratched.

HEAT 3

| | | | |
|---|--------------|-----------------------------------|------|
| 1 | Navusolo, J. | Fiji | 51.9 |
| 2 | Yekawene, A. | New Caledonia | 53.2 |
| 3 | Golaz, J. | French Polynesia | 53.4 |
| 4 | Tavip, P. | Papua/New Guinea | 54.8 |
| 5 | Dole, R. | American Samoa | 57.4 |
| 6 | Mafaa, T. | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | — |

400 METRES — FINAL

(4th September)

| | | | |
|---|---------------------|----------------------|------|
| 1 | HARRISON, C. | (1) Papua/New Guinea | 49.7 |
| 2 | MAIANA, W. | Papua/New Guinea | 49.9 |
| 3 | RACULE, A. | (2) Fiji | 50.4 |
| 4 | Humuni, A. | New Caledonia | 50.8 |
| 5 | Navusolo, J. | Fiji | 52.0 |

Yekawene, A. (N.C.) scratched.

Records: Games, Fiji All-comers, Harrison, C. (1); Fiji National, Racule, A. (2).

800 METRES — HEATS

(31st August)

HEAT 1

| | | | |
|---|--------------|-----------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | Navusolo, J. | Fiji | 2/ 3.0 |
| 2 | Golaz, J. | French Polynesia | 2/ 6.0 |
| 3 | Pupa, K. | Cook Islands | 2/17.6 |
| 4 | Ronnie | New Hebrides | 2/24.1 |
| 5 | Mafaa, T. | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | 2/24.7 |
| 6 | Utu, P. | American Samoa | 2/29.4 |

Tavip, P. (P.N.G.) scratched.

HEAT 2

| | | | |
|---|----------------|--------------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | Naivalurua, S. | Fiji | 2/ 3.0 |
| 2 | Joyce, M. | Papua/New Guinea | 2/ 3.2 |
| 3 | Humuni, A. | New Caledonia | 2/ 4.0 |
| 4 | Nocau, M. | Cook Islands | 2/ 5.4 |
| 4 | Anderson, E. | British Solomon Islands Protectorate | 2/12.4 |
| 6 | Joram, G. | Nauru | — |

HEAT 3

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | Rokovesa, S. | Fiji | 2/ 5.7 |
| 2 | Vela, K. | Papua/New Guinea | 2/ 5.9 |
| 3 | Krauser, P. | French Polynesia | 2/13.9 |
| 4 | Dole, R. | American Samoa | 2/14.7 |
| 5 | Yuen | New Hebrides | 2/16.3 |
| 6 | Tatireta, A. F. | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | 2/19.4 |

800 METRES — FINAL

(31st August)

| | | | |
|---|-----------------------|----------------------|--------|
| 1 | JOYCE, M. | (1) Papua/New Guinea | 2/ 2.4 |
| 2 | NAIVALURUA, S. | Fiji | 2/ 2.7 |
| 3 | ROKOVESA, S. | Fiji | 2/ 3.0 |
| 4 | Navusolo, J. | Fiji | 2/ 3.2 |
| 5 | Golaz, J. | French Polynesia | 2/ 3.5 |
| 6 | Humuni, A. | New Caledonia | 2/ 3.6 |

Record: Games, Joyce, M. (1).



Entering the third lap of the final of the men's 1500 metres, with S. Tuifangaloka, the eventual winner in the lead.

1500 METRES — HEATS

(2nd September)

HEAT 1

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | Rokovesa, S. | Fiji | 4/31.8 |
| 2 | Noouu, M. | Cook Islands | 4/35.0 |
| 3 | Ronnie | New Hebrides | 4/43.8 |
| 4 | Tatireta, A. F. | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | 5/10.0 |

Labau, P. (A.S.) scratched.

HEAT 2

| | | | |
|---|----------------|-----------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | Vela, K. | Papua/New Guinea | 4/27.8 |
| 2 | Naivalurua, S. | Fiji | 4/30.8 |
| 3 | Laifa, J. P. | New Caledonia | 4/31.0 |
| 4 | Schwalger, L. | Western Samoa | 4/32.4 |
| 5 | Rabangaki, K. | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | 4/32.4 |
| 6 | Yuen | New Hebrides | 5/ 3.2 |

HEAT 3

| | | | |
|---|------------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | Tuifangaloka, S. | Kingdom of Tonga | 4/33.4 |
| 2 | Ai'atele, I. | Western Samoa | 4/35.4 |
| 3 | Reweru, H. | Nauru | 5/ 4.6 |

Gould, K. S. (F), Vaovasa, V. (A.S.) and Mafoa, T. (G:E:I:C:) scratched.

HEAT 4

| | | | |
|---|------------|----------------------|--------|
| 1 | Joyce, M. | (1) Papua/New Guinea | 4/23.4 |
| 2 | Humuni, E. | New Caledonia | 4/24.4 |
| 3 | Doucet, R. | French Polynesia | 4/28.4 |
| 4 | Sao, S. | Western Samoa | 4/29.0 |
| 5 | Joram, G. | Nauru | 4/29.8 |

Niko, R. (A.S.) scratched.

1500 METRES — FINAL

(4th September)

| | | | |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------|--------|
| 1 | TUIFANGALOKA, S. | (2) Kingdom of Tonga | 4/23.4 |
| 2 | JOYCE, M. | Papua/New Guinea | 4/25.0 |
| 3 | ROKOVESA, S. | Fiji | 4/25.4 |
| 4 | Naivalurua, S. | Fiji | 4/28.4 |
| 5 | Humuni, E. | New Caledonia | 4/29.2 |
| 6 | Vela, K. | Papua/New Guinea | 4/37.4 |

Records: Games; Joyce, M. (1); Tuifangaloka, S. (2).

110 METRES HURDLES — HEATS

(31st August)

HEAT 1

| | | | |
|---|---------------|----------------------|------|
| 1 | Tetaria, C. | (1) French Polynesia | 15.3 |
| 2 | Pale, K. | Kingdom of Tonga | 16.4 |
| 3 | Southwick, G. | Fiji | 17.8 |
| 4 | Fuimaano, N. | American Samoa | 20.8 |

HEAT 2

| | | | |
|---|--------------|--------------------------------------|------|
| 1 | Mitchell, R. | (2) Fiji | 16.8 |
| 2 | Salmon, J. | French Polynesia | 17.3 |
| 3 | Fafale, S. | British Solomon Islands Protectorate | 18.8 |

Alapa, T. (A.S.) disqualified for knocking over hurdle with hand.
Windgauge readings: Heat 1, minus 2.0; Heat 2, minus 8.0.

110 METRES HURDLES — FINAL

(4th September)

| | | | |
|---|---------------------|--------------------------------------|------|
| 1 | TETARIA, C. | French Polynesia | 15.6 |
| 2 | PALE, K. | Kingdom of Tonga | 16.2 |
| 3 | MITCHELL, R. | Fiji | 17.1 |
| 4 | Salmon, J. | French Polynesia | 17.2 |
| 5 | Southwick, G. | Fiji | 17.5 |
| 6 | Fafale, S. | British Solomon Islands Protectorate | 19.3 |

Windgauge reading: minus 43.0.

Records: Games; Fiji All-comers; Tetaria, C. (1); Fiji National; Mitchell, R. (2).

400 METRES HURDLES — FINAL

(2nd September)

| | | | |
|---|----------------------|------------------|------|
| 1 | MALAMALA, O. | (1) Fiji | 59.5 |
| 2 | SOUTHWICK, G. | Fiji | 59.7 |
| 3 | MARTIN, P. | French Polynesia | 60.9 |

Salmon, J. (F.P.), Putoa, S. (A.S.) and Dole, R. (A.S.) scratched.
Records: Games; Fiji All-comers; Fiji National, Malamala, O. (1).

5000 METRES — FINAL

(2nd September)

| | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| 1 | JOYCE, M. | (1) Papua/New Guinea | 17/16.6 |
| 2 | PUPA, K. | Cook Islands | 17/28.6 |
| 3 | GOULD, K. S. | Fiji | 17/28.8 |
| 4 | Mango, T. | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | 17/29.6 |
| 5 | Laifa, J. P. | New Caledonia | 17/51.0 |
| 6 | Schwalger, L. | Western Samoa | 17/56.6 |

Record: Games, Joyce, M. (1).

10,000 METRES — FINAL

(31st August)

| | | | |
|---|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| 1 | SAULEKALEKA, V. | (1) Fiji | 36/39.8 |
| 2 | MANGO, T. | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | 36/46.2 |
| 3 | GOULD, K. S. | Fiji | 37/ 7.8 |
| 4 | Tuivuya, L. | Fiji | 39/13.1 |
| 5 | Aka, T. | Cook Islands | 39/16.8 |
| 6 | Taugiia, T. | Cook Islands | 41/ 1.2 |

Record: Games, Saulekaleka, V. (1).

3000 METRES STEEPLECHASE — FINAL

(4th September)

| | | | |
|---|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| 1 | LAIFA, J. P. | (1) New Caledonia | 10/23.8 |
| 2 | SAULEKALEKA, V. | (2) Fiji | 10/47.0 |
| 3 | RATUYAWA, S. | Fiji | 11/14.0 |
| 4 | Gould, K. S. | Fiji | 11/16.0 |
| 5 | Rabangaki, K. | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | 12/16.6 |
| 6 | Tatireta, A. F. | Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony | — |

Records: Games; Fiji All-comers; Laifa, J. P. (1); Fiji National; Saulekaleka, V. (2).

4 X 100 METRES RELAY — HEATS

(31st August)

HEAT 1

| | | |
|---|----------------|------|
| 1 | Fiji | 43.9 |
| 2 | New Hebrides | 45.7 |
| 3 | Cook Islands | 45.9 |
| 4 | American Samoa | 48.2 |

HEAT 2

| | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|------|
| 1 | New Caledonia | 43.4 |
| 2 | Papua/New Guinea | 43.5 |
| 3 | French Polynesia | 43.9 |
| 4 | British Solomon Islands Protectorate | 47.9 |

4 X 100 METRES RELAY — FINAL

(4th September)

| | | | |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|
| 1 | PAPUA/NEW GUINEA | (1) (Richter, Vuia, Sale, Muga) | 42.8 |
| 2 | NEW CALEDONIA | (Areski, Kaddour, Hmeun, Pothin) | 43.1 |
| 3 | FIJI | (Mocedreke, Raiyala, Nabou, Bower) | 43.3 |
| 4 | French Polynesia | (Bourne, Tetaria, Favereau, Mairai) | 44.3 |
| 5 | New Hebrides | (Kalpau, Tavituel, James, Nial) | 45.5 |
| 6 | Cook Islands | (Henry, Tutai, Utia, Noouu) | 45.9 |

Records: Games; Fiji All-comers, P.N.G. (1).

4 X 400 METRES RELAY — FINAL

(4th September)

| | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------|
| 1 | PAPUA/NEW GUINEA | (1) (Harrison, Vuia, Richter) | 3/24.3 |
| 2 | FIJI | (Racule, Waqa, Navusolo, Malamala) | 3/26.1 |
| 3 | NEW CALEDONIA | (Humuni A. Piepe, Yekawene, Vittori) | 3/31.4 |
| 4 | French Polynesia | (Martin, Doucet, Krauzer, Golaz) | 3/47.2 |
| 5 | New Hebrides | (Ronnie, Yuen, Kalsal, Kalpau) | 3/54.1 |
| 6 | British Solomon Islands Protectorate | (Olistation, Fafale Walerefoa, Anderson) | — |

A.S. disqualified for running out of lane.

Records: Games; Fiji All-comers, P.N.G. (1).

Men—Field

HIGH JUMP — FINAL

(31st August)

(The following jumped in the Final, after attaining the initial height of 5 feet 3 inches in the Preliminary Round).

| | | Metres |
|---|---------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1 | LABORAN, E. | (1) Papua/New Guinea 6ft. 3in. 1.90 |
| 2 | KABAKORO, T. | Fiji 5 11 1.80 |
| 3 | PASA, M. | New Caledonia 5 11 1.80 |
| 4 | Liga, V. | Fiji 5 9 1.75 |
| 5 | Moua, R. | French Polynesia 5 7 1.70 |
| 6 | Jack, W. | New Hebrides 5 6 1.68 |
| 7 | Salmon, J. | French Polynesia 5 6 1.68 |
| 8 | Wong, L. | French Polynesia 5 6 1.68 |

Record: Games, Laboran, E. (1).

POLE VAULT — FINAL

(31st August)

| | | Metres |
|---|------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1 | LATU, A. | (1) Kingdom of Tonga 11ft. 6in. 3.50 |
| 2 | WAEWO, J. | (2) New Hebrides 11 6 3.50 |
| 3 | MALATANA | Papua/New Guinea 11 3 3.43 |
| 4 | Latu S. | Kingdom of Tonga 10 6 3.20 |
| 5 | Head, F. | Niue 9 9 2.97 |
| 6 | Grand, E. | French Polynesia 9 9 2.97 |
| 7 | Fuimaano, N. | American Samoa 9 3 2.82 |
| 8 | Luinatoo, L. | Niue 9 3 2.82 |

Vatanimotu, K. (F) did not clear the initial height of 8ft. 0in. (2.44m).

Records: Games; Fiji All-comers; Latu, A. (1); Waewo, J. (2).

JAVELIN — PRELIMINARY

(31st August)

Qualified for Final

| | | Metres |
|---------------|----------------------------|--------|
| | (1) Fiji 205ft. 10 1/2 in. | 62.75 |
| Liga, V. | Papua/New Guinea 194 3 | 59.21 |
| Ivaharia, O. | New Caledonia 190 7 | 58.09 |
| Penissio, M. | New Caledonia 184 8 1/2 | 56.30 |
| Wakalina, D. | New Caledonia 171 9 1/2 | 52.86 |
| Toruafe, P. | New Hebrides 165 5 | 50.42 |
| Kalsal, J. | American Samoa 162 6 1/2 | 49.54 |
| Soliai, P. | Fiji 160 5 | 48.89 |
| Galuinadi, J. | | |

Did not Qualify

| | | |
|-------------|---------------------------|-------|
| Sivia, S. | American Samoa 153 7 1/2 | 46.82 |
| Taito'a, T. | American Samoa 147 11 1/2 | 45.10 |

JAVELIN — FINAL

| | | | |
|---|---------------------|-------------------------------|-------|
| 1 | IVAHARIA, O. | Papua/New Guinea 203ft. 8 in. | 61.08 |
| 2 | PENISSIO, M. | New Caledonia 196 6 1/2 | 59.88 |
| 3 | LIGA, V. | Fiji 195 10 1/2 | 59.70 |
| 4 | Wakalina, D. | New Caledonia 193 9 | 59.05 |
| 5 | Toruafe, P. | New Caledonia 192 2 1/2 | 58.58 |
| 6 | Galuinadi J. | Fiji 178 5 1/2 | 54.39 |
| 7 | Kalsal, J. | New Hebrides 168 0 1/2 | 51.22 |
| 8 | Soliai, P. | American Samoa 139 0 1/2 | 42.38 |

Record: Games, Liga, V. (1).

DISCUS — PRELIMINARY

(2nd September)

Qualified for Final

| | | Metres |
|----------------|--------------------------|--------|
| Rakuro, M. | Fiji 152ft. 4 in. | 46.43 |
| Hulot, A. | New Caledonia 127 11 | 38.99 |
| Vatanimotu, K. | Fiji 125 10 | 38.35 |
| Taiopu, M. | Western Samoa 118 1 1/2 | 36.00 |
| Mutu, P. | American Samoa 115 6 1/2 | 35.22 |
| Hiob, P. | Papua/New Guinea 112 6 | 34.29 |
| Tokawa, A. | New Caledonia 92 7 | 28.22 |
| Putoa, S. | American Samoa 83 11 | 25.58 |

Did not Qualify

| | | |
|----------|------------------------|-------|
| Jack, W. | New Hebrides 79 10 1/2 | 24.34 |
|----------|------------------------|-------|

DISCUS — FINAL

| | | Metres | |
|---|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------|
| 1 | RAKURO, M. | Fiji 161ft. 11 in. | 49.35 |
| 2 | VATANIMOTU, K. | Fiji 130 6 | 39.77 |
| 3 | HULOT, A. | New Caledonia 126 1 | 38.43 |
| 4 | Tokawa, A. | New Caledonia 115 10 1/2 | 35.32 |
| 5 | Hiob, P. | Papua/New Guinea 115 3 1/2 | 35.16 |
| 6 | Taiopu, M. | Western Samoa 113 11 1/2 | 34.73 |
| 7 | Mutu, P. | American Samoa 89 0 1/2 | 27.14 |
| 8 | Putoa, S. | American Samoa 86 7 1/2 | 26.40 |

Record: Games, Rakuro, M. (1).

LONG JUMP — PRELIMINARY

(31st August)

Qualified for Final

| | | Metres |
|--------------|-------------------------------|--------|
| Kaddour, C. | (1) New Caledonia 23ft. 6 in. | 7.16 |
| Bell, A. | New Hebrides 22 6 | 6.86 |
| Kabakoro, T. | Fiji 21 10 1/4 | 6.66 |
| Pothin, J. | New Caledonia 21 9 1/4 | 6.63 |
| Fa'atonu, I. | Western Samoa 21 3 | 6.48 |
| Mairai, J. | French Polynesia 21 2 3/4 | 6.47 |
| Tetaria, C. | French Polynesia 21 1 | 6.42 |
| Bola, R. | Papua/New Guinea 20 11 1/2 | 6.39 |

Did not Qualify

| | | |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|------|
| Abai, T. | Papua/New Guinea 20ft. 11 1/4 in. | 6.38 |
| Harrison, C. | Papua/New Guinea 20 6 | 6.25 |
| Raiyala, K. N. | Fiji 20 5 3/4 | 6.24 |
| Sua'mene, I. | Western Samoa 19 9 | 6.02 |



J. Bourne, French Polynesia, comes in first in his heat of the 200 metres.

| | | | | |
|------------------|--------------------------|----|-------|------|
| Waura, S. | British Solomon Is. Pro. | 19 | 7 | 5.97 |
| Lawe, S. | Fiji | 19 | 6 1/2 | 5.95 |
| Fa'apouli, T. | American Samoa | 19 | 2 | 5.84 |
| Luifua, S. | American Samoa | 13 | 3 | 4.04 |
| Gaoso, P. (A.S.) | scratched. | | | |

Windgauge reading on best jump (C. Kaddour) of 23ft. 6in. plus 7.8.

| | | | | | |
|---|----------------|------------------|----|-------|-------|
| 6 | Cadousteau, A. | French Polynesia | 38 | 7 3/4 | 11.78 |
| 7 | Vatanimotu, K. | Fiji | 38 | 5 | 11.71 |
| 8 | Pulo'u, K. K. | Kingdom of Tonga | 38 | 0 | 11.58 |

Record: Games, Rakuro M. (1).

LONG JUMP — FINAL

(2nd September)

| | | Metres |
|---|------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1 | KADDOUR, C. New Caledonia | 22ft. 11 in. 6.98 |
| 2 | POTHIN, J. New Caledonia | 21 6 1/2 6.56 |
| 3 | TETARIA, C. French Polynesia | 21 4 1/4 6.51 |
| 4 | Fa'atonu I. Western Samoa | 21 3 6.48 |
| 5 | Kabakoro, T. Fiji | 21 2 6.45 |
| 6 | Mairai, J. French Polynesia | 21 2 6.45 |
| 7 | Bell, A. New Hebrides | 20 6 1/2 6.26 |
| 8 | Bola, R. Papua/New Guinea | 20 2 3/4 6.16 |

Windgauge reading on best jump (C. Kaddour) minus 17.0.

Records: Games; Fiji All-comers, Kaddour, C. (1).

SHOT PUTT — PRELIMINARY

(31st August)

Qualified for Final

| | | Metres |
|----------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| Rakuro, M. | Fiji | 46ft. 6 3/4 in. 14.19 |
| Takawa, A. | New Caledonia | 44 10 3/4 13.68 |
| Taiopu, M. | Western Samoa | 41 9 12.72 |
| Wakalina, P. | New Caledonia | 40 8 1/2 12.41 |
| Bone, M. | New Caledonia | 40 6 12.34 |
| Polotu, K. K. | Kingdom of Tonga | 39 11 3/4 12.18 |
| Vatanimotu, K. | Fiji | 38 6 3/4 11.75 |
| Cadousteau, A. | French Polynesia | 37 9 1/2 11.51 |

Did not qualify

| | | |
|-------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| Nakaora, M. | Fiji | 35ft. 7 3/4 in. 10.86 |
| Taito'a, T. | American Samoa | 35 0 1/2 10.68 |
| Soliai, P. | American Samoa | 34 9 1/2 10.60 |
| Mutu, P. | American Samoa | 33 10 1/2 10.32 |

SHOT PUTT — FINAL

(4th September)

| | | | | |
|---|--------------|---------------|-----------------|-------|
| 1 | RAKURO, M. | (1) Fiji | 47ft. 6 1/2 in. | 14.49 |
| 2 | TOKAWA, A. | New Caledonia | 45 7 | 13.89 |
| 3 | WAKALINA, P. | New Caledonia | 44 2 3/4 | 13.48 |
| 4 | Taiopu, M. | Western Samoa | 42 9 3/4 | 13.05 |
| 5 | Bone, M. | New Caledonia | 42 0 | 12.80 |

TRIPLE JUMP — PRELIMINARY

(2nd September)

Qualified for Final

| | | Metres |
|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Kaddour, C. | (1) New Caledonia | 49ft. 0 in. 14.84 |
| Kabakoro, T. | (2) Fiji | 46 10 14.27 |
| Bell, A. | New Hebrides | 46 3 1/2 14.11 |
| Lawe, S. | Fiji | 44 6 13.56 |
| Fa'atonu, I. | Western Samoa | 44 2 1/2 13.47 |
| Leweniqila, W. | Fiji | 44 2 1/2 13.47 |
| Latu, S. | Kingdom of Tonga | 43 11 3/4 13.40 |
| Abai, T. | Papua/New Guinea | 43 8 1/2 13.32 |

Did not qualify

| | | |
|---------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Yekawene, A. | New Caledonia | 43ft. 7 in. 13.28 |
| Fuller, F. | French Polynesia | 42 11 1/2 13.09 |
| Bola, R. | Papua/New Guinea | 42 8 1/4 13.01 |
| Harrison, C. | Papua/New Guinea | 42 1 1/2 12.84 |
| Sua'mene, I. | Western Samoa | 42 0 1/4 12.81 |
| Latu, A. | Kingdom of Tonga | 41 9 1/2 12.74 |
| Moua, R. | French Polynesia | 41 8 1/2 12.71 |
| Hukui, C. F. | Niue | 41 7 3/4 12.69 |
| Fa'apouli, T. | American Samoa | 39 3 11.96 |

Liufau, S. (A.S.) and Gaisoa, P. (A.S.) scratched.

(1) This jump: measurement of windgauge was plus 13.3. Cannot therefore be a record.

(2) This jump: measurement of windgauge was plus 8.8.

TRIPLE JUMP — FINAL

(4th September)

| | | Metres |
|---|----------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1 | KADDOUR, C. | New Caledonia 46ft. 8 1/4 in. 14.23 |
| 2 | KABAKORO, T. | Fiji 46 1 14.05 |
| 3 | LATU, S. | Kingdom of Tonga 43 10 1/2 13.37 |
| 4 | Abai, T. | Papua/New Guinea 42 9 1/4 13.04 |
| 5 | Falatonu, I. | Western Samoa 41 8 1/2 12.71 |
| 6 | Leweniqila, W. | Fiji 41 7 3/4 12.69 |
| 7 | Lawe, S. | Fiji 40 8 1/4 12.40 |

Bell, A. (N.H.) scratched.

Record: Games, Kabakoro, T. (2).



S. Keki of American Samoa putting the shot.

Women — Track

100 METRES — HEATS

(31st August)

| HEAT 1 | | |
|--------|--------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | Ramacake, A. | Fiji 12.8 |
| 2 | Tanc, D. | New Caledonia 13.4 |
| 3 | Puri, M. | Cook Islands 13.5 |
| 4 | Ellison, L. | Papua/New Guinea 13.6 |
| 5 | Sagapolu, T. | American Samoa 13.8 |
| 6 | Lutu, A. | American Samoa 13.9 |

HEAT 2

| | | |
|---|-----------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | Phillips, E. A. | Fiji 12.5 |
| 2 | Vakalala, M. | Fiji 12.8 |
| 3 | Rasmussen, D. | Western Samoa 13.5 |
| 4 | Malvoisin, A. | French Polynesia 14.3 |
| 5 | Ponafala, T. | American Samoa 14.3 |

Bigourd, G. (N.C.) and Haro, I. (P.N.G.) scratched

Windgauge measurements: Heat 1, minus 16.0; Heat 2, minus 3.0

100 METRES — FINAL

(2nd September)

| | | |
|---|-----------------|--------------------|
| 1 | RAMACAKE, A. | (1) Fiji 12.2 |
| 2 | VAKALALA, M. | Fiji 12.3 |
| 3 | PHILLIPS, E. A. | Fiji 12.5 |
| 4 | Tanc, D. | New Caledonia 12.9 |
| 5 | Puri, M. | Cook Islands 12.9 |
| 6 | Rasmussen, D. | Western Samoa 13.2 |

Windgauge measurement: plus 16.0.

Records: Games; Fiji All-comers; Fiji National, Ramacake, A. (1).

200 METRES — HEATS

(2nd September)

HEAT 1

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|------------------|------|
| 1 | Ramacake, A. | Fiji | 26.0 |
| 2 | Phillips, E. A. | Fiji | 26.7 |
| 3 | Ellison, L. | Papua/New Guinea | 27.3 |
| 4 | Ele, M. | Western Samoa | 27.9 |
| 5 | Hunkin, A. | American Samoa | 28.5 |
| 6 | Bigourd, D. | New Caledonia | 29.3 |

HEAT 2

| | | | |
|---|---------------|----------------|------|
| 1 | Vakalala, M. | (1) Fiji | 25.9 |
| 2 | Tanc, D. | New Caledonia | 27.0 |
| 3 | Puri, M. | Cook Islands | 27.3 |
| 4 | Rasmussen, D. | Western Samoa | 28.0 |
| 5 | Sagapolu, T. | American Samoa | 28.9 |
| 6 | Taleuati, A. | American Samoa | 29.2 |

Windgauge measurements: Heat 1, plus 1.5; Heat 2, plus 4.2.

200 METRES — FINAL

(4th September)

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|------------------|------|
| 1 | VAKALALA, M. | Fiji | 26.3 |
| 2 | RAMACAKE, A. | Fiji | 26.4 |
| 3 | PHILLIPS, E. A. | Fiji | 26.7 |
| 4 | Tanc, D. | New Caledonia | 28.0 |
| 5 | Puri, M. | Cook Islands | 28.3 |
| 6 | Ellison, L. | Papua/New Guinea | 28.4 |

Windgauge measurement: minus 60.

Records: Games; Fiji All-comers; Fiji National; Vakalala, M. (1).

800 METRES — FINAL

(4th September)

| | | | |
|---|------------------|-------------------|--------|
| 1 | BIGOURD, G. | (1) New Caledonia | 2/28.0 |
| 2 | LOTU, L. L. | (2) Fiji | 2/33.0 |
| 3 | SERUKALOU, A. V. | Fiji | — |
| 4 | Ele, M. | Western Samoa | 2/45.0 |
| 5 | Ponafala, T. | American Samoa | 2/57.0 |
| 6 | Misa, S. | American Samoa | — |

Records: Games; Fiji All-comers, Bigourd, D. (1); Fiji National, Lotu, L. L. (2).

4 X 100 METRES RELAY — FINAL

(4th September)

| | | | |
|---|------|--|------|
| 1 | FIJI | (1) (Vakalala, Ramacake, Kuruvoli, Phillips) | 50.0 |
|---|------|--|------|

Disqualified for baton change outside area:

| | | |
|----------------|------------------------------------|------|
| Western Samoa | (Rasmussen, Ele, Pua, Talauta) | 55.2 |
| American Samoa | (Sagapolu, Lutu, Hunkin, Ponafala) | 55.6 |

Records: Games; Fiji All-comers, Fiji (1).

80 METRES HURDLES — HEATS

(31st August)

HEAT 1

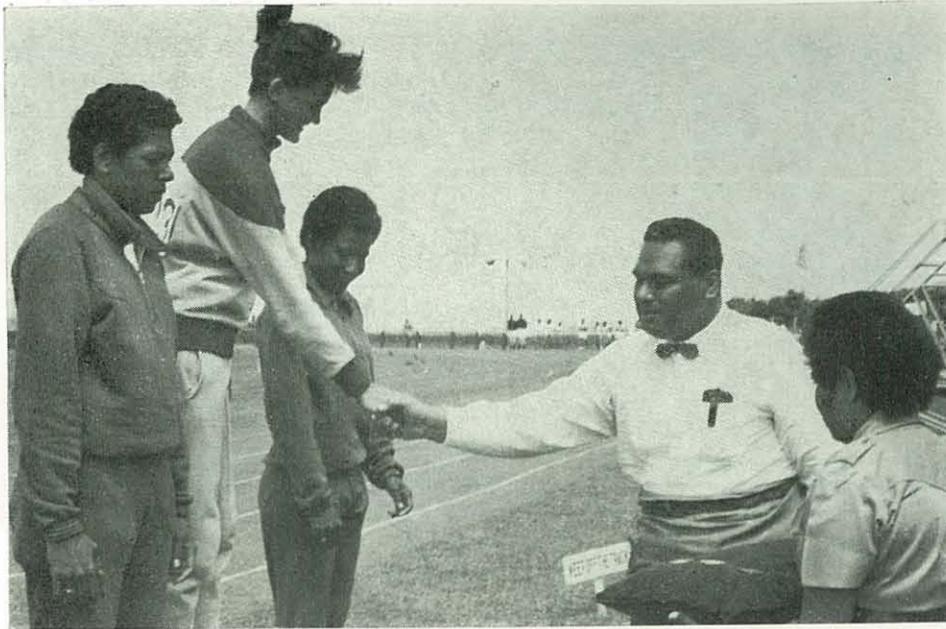
| | | | |
|---|-----------------|----------------|------|
| 1 | Phillips, E. A. | (2) Fiji | 13.8 |
| 2 | Woodhouse, M. | Fiji | 14.6 |
| 3 | Lutu, A. | American Samoa | 15.6 |

McBraun, E. (A.S.) scratched.

HEAT 2

| | | | |
|---|--------------|----------------------|------|
| 1 | Sarciaux, H. | (1) French Polynesia | 13.1 |
| 2 | Ramacake, A. | Fiji | 14.4 |
| 3 | Taleuati, A. | American Samoa | 16.3 |

Windgauge measurements: Heat 1, plus 1.5; Heat 2, minus 2.0.



H.R.H. Prince Tu'ipelehake presenting the gold medal for the women's 80 metre hurdles to H. Sarciaux of French Polynesia. E. A. Phillips and A. Ramacake both of Fiji won second and third.

80 METRES HURDLES — FINAL
(2nd September)

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|------------------|------|
| 1 | SARCIAUX, H. | French Polynesia | 12.8 |
| 2 | PHILLIPS, E. A. | Fiji | 13.1 |
| 3 | RAMACAKE, A. | Fiji | 13.7 |
| 4 | Woodhouse, M. | Fiji | 13.9 |
| 5 | Lutu, A. | American Samoa | 15.0 |
| 6 | Taleuati, A. | American Samoa | 15.3 |

Windgauge measurement: plus 23.2.
Records: Games; Fiji All-comers, Sarciaux, H. (1); Fiji National, Phillips, E. A. (2).

Women—Field

HIGH JUMP — FINAL
(2nd September)

| | | | | |
|---|-----------------|------------------|------------|------|
| 1 | WOODHOUSE, M. | (1) Fiji | 4ft. 10in. | 1.47 |
| 2 | PHILLIPS, E. A. | Fiji | 4 9 | 1.45 |
| 3 | SARCIAUX, H. | French Polynesia | 4 7 | 1.40 |
| 4 | Ramacake, A. | Fiji | 4 6 | 1.37 |
| 5 | Ah Kiona, A. | Western Samoa | 4 6 | 1.37 |

Taleuati, A. (A.S.), Hunkin, A. (A.S.) and Haro, I. (P.N.G.) did not clear the initial height of 4ft. 3in. (1.30m).
Ellison, L. (P.N.G.) and Lutu, A. (A.S.) scratched.
Record: Games, Woodhouse, M. (1).

LONG JUMP — FINAL
(31st August)

| | | | | |
|---|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|------|
| 1 | KURUVOLI, K. L. | (1) Fiji | 18ft. 0 3/4 in. | 5.51 |
| 2 | RAMACAKE, A. | Fiji | 17 9 1/2 | 5.42 |
| 3 | VAKALALA, M. | Fiji | 15 8 1/4 | 4.78 |
| 4 | Sarciaux, H. | French Polynesia | 15 3 | 4.65 |
| 5 | Haro, I. | Papua/New Guinea | 13 10 | 4.16 |
| 6 | Hunkin, A. | American Samoa | 13 7 | 4.14 |
| 7 | Ah Kiona, A. | Western Samoa | 13 3 1/4 | 4.04 |
| 8 | Ponafala, T. | American Samoa | 12 10 | 3.93 |

Ellison, L. (P.N.G.) and Lutu, A. (A.S.) each had three no-jumps.
Tanc, D. (N.C.) scratched.
Windgauge measurement on winning jump: 0.0.
Records: Games; Fiji All-comers; Fiji National, Kuruvoli, K. L. (1).

SHOT PUTT — FINAL
(31st August)

| | | | | |
|----|--------------|------------------|-------------|-------|
| 1 | TURUKAWA, M. | (1) Fiji | 37ft. 7 in. | 11.45 |
| 2 | TETUAIWA, M. | French Polynesia | 33 2 | 10.11 |
| 3 | PUA, V. | Western Samoa | 32 8 3/4 | 10.07 |
| 4 | Carter, A. | Western Samoa | 31 9 1/2 | 9.79 |
| 5 | Keki, S. | American Samoa | 31 4 3/4 | 9.67 |
| 6 | Naimotu, A. | Fiji | 31 2 | 9.50 |
| 7 | Haro, I. | Papua/New Guinea | 28 6 | 8.68 |
| 8 | David, S. | French Polynesia | 28 2 3/4 | 8.60 |
| 9 | Le'iato, P. | American Samoa | 28 0 1/2 | 8.54 |
| 10 | Togafau, S. | American Samoa | 26 7 1/2 | 8.11 |
| 11 | Kapa, K. | Papua/New Guinea | 24 8 1/4 | 7.52 |

Record: Games, Turukawa, M. (1).

DISCUS — FINAL
(2nd September)

| | | | | |
|----|--------------|------------------|------------------|-------|
| 1 | TURUKAWA, M. | (1) Fiji | 117ft. 1 1/2 in. | 35.27 |
| 2 | DAVID, S. | French Polynesia | 109 0 1/2 | 33.23 |
| 3 | TANC, D. | New Caledonia | 98 2 3/4 | 29.93 |
| 4 | Keki, S. | American Samoa | 97 3 3/4 | 29.66 |
| 5 | Talauta, G. | Western Samoa | 96 6 | 29.41 |
| 6 | Pua, V. | Western Samoa | 93 1 1/2 | 28.38 |
| 7 | Le'iato, P. | American Samoa | 92 2 | 28.09 |
| 8 | Togafau, S. | American Samoa | 87 7 | 26.69 |
| 9 | Naimotu, A. | Fiji | 85 6 1/2 | 26.07 |
| 10 | Haro, I. | Papua/New Guinea | 76 7 1/2 | 23.35 |
| 11 | Nadumu, L. | Fiji | 75 1 | 22.88 |

Record: Games, Turukawa, M. (1).

JAVELIN — FINAL
(4th September)

| | | | | |
|---|-----------------|------------------|------------------|-------|
| 1 | TURUKAWA, M. | (1) Fiji | 120ft. 0 1/2 in. | 36.59 |
| 2 | HARO, I. | Papua/New Guinea | 105 2 | 32.05 |
| 3 | NADUMU, L. | Fiji | 104 2 | 31.75 |
| 4 | Keki, S. | American Samoa | 102 7 1/2 | 31.27 |
| 5 | Kuruvoli, K. L. | Fiji | 97 4 | 29.67 |
| 6 | Fagai, F. | American Samoa | 92 7 1/2 | 28.23 |

Ellison, I. (P.N.G.) scratched.
Record: Games, Turukawa, M. (1).
Conversion factor: 1 Metre = 3.28084 feet.

Athletics Officials

I.A.A.F. REPRESENTATIVE

F. W. Humphreys (Australia)

Jury of Appeal

F. W. Humphreys, (I.A.A.F.), D. W. Murty (Papua/New Guinea), W. P. Ragg.

TECHNICAL OFFICIALS — ADMINISTRATIVE

Arena Manager

A. J. Scott

Technical Manager

S. W. Meeks

TECHNICAL OFFICIALS — TRACK EVENTS

Referee

Brother Placid

Deputy Referee

R. Fricker

Judges

J. C. Irving (Chief), J. C. Wright (Samoa), G Artigouha (French Polynesia), A. Scott (Papua/New Guinea), C. T. Martin, W. J. Kilroy, Ahmed Ali, P. Ellis.

Timekeepers

Brother Walter (Chief), Miss G. Cuthbertson (Papua/New Guinea), G. Catros (French Polynesia), J. Rahim, W. Thompson, B. Chandra, S. Matau, E. B. Seru, J. Peters.

Starter

K. Huddleston

Reserve Starter

S. W. Meeks

Starter's Assistants

E. Cakacaka, G. Guivalu, J. Qio, M. Idro, N. Delai-lomaloma, Raja Ram.

Lap Scorers

Brother Bertrand (Chief), J. Nuku, Madame Catros (French Polynesia), J. Vei, Raj Singh, K. Matatolu.

Umpires

Mrs. Fraser (B.S.I.P.) T. R. Stuart, P. Sotutu, M. Hameed, F. Hong Tiy, M. E. Latianara, T. K. Naqali.

Windgauge

S. Besley

Assistant

P. Rakoroi

All Technical Officials are supplied by Fiji Amateur Athletic Association unless otherwise stated.

TECHNICAL OFFICIALS — FIELD EVENTS

Chief Referee

W. E. Donnelly

Referees

D. Cater, A. McLauchlan, R. York.

Judges

J. E. Harlan (American Samoa), Brother Patrick, H. G. Horton, J. Lay, R. King, G. Petersen, P. Beveridge, Q. Rodda, J. Tokona.

Stewards

T. P. Gardiner, S. Yaqona, T. R. Vakatora, J. Folkard, A. Gopalan, J. T. Buadromo, G. Farnsworth, F. Chandra, N. Neda (Papua/New Guinea), W. Side-bottom (Papua/New Guinea).

TECHNICAL OFFICIALS — GENERAL

Chief Marshal

V. C. Rucks

Marshals

S. P. O. Clements, P. O. Childs, A. B. Thomas, R. O. 2 Foreshaw, R. O. 2 Wright, R. E. M. Williams (all of H.M.S. "Cook").

Equipment Manager

J. Mula

Assistant

M. Solomone

Announcer

J. R. Greig

Assistant

P. Naisau

Recorders

G. B. Gregory, W. K. Wilson (Australia) V. C. Hop.

Ceremonial Liaison

R. M. Jenkins

Assistants

C.P.O. Humphrey, Wtr. Morgan, L/S Wilkinson (all of H.M.S. "Cook").

Dressing Room Stewards

(Ladies) Mrs. K. R. Bremner, Mrs. S. Sharpe, Miss P. Horton. (Men) P.O. Jackson, P.O. Godley (both of H.M.S. "Cook").

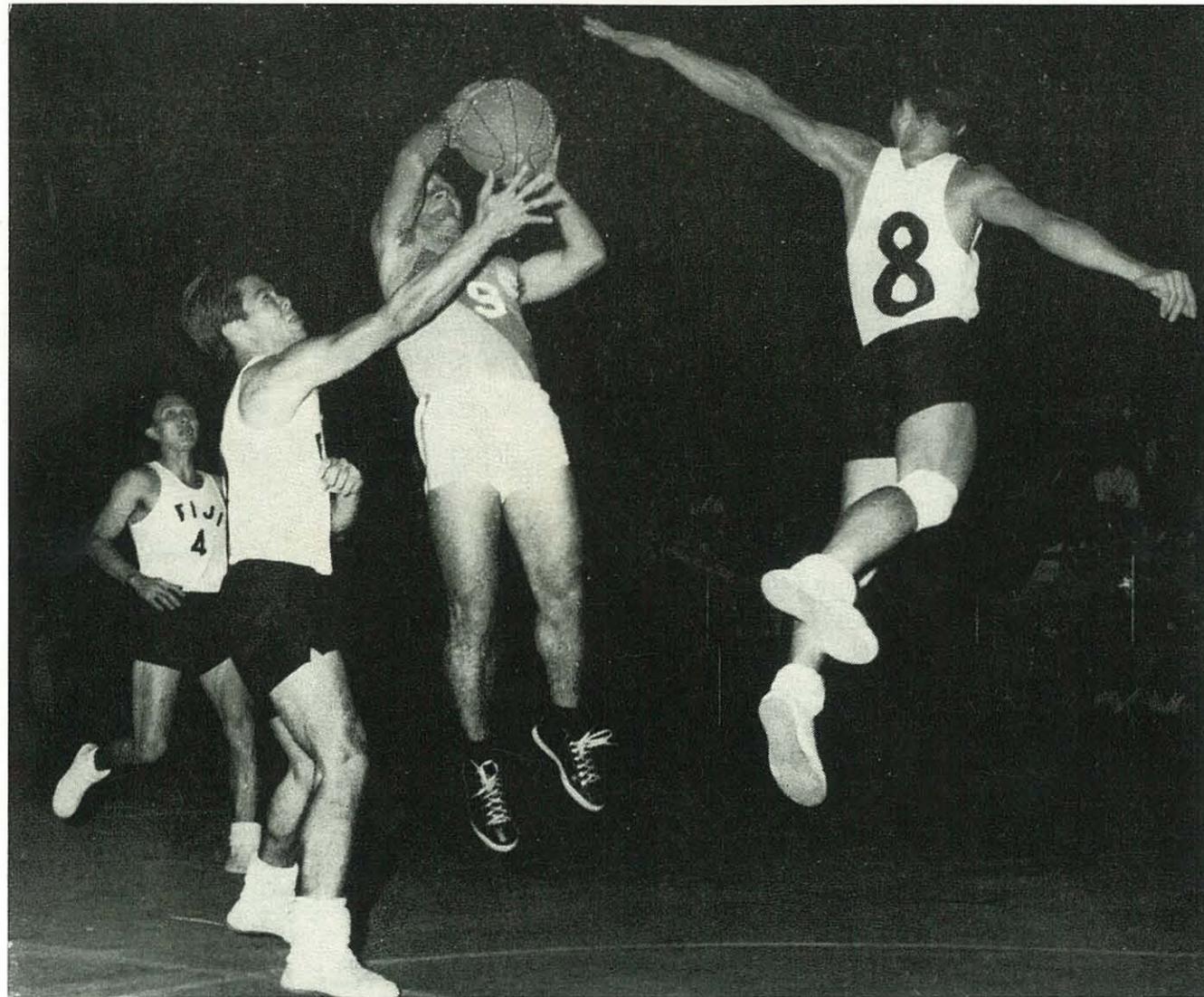
Medal Winners—Athletics—Men

| EVENT | GOLD MEDAL | SILVER MEDAL | BRONZE MEDAL |
|--------------------------|---|---|---|
| 100 metres | J. Pothin New Caledonia | K. N. Raiyala Fiji | C. Kaddour New Caledonia |
| 200 metres | C. Kaddour New Caledonia | A. Nabou Fiji | B. I. Richter Papua/New Guinea |
| 400 metres | C. Harrison Papua/New Guinea | W. Maina Papua/New Guinea | A. Racule Fiji |
| 800 metres | M. Joyce Papua/New Guinea | S. Naivalurua Fiji | S. Rokovesa Fiji |
| 1500 metres | S. Tuifangaloka Kingdom of Tonga | M. Joyce Papua/New Guinea | S. Rokovesa Fiji |
| 110 metres Hurdles | C. Tetaria French Polynesia | K. Pale Kingdom of Tonga | R. Mitchell Fiji |
| 400 metres Hurdles | O. Malamala Fiji | G. Southwick Fiji | P. Martin French Polynesia |
| 5000 metres | M. Joyce Papua/New Guinea | K. Pupa Cook Islands | K. S. Gould Fiji |
| 10,000 metres | V. Saulekaleka Fiji | T. Mango Gilbert & Ellice Islands Colony | K. S. Gould Fiji |
| 3000 metres Steeplechase | J. P. Laifa New Caledonia | V. Saulekaleka Fiji | S. Raturawa Fiji |
| 4 x 100 metres Relay | B. I. Richter J. Vuia Sale M. Muga Papua/New Guinea | A. Areski C. Kaddour Hmeun J. Pothin New Caledonia | S. Moceidreke K. N. Raiyala A. Nabou F. Bower Fiji |
| 4 x 400 metres Relay | C. Harrison J. Vuia K. Vela B. I. Richter Papua/New Guinea | A. D. Racule L. Waqa J. Navusolo O. Malamala Fiji | A. Humuni A. Piepe A. Yekawene Vittori New Caledonia |
| High Jump | E. Laboran Papua/New Guinea | T. Kabakoro Fiji | M. Pasa New Caledonia |
| Pole Vault | A. Latu Kingdom of Tonga | J. Waewo New Hebrides | Malatana Papua/New Guinea |
| Javelin | O. Ivaharia Papua/New Guinea | M. Penissio New Caledonia | V. Liga Fiji |
| Discus | M. Rakuro Fiji | K. Vatanimotu Fiji | A. Hulot New Caledonia |
| Long Jump | C. Kaddour New Caledonia | J. Pothin New Caledonia | C. Tetaria French Polynesia |
| Shot Putt | M. Rakuro Fiji | A. Tokawa New Caledonia | P. Wakalina New Caledonia |
| Triple Jump | C. Kaddour New Caledonia | T. Kabakoro Fiji | S. Latu Kingdom of Tonga |

Medal Winners—Athletics—Women

| EVENT | GOLD MEDAL | SILVER MEDAL | BRONZE MEDAL |
|----------------------|---|--|--|
| 100 metres | A. Ramacake Fiji | M. Vakalala Fiji | E. A. Phillips Fiji |
| 200 metres | M. Vakalala Fiji | A. Ramacake Fiji | E. A. Phillips Fiji |
| 800 metres | G. Bigourd New Caledonia | L. L. Lotu Fiji | A. V. Serukalou Fiji |
| 4 x 100 metres Relay | M. Vakalala A. Ramacake K. L. Kuruvoli E. A. Phillips Fiji | Disqualified | Disqualified |
| 80 metres Hurdles | H. Sarciaux French Polynesia | E. A. Phillips Fiji | A. Ramacake Fiji |
| High Jump | M. Woodhouse Fiji | E. A. Phillips Fiji | H. Sarciaux French Polynesia |
| Long Jump | K. L. Kuruvoli Fiji | A. Ramacake Fiji | M. Vakalala Fiji |
| Shot Putt | M. Turukawa Fiji | M. Tetuaiva French Polynesia | V. Pua Western Samoa |
| Discus | M. Turukawa Fiji | S. David French Polynesia | D. Tanc New Caledonia |
| Javelin | M. Turukawa Fiji | I. Haro Papua/New Guinea | L. Nadumu Fiji |





Fiji player George Cheng leaps high to block a New Caledonia offensive move. New Caledonia won 54-46.

INDOOR BASKETBALL—MEN

Seven territories took part in this event which was played partly at night and ran smoothly from start to finish: it was well supported, spectators filling the available accommodation fully for all matches. Starting times were strictly adhered to throughout and transport arrangements worked very well. In view of the cramped programme, this was most important.

VENUE

The matches were played at Buckhurst Park on concrete on what are normally two minimum sized standard courts. These lines were painted out,

and the posts moved to make one international standard court at right-angles to the normal direction of play. This provided a better court with ample space around.

PRACTICE TRAINING

Practice was on the match court during the day on a roster system and was thus not available for night training. This was unsatisfactory and in future night training facilities should be available under conditions identical to those under which the matches are played.

AFFILIATION

This is the only sport in which the International Association accepted an affiliation from the South Pacific Games Council on behalf of all participating territories. It is the responsibility of the Council to see that this is paid annually and not lost sight of. The affiliation fee has been paid for 1964 and the Secretary of the Federation Internationale de Basketball Amateur, at Munich informed of the change of address of the Council.

ORGANISATION

Considerable attention was given for three weeks prior to the Games to the training of local officials and this paid off handsomely in the efficient handling of the event.

As a result of an appeal for help to the Royal New Zealand Air Force, they arranged for the posting of two experienced referees from New Zealand for the duration of the Games. This was of immense help.

The match controlling equipment consisted of —

1. Player time clock.
2. Bell — used to indicate halftime and fulltime.
3. Horn — used to signify times out and substitutions.
4. Scoreboard, visible to all.

COMMENT

1. The match series was too compressed; it should be spread over a much longer period.
2. That the flood-lighting be of a very much higher intensity. The inadequacy of the lighting was the subject of considerable adverse criticism. Theoretically it was strong enough but in practice it was not.
3. It is much better if the matches be played indoors as the name implies. This would make the lighting problem much easier.



Nauru players running through their training drill.

Indoor Basketball Results—Men

Thursday, 29th August:

| | WON BY | GOALS |
|----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| Western Samoa v French Polynesia | French Polynesia | 83—32 |
| Papua/New Guinea v Nauru | Nauru | 70—45 |
| Fiji v American Samoa | American Samoa | 54—37 |

Friday, 30th August:

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| American Samoa v Western Samoa | American Samoa | 56—26 |
| Fiji v Papua/New Guinea | Papua/New Guinea | 42—40 |
| New Caledonia v Nauru | Nauru | 45—39 |
| American Samoa v French Polynesia | French Polynesia | 70—45 |

Saturday, 31st August:

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| New Caledonia v Papua/New Guinea | Papua/New Guinea | 42—40 |
| French Polynesia v Fiji | French Polynesia | 82—32 |
| American Samoa v Nauru | American Samoa | 45—40 |
| New Caledonia v Western Samoa | New Caledonia | 55—49 |

Monday 2nd September:

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| Fiji v Nauru | Fiji | 59—46 |
| New Caledonia v French Polynesia | French Polynesia | 61—42 |
| American Samoa v Papua/New Guinea | American Samoa | 65—46 |
| Fiji v Western Samoa | Fiji | 45—36 |

Tuesday, 3rd September:

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| New Caledonia v American Samoa | American Samoa | 58—44 |
| French Polynesia v Nauru | French Polynesia | 85—50 |
| Western Samoa v Papua/New Guinea | Papua/New Guinea | 59—51 |

Wednesday, 4th September:

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| Fiji v New Caledonia | New Caledonia | 54—46 |
| Western Samoa v Nauru | Nauru | 59—36 |
| French Polynesia v Papua/New Guinea | French Polynesia | 75—39 |

Thursday, 5th September:

| | | |
|--------------------------|------------------|-------|
| Nauru v Papua/New Guinea | Papua/New Guinea | 61—54 |
|--------------------------|------------------|-------|

FINAL PLACINGS

| | | |
|------|-------------------------|---------------|
| 1st. | FRENCH POLYNESIA | 6 wins |
| 2nd. | AMERICAN SAMOA | 5 wins |
| 3rd. | PAPUA/NEW GUINEA | 4 wins |
| 4th. | Nauru | 3 wins |
| 5th. | New Caledonia | 2 wins |
| 6th. | Fiji | 2 wins |
| 7th. | Western Samoa | Nil. |

Indoor Basketball—Officials

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

D. Sewell (Fiji) Chairman. G. Artigouha (French Polynesia), C. Nielson (Western Samoa), R. Edwards (New Zealand) Referees' Representative, (New Zealand).

ARENA MANAGER

D. Sewell (F)

REFEREES

G. Artigouha (French Polynesia), A. Haereroora (French Polynesia), W. Meehl (New Zealand), R. Edwards (New Zealand), L. Seerup (Fiji), K. Gayfer (Fiji).

SCORERS

T. Hoy (Fiji), L. Lorrigan (Fiji), W. Craig (Fiji) K. Chadwick (Fiji).

TIMEKEEPERS

G. Farrelly (Papua/New Guinea), R. Towersey (Fiji), B. Harris (Fiji), Kat Yee Joy (Fiji), N. Fong (Fiji).

GAME CLOCK AND SCOREBOARD

P. Seeto (Fiji), J. Chang (Fiji), M. Short (Fiji).

STEWARDS

J. Maivosaroko (Fiji), R. Barson (Fiji), D. Gray (Fiji).

Medal Winners—Indoor Basketball—Men

| GOLD MEDAL | SILVER MEDAL | BRONZE MEDAL |
|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| J. B. Bonnet | F. Buttell | J. Chui |
| J. Bonno | L. Fiso | M. Hilton |
| S. Hargous | P. Gaisoa | P. Hiob |
| R. Hart | B. Ho Ching | J. Labi |
| P. Kimitete | H. Letutu | L. Ning |
| H. Mariteragi | F. Nomura | J. Seeto |
| J. Tetutaata | R. Nomura | M. Tovae |
| C. Thunot | P. Soliai | C. Yip |
| W. Van Bastoler | T. Taito'a | |
| J. Mariassouce | M. Tiimalu | |
| R. Moua | S. Vaka | |
| FRENCH POLYNESIA | AMERICAN SAMOA | PAPUA/NEW GUINEA |



Women's basketball was played on Albert Park. It looks as though the screen was not thick enough!

WOMENS SEVEN—ASIDE BASKETBALL

Five territories took part in the competition which was played on the league system.

VENUE

Matches were played on a grass court on Albert Park next to the Volleyball and as the weather turned out, this was satisfactory but provision had been made to play on hard courts had the weather been bad.

PRACTICE COURTS

Four practice grass courts were available in the Botanical Gardens and two at Veiuo: this was more than enough but each team should have a court to itself either morning or afternoon each day.

SURFACE OF COURTS

Whatever the surface that the matches are played on, it is most important that the practice courts be of the same material.

REFEREES

None of the territories had referees of the necessary standard, so private arrangements were made with two well known New Zealand referees to come up to Fiji.

It is recommended on future occasions, if it is necessary, the New Zealand Women's Basketball Association be approached to provide two referees of the necessary calibre.

MARKING PLAYERS

On this occasion sets of bibs were provided for players to put on over their uniforms — it would however be much more satisfactory if each team brought their own, the size of the bibs and number being specified in advance. A set consists of the following initials G.S., G.K., G.D., G.A., W.A., W.D., and C.

Basketball Results—Women

| | WON BY | GOALS |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| Friday, 30th August: | | |
| Western Samoa v Papua/New Guinea | Western Samoa | 26—18 |
| Fiji v American Samoa | Fiji | 35—6 |
| Saturday, 31st August: | | |
| Western Samoa v American Samoa | Western Samoa | 32—8 |
| Papua/New Guinea v Niue | Papua/New Guinea | 33—9 |
| Monday, 2nd September: | | |
| Niue v American Samoa | Draw | 15—15 |
| Western Samoa v Fiji | Fiji | 27—26 |
| Tuesday, 3rd September: | | |
| American Samoa v Papua/New Guinea | Papua/New Guinea | 22—12 |
| Fiji v Niue | Fiji | 39—12 |
| Wednesday, 4th September: | | |
| Niue v Western Samoa | Western Samoa | 53—11 |
| Fiji v Papua/New Guinea | Fiji | 28—23 |



The leap that was in vain! A Fiji player out-manoevred.

FINAL PLACINGS

- 1st FIJI
- 2nd WESTERN SAMOA
- 3rd PAPUA/NEW GUINEA
- 4th American Samoa
- 5th Niue.

Basketball—Women Officials

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

R. Flynn, (Papua/New Guinea) Chairman, J. A. Eden (Fiji) Secretary, N. E. Bates (Niue), R. Langkilde (American Samoa), A. To'oto'o, (Western Samoa).

REFEREES

S. Schnack (New Zealand), B. Ingram, (New Zealand); A. Ussher, (Fiji), J. A. Eden (Fiji), (Reserves).

SCORERS

Paulini Rakavona, R. Hislop (Fiji)

ASSISTANT SCORERS

B. Curtis, E. David (Fiji)

TIMEKEEPERS

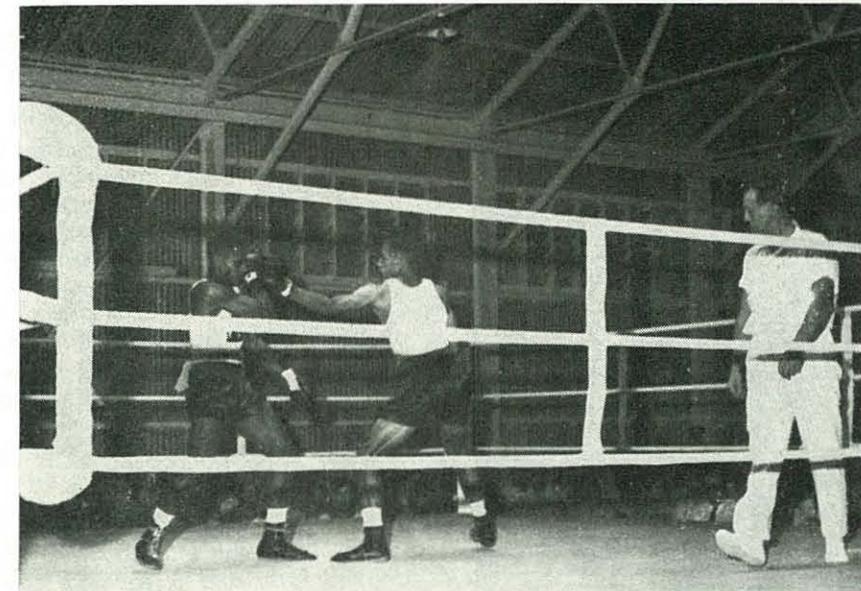
Kamea Gabe, M. Mangels (Fiji)

ANNOUNCERS

J. A. Eden, Adi Samanunu (Fiji)

Medal Winners—Basketball—Women

| GOLD MEDAL | SILVER MEDAL | BRONZE MEDAL |
|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| A. Vakalala | S. Seumanutafa | R. Flynn |
| I. N. Waqanacevu | E. Kerslake | P. Flaherty |
| R. B. Koroi | P. Leo | V. Raula |
| T. Bingham | G. Rasmussen | L. Allen |
| S. Rarasea | G. Fepulea'i | L. Tau |
| N. Laisa | L. Maeta'anoa | E. Kila |
| S. S. Davui | L. Salanoa | Idau |
| L. Marr | G. Pa'u | T. Morea |
| A. L. Cakobau | A. Carter | J. Abijah |
| I. Ratu | | K. Kapa |
| FIJI | WESTERN SAMOA | PAPUA/NEW GUINEA |



M. Evans (right) Fiji defeated L. Valelavaki (Fiji) on points in the light middleweight division.

BOXING

There were forty-four boxers from five territories and the contests were boxed off on three nights to the satisfaction of the Association Internationale de Boxe Amateur's Official Observer, Mr. J. A. V. Castle, of Sydney.

Those arranging the boxing were extremely fortunate in having Mr. Castle appointed as the A.I.B.A. representative. With his vast experience of international boxing, including Melbourne and Perth Games, he was able to show the local committee just how it should be done, and those responsible for the organisation were most grateful for Mr Castle's advice and help.

Under the constitution, three entries were permitted in each weight but no territory took advantage of this. Unfortunately in the Flyweight and Heavyweight divisions, the only entries were from Fiji which put in two entries in each event in order to make up numbers. No medals were awarded in the Flyweight and Heavyweight divisions in the absence of international competition.

The standard varied tremendously and it was obvious that many of the competitors were not conversant with all the rules and before the next Games, team managers should ensure that all team members are not only completely au fait with the rules, but also with the manner in which the referee gives his instructions in the ring: this is done in mime. Instruction to all teams was offered prior to boxing starting but it was obvious that this instruction was not assimilated.

TRAINING

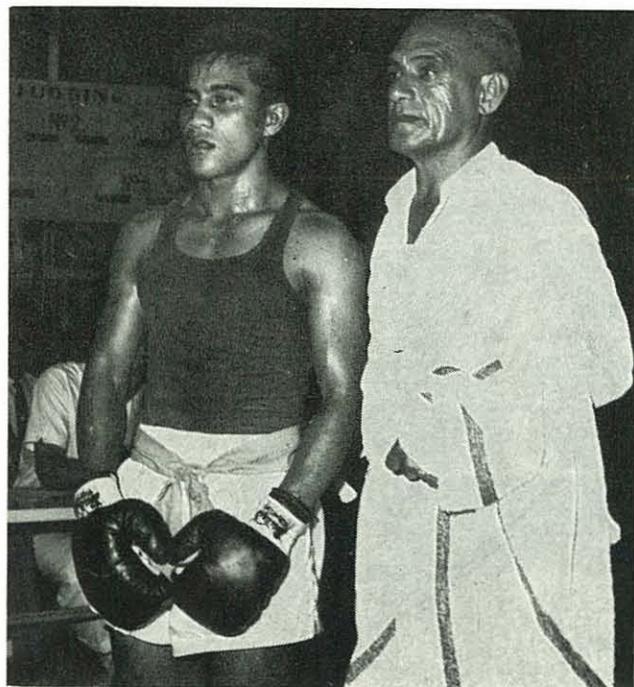
Three training quarters were available, each with a ring. Fiji with much the larger team, used their own headquarters, the other two rings being available from 9 to 12 and from 2 to 5 for the visiting teams. Each team thus had the use of a ring for three hours in the morning and afternoon, according to their choice.

AFFILIATION TO ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONALE DE BOXE AMATEUR

Papua/New Guinea and Fiji are affiliated direct to the Association Internationale de Boxe Amateur and, American Samoa, through their National parent Association. Special arrangements were made with the Association Internationale de Boxe Amateur for Tonga and the Cook Islands to affiliate with Fiji and approval has been received for this method of affiliation to continue, the Fiji Amateur Boxing Association having appointed a representative in each of these territories. This indirect affiliation is however of a temporary nature and is subject to review.

DRESS

The A.I.B.A. representative, in view of the circumstances, was given discretionary powers in connection with rules. This was used with regard to Competitors' Dress Rules 4 (a) and (b). It is possible that this flexibility will not be permitted at the next Games but in any event it is to the advantage of competitors to have some form of footwear to avoid the risk of slipping.



G. Robati Jr. Cook Islands defeated A. Loloao of American Samoa. With him is G. Robati Sr. the Team Manager.

VENUES

It was originally decided to hold the boxing in the Town Hall and a dress rehearsal was held there against an Australian University team. Seating was available for only 550 in all, and it was obvious from the dress rehearsal that this would not be enough. A transit shed was therefore made available on the wharf by the Comptroller of Customs in which 1,200 could be seated and on the second and third nights all space was occupied. On the final night several hundred had to be turned away.

In order to make the maximum use of the shed, the dressing rooms had to be some seventy yards away and were connected to the ring-side by telephone to the Arena Manager's table. There was enough space in the dressing rooms for the boxers to warm up, also a good supply of couches for massage and resting. Four taxis were used to take the boxers and their seconds to and from the dressing rooms. There was a marshalling steward in each taxi.

To avoid delay, as the first pair of boxers were entering the ring, the next pair were put into their respective taxis and brought up to the entrance of the shed, thus as one pair of boxers left the arena the next pair was coming in. In spite of several bouts ending prematurely, there were no delays.

SCOREBOARD

With the bouts succeeding each other quickly, difficulty was found in getting the five judges' scores up fast enough and valuable seconds could have been saved had there been a telephone direct to the scoreboard.

THE RING

The ring was to a local design and was considered very satisfactory from all aspects.

WEIGHING IN

Three scales were used for the actual weighing with a fourth one available for any boxer who wished to check his weight prior to weighing in. There was also a set of scales available at each of the training venues. All scales were checked by the Weights and Measures Inspector before use. The weighing in was done at one of the training centres as were the medical examinations.

At the first medical examination and weighing in, a team of four doctors conducted the examinations — at subsequent examinations, two doctors were present, the same two who were present at the ring-side each night.

OFFICIALS

Technical officials, not including office staff, totalled forty and three more could have been used had there been a telephone line to the scoreboard.



Boxing—Results

FLYWEIGHT

(Not exceeding 51 Kgs.)

FINAL

Friday, 6th September

Roba J. (Fiji) d. M. Mate (Fiji) on points.

FINAL PLACINGS

1. J. ROBA (Fiji) (No overseas entries).
2. M. MATE (Fiji) (No overseas entries).

BANTAMWEIGHT

(Over 51 Kgs. and not exceeding 54 Kgs.)

SEMI-FINAL

Wednesday, 4th September

M. Julius (Papua/New Guinea) d. S. Qoro (Fiji) on points.

FINAL

Friday, 6th September

M. Julius (Papua/New Guinea) d. K. Nair (Fiji) on points.

FINAL PLACINGS

1. M. JULIUS (Papua/New Guinea).
2. K. NAIR (Fiji).
3. S. QORO (Fiji).

FEATHERWEIGHT

(Over 54 Kgs. and not exceeding 57 Kgs.)

SEMI-FINAL

Wednesday, 4th September

T. George (Cook Islands) d. M. Osborne (Fiji) on knock out.
B. Gurumuthi (Fiji) d. S. Tinae (American Samoa) disqualified second round.

FINAL

Friday, 6th September

T. George (Cook Islands) d. B. Gurumuthi (Fiji) Referee stopped contest, injured in second round.

FINAL PLACINGS

1. T. GEORGE (Cook Islands).
2. B. GURUMUTHI (Fiji).
3. M. OSBORNE (Fiji).

LIGHTWEIGHT

(Over 57 Kgs. and not exceeding 60 Kgs.)

SEMI-FINAL

Wednesday, 4th September

K. Katoa (Tonga) d. T. P. Hopkins (Papua/New Guinea) on knock out.

FINAL

Friday, 6th September

J. Brown (Fiji) d. K. Katoa (Tonga) on points.

FINAL PLACINGS

1. J. BROWN (Fiji).
2. K. KATOA (Tonga).
3. T. P. HOPKINS (Papua/New Guinea).

LIGHT WELTERWEIGHT

(Over 60 Kgs. and not exceeding 63.5 Kgs.)

QUARTER FINALS

Monday, 2nd September

A. Tomaira (Papua/New Guinea) d. S. Faingata'a (Tonga) on knock out.

P. Aniti (Fiji) d. H. Putoko (Cook Islands) on knock out.

SEMI-FINAL

Wednesday, 4th September

J. Scanlan (American Samoa) d. M. Moli (Fiji) Referee stopped contest in third round.

P. Aniti (Fiji) d. A. Tomaira (Papua/New Guinea) on knock out.

FINAL

Friday, 6th September

J. Scanlan (American Samoa) d. P. Aniti (Fiji) on knockout.

FINAL PLACINGS

1. J. SCANLAN (American Samoa).
2. P. ANITI (Fiji).
3. M. MOLI (Fiji).
- A. TOMAIRA (Papua/New Guinea).

WELTERWEIGHT

(Over 63.5 Kgs. and not exceeding 67 Kgs.)

QUARTER FINALS

Monday, 2nd September

P. Marsters (Cook Islands) d. K. Kuretea Jr. (American Samoa) on points.

SEMI-FINAL

Wednesday, 4th September

P. Nelson (Papua/New Guinea) d. M. Kautau (Tonga) on knock out.
P. Marsters (Cook Islands) d. C. Cawa (Fiji) on points.

FINAL

Friday, 6th September

P. Marsters (Cook Islands) d. P. Nelson (Papua/New Guinea) on points.

FINAL PLACINGS

1. P. MARSTERS (Cook Islands).
2. P. NELSON (Papua/New Guinea).
3. M. KAUTAU (Tonga).
- C. CAWA (Fiji).

LIGHT MIDDLEWEIGHT

(Over 67 Kgs. and not exceeding 71 Kgs.)

QUARTER FINALS

Monday, 2nd September

T. Tuineau (Tonga) d. P. Magalei (American Samoa) Referee stopped contest in first round.

T. Ponapa (American Samoa) d. F. Tere (Cook Islands) on points.
K. Hopkins (Papua/New Guinea) d. F. Stowers (American Samoa) disqualified in first round.
M. Evans (Fiji) d. L. Valelavaki (Fiji) on points.

SEMI-FINAL

Wednesday, 4th September

T. Tuineau (Tonga) d. T. Ponapa (American Samoa) on knock out.
M. Evans (Fiji) d. K. Hopkins (Papua/New Guinea) on points.

FINAL

Friday, 6th September

M. Evans (Fiji) d. T. Tuineau (Tonga) Referee stopped contest, out-classed, in first round.

FINAL PLACINGS

1. M. EVANS (Fiji).
2. T. TUINEAU (Tonga).
3. T. PONAPA (American Samoa).
- K. HOPKINS (Papua/New Guinea).

MIDDLEWEIGHT

Over 71 Kgs. and not exceeding 75 Kgs.)

QUARTER FINALS

Monday, 2nd September

E. Fonoti (American Samoa) d. L. Sonasi (Tonga) disqualified first round.

R. Roko (Fiji) d. C. Tuimasi (Fiji) on knock out.

SEMI-FINAL

Wednesday, 4th September

P. Puroto (Cook Islands) d. L. Hui (Papua/New Guinea) on knock out.

R. Roko (Fiji) d. E. Fonoti (American Samoa) on points.

FINAL

Friday, 6th September

R. Roko (Fiji) d. P. Puroto (Cook Islands) on forfeit opponent medically unfit.

FINAL PLACINGS

1. R. ROKO (Fiji).
2. P. PUROTO (Cook Islands).
3. L. HUI (Papua/New Guinea).
- E. FONOTI (American Samoa).

LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHT

(Over 75 Kgs. and not exceeding 81 Kgs.)

SEMI-FINALS

Wednesday, 4th September

J. Tukana (Fiji) d. M. Delai (Fiji) disqualified second round.
G. Robati Jr. (Cook Islands) d. A. Loloaso (American Samoa) on points.

FINAL

Friday, 6th September

J. Tukana (Fiji) d. G. Robati, Jr. (Cook Islands) Referee stopped contest in second round, out-classed.

FINAL PLACINGS

1. J. TUKANA (Fiji).
2. G. ROBATI, Jr. (Cook Islands).
3. A. LOLOASO (American Samoa).

HEAVYWEIGHT

(Over 81 Kgs.)

FINAL

Friday, 6th September

V. Dikidikiliti (Fiji) d. P. Kali (Fiji) on knockout.

FINAL PLACINGS

1. V. DIKIDIKILITI (Fiji) No overseas entries.
2. P. KALI (Fiji) No overseas entries.

Boxing — Officials

A.I.B.A. REPRESENTATIVE

J. A. V. Castle (Executive Member)

THE JURY

J. A. V. Castle (President)

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

Chairman: J. H. Common, Secretary: H. Hatch,
C. J. McCubbery (Papua/New Guinea), G. Robati Snr.
(Cook Islands), E. Marcus, (American Samoa),
R. J. O'Brien, (Kingdom of Tonga).

TECHNICAL OFFICIALS

A.I.B.A. Referee/Judges

D. J. Gallagher (Australia) J. H. Common

A.I.B.A. Judge

D. Lang (Australia)

National Referee/Judges

D. F. Williams (England), S. B. Brown, H. Hatch,
B. G. D. Lawlor.

Royal Navy Boxing Amateur Referee/Judge

Sub. Lt. Belson.

Referee/Judges

A. Scott (Papua/New Guinea), H. Shields (R.N.Z.A.F.).

Marshals

H.M.S. Cook Personnel (6)

Timekeepers

C. I. Mackay, R. Peel

Arena Manager

J. Colclough

Announcers

W. W. Bentley, J. R. Mangnall

Scoreboard

C. N. Friend, J. Roden, Piko.

Press Liaison Officers

D. Round, H. W. Tennet

Scale Manager

R. K. Cheta

Equipment Officer

H. Hatch

Gymnasia

Sub. Lt. Belson, A. B. Symons

O/C Dressing Room

C. Hatch

Recorder

P. G. McVey

Glovers

A/B. McCormach, A/B. K. C. Taylor

Ring Stewards

L. M. (E) J. Ford, A/B. W. H. Roberts

Seconds

Ledua Vera, Manasa Koroi

Doctors

Dr. Gilchrist and A.M.O. Assistant

Medal Winners — Boxing

| | GOLD MEDAL | SILVER MEDAL | BRONZE MEDAL | |
|--------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Bantamweight | M. Julius P.N.G. | K. Nair Fiji | S. Qoro Fiji | |
| Featherweight | T. George Cook Is. | B. Gurumuthi Fiji | M. Osborne Fiji | |
| Lightweight | J. Brown Fiji | K. Katoa Tonga | T. P. Hopkins P.N.G. | |
| Light Welterweight | J. Scanlan Am. Samoa | P. Aniti Fiji | M. Moli Fiji | A. Tomaira P.N.G. |
| Welterweight | P. Marsters Cook Is. | P. Nelson P.N.G. | M. Kautau Tonga | S. Cawa Fiji |
| Light Middleweight | M. Evans Fiji | T. Tuineau Tonga | T. Ponapa Am. Samoa | K. Hopkins P.N.G. |
| Middleweight | R. Roko Fiji | P. Puroto Cook Is. | L. Hui P.N.G. | E. Fonoti Am. Samoa |
| Light Heavyweight | J. Tukana Fiji | S. Robati, Jr. Cook Is. | A. Loloaso Am. Samoa | |

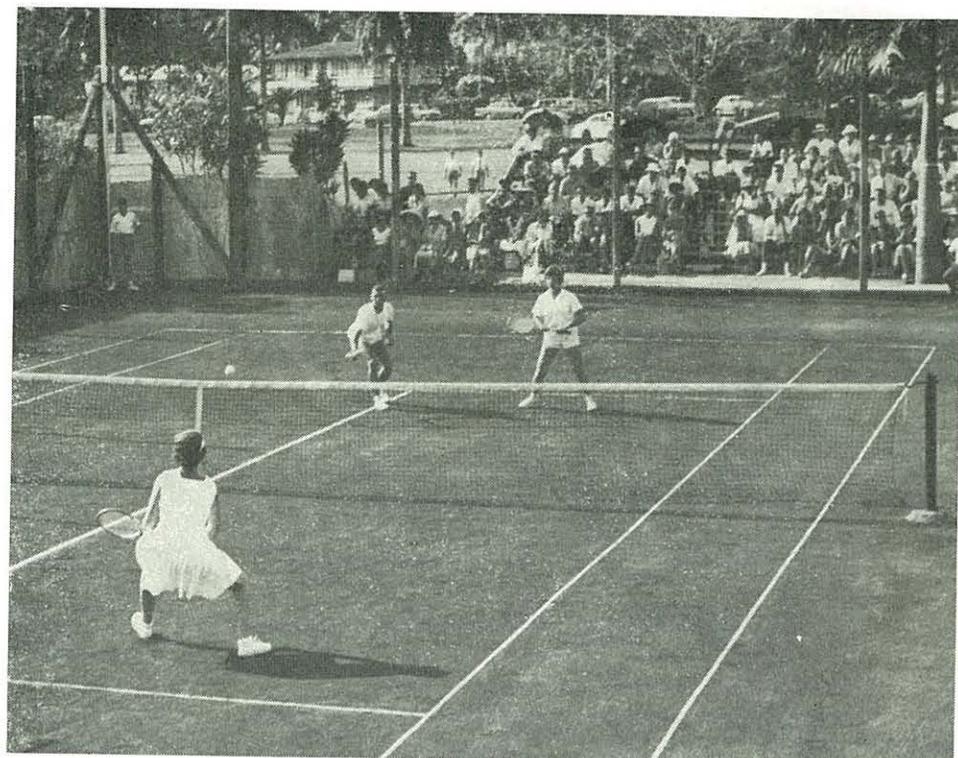
SILVER CUP

Flyweight

J. Roba
M. Mate
Fiji

Heavyweight

V. Dikidikiliti
P. Kali
Fiji



A. Connolly (Fiji) in play against N. Sauvan and J. Begaud of New Caledonia in the finals of the tennis: The Fiji pair won 4-6, 7-5, 6-4.

LAWN TENNIS

The Lawn Tennis tournament was held on two hard (En Tout Cas) courts at Albert Park from August 29th to September 6th inclusive.

The tournament was conducted under the rules of the International Lawn Tennis Federation, and the Dunlop Fort Tennis ball was used.

The courts, which were resurfaced by the Suva City Council especially for the Games, played well and the surface was true. The screening of the courts and provision of scoreboard were also carried out by the Council from whom much help was received.

Due to having only two suitable courts available, and having had eleven entries from competing territories, a "knock out" was the only form of tournament which could be played to conclusion in the time available. A three-quarter final between the two losing semi-finalists was played to decide third place for the Bronze Medal.

Teams from the competing territories and their playing strengths were as follows:—

| | Territory | Ladies | Men | Total |
|----|---------------------------------|--------|-----|-------|
| 1 | Nauru | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| 2 | Gilbert & Ellice Islands Colony | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| 3 | Tonga | 4 | 5 | 9 |
| 4 | New Caledonia | 3 | 5 | 8 |
| 5 | New Hebrides | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| 6 | Papua/New Guinea | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| 7 | American Samoa | 3 | 6 | 9 |
| 8 | Western Samoa | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| 9 | Cook Islands | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| 10 | French Polynesia | 2 | 3 | 5 |
| 11 | Fiji | 4 | 5 | 9 |
| | | — | — | — |
| | | 31 | 39 | 70 |
| | | — | — | — |

The draw for the tournament was made by Councillor C. A. Stinson, Mayor of Suva on Thursday, August 15th at Government Buildings in the presence of delegates from various South Pacific Games Committees and the press.

Play was scheduled to commence at 9 a.m. daily with a short break for lunch, and continued at 2 p.m. until 12 matches had been played.

The weather continued fine during the whole period of the tournament and the schedule was maintained throughout.

The result of the draw was as follows:—

- (a) Order of the draw—
- 1 Gilbert & Ellice Islands Colony
 - 2 New Caledonia
 - 3 American Samoa
 - 4 Cook Islands
 - 5 Western Samoa
 - 6 Tonga
 - 7 New Hebrides
 - 8 French Polynesia

- 9 Fiji
- 10 Nauru
- 11 Papua/New Guinea

A total of 87 matches, 198 sets and 1,785 games were played during the tournament.

Officials were drawn from local clubs on a voluntary basis. Due to the duration of the tournament, the heaviest burden fell upon the few umpires who were available. An idea of the work and effort put in by these officials to ensure the smooth running of the tournament might best be judged from the fact that some 25 officials put in over 1,000 man hours during the eight-day period.

The standard of umpiring and line judging was high considering that most officials prior to the Games had had little previous experience in top-class tournaments and none in international events.

The equipment provided was first class and adequate to the requirements of the programme. The provision of spare equipment was fully justified when a competitor broke a net cable. The replacement was rigged up and play was resumed without serious interruption.



Lawn Tennis—Results

| 1st Round: | WON BY | MATCH POINTS |
|---|------------------|---|
| Gilbert & Ellice Islands Colony | Bye | |
| New Caledonia | Bye | |
| American Samoa | Bye | |
| Cook Islands v Western Samoa | Cook Islands | 8 matches to nil |
| Tonga v New Hebrides | Tonga | 6 matches to 2 |
| Fiji v French Polynesia | Fiji | { 4 matches to 4 10 sets to 10 91 games to 88 |
| Nauru | Bye | |
| Papua/New Guinea | Bye | |
| Quarter Final: | | |
| New Caledonia v Gilbert & Ellice Islands Colony | New Caledonia | 8 matches to nil |
| Cook Islands v American Samoa | Cook Islands | 8 matches to nil |
| Fiji v Tonga | Fiji | { 4 matches to 4 11 sets to 8 |
| Papua/New Guinea v Nauru | Papua/New Guinea | 8 matches to nil |
| Semi Final: | | |
| New Caledonia v Cook Islands | New Caledonia | 8 matches to nil |
| Fiji v Papua/New Guinea | Fiji | { 4 matches to 4 9 sets to 9 82 games to 77 |
| Three-quarter Final: | | |
| Papua/New Guinea v Cook Islands | Papua/New Guinea | 5 matches to 3 |
| Final | | |
| Fiji v New Caledonia | Fiji | 5 matches to 3 |



An overseas competitor in the singles shows concentration.

FINAL PLACINGS

- 1st **FIJI**
- 2nd **NEW CALEDONIA**
- 3rd **PAPUA/NEW GUINEA**
- 4th Cook Islands
- 5th Kingdom of Tonga
- 6th French Polynesia
- 7th New Hebrides
- 8th Western Samoa
- 9th Nauru
- 10th Gilbert & Ellice Islands Colony
- 11th American Samoa

Lawn Tennis—Officials

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

Chairman: S. Brown (Tonga), Secretary: E. R. Carr (Fiji), P. Robinet (French Polynesia), G. Berge (New Caledonia), L. Davis (Papua/New Guinea), D. Collins (Fiji)

REFEREE

E. R. Carr

UMPIRES

S. Deo, R. F. Duberal, M. Glegg, M. J. Hunt, R. Lakhan, S. K. Nair, R. H. Phillips, S. Pillay, H. Ram, W. F. Reid, L. Restall, I. Shaw, D. Singh, G. Voyce

COURT OFFICIALS

L. Akbar, O. Bhai, T. Bhim, V. Cheng Hop, V. Masih, R. Narain, R. Padarath, R. Pratt, D. Rao, D. R. Sharma, M. P. Sharma, A. Winnicott. Mesdames J. L. Baker, M. Beddoes, J. Boyes, H. Shaw, W. S. Taylor

RECORD KEEPER

Mrs. P. J. Carr

SCOREBOARD OPERATORS

G. Attersall, A. Hird, P. Iorns, G. Stone
(Unless otherwise stated, all officials were from Fiji).

Medal Winners—Lawn Tennis

| GOLD MEDAL | SILVER MEDAL | BRONZE MEDAL |
|-------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Mrs. A. Connolly | Mme. A. M. M. Morault | Mrs. C. J. Walter |
| Mrs. J. Carver | Mlle L. M. M. Porcheron | Miss M. V. Smith |
| Dr. A. Low | Mlle N. M. M. T. Sauvan | Miss B. I. A. Bretag |
| Miss F. Blomfield | G. L. M. Berge | N. K. Brown |
| B. Morgan | J. L. M. M. Begaud | L. G. Davis |
| K. Ladd | G. J. Pesnel | A. Marks |
| P. Power | M. D. Mornaghini | |
| R. Zullah | B. M. J. A. Fouqves | |
| Satyanand | | |
| FIJI | NEW CALEDONIA | PAPUA/NEW GUINEA |



Jo Saukuru the Fiji Captain scores a try in the corner during the match against Western Samoa.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

All matches except one were played at Buckhurst Park, the exception was the first match between Tonga and Fiji, that was played at Churchill Park, Lautoka, on Saturday, 31st August.

It had been expected that teams would come, in addition, from American Samoa and Niue, and it had been intended each team would play the other once, but with two teams withdrawing, the three teams played each other twice. As a result of the very tight programme, it was necessary to play six games in seven days as none of the teams taking part wished to play on Sunday. In future it will be necessary to achieve at least one days rest between games, if only to allow time for recovery from minor injuries.

The games were played under the rules of the International Rugby Board, with one exception, referred to later.

Difficulties were experienced due to nominations for players having to be in some time before the opening of the games and players being injured between nomination and departure. This however has been remedied by the amendment to the Games Charter.

REFEREES

It is most desirable for games of this nature, that only qualified officials should be in control of the games and contests, however none of the territories competing, and a very few of the Rugby playing countries have an official referee grading system, thus the general recommendation is very difficult to apply to Rugby. Secondly, it is usual in Rugby for visiting teams to be offered a panel of referees from which to make their choice. These are normally leading referees of the host country. It was decided to adopt this principle and four were chosen.

THE PITCH

The pitch used was the same as the standard Association Football pitch, namely seventy yards by one hundred and ten, as it had to be used also for this purpose. It was also sited inside the 400 metre running track.

In spite of tremendous efforts by the ground staff to change all the markings over, this arrangement did not work out entirely satisfactorily. The dead ball area overlapped on to the track and the drainage channel on the inner side of the track was a potential danger to the players and had to be filled in temporarily for each match.

EQUIPMENT

Two new balls were provided for each match which was unnecessary, one would have been sufficient with the previously used ball as a standby.

The marker posts were made of three-quarter inch square wood and broke too easily along a diagonal grain. They should be made one inch square and from selected straight-grained timber.

The goal posts were padded to six feet and this was satisfactory.

Eight ball-boys were placed round the pitch to retrieve the ball and to prevent the necessity of players running across the track.

No provision was made for a scoreboard: this was an omission that caused adverse spectator criticism.

Visiting teams did not bring their touch-flags as had been expected. It is however suggested that these be provided by the host territory in future so as to achieve uniformity in size and shape.

TRAINING FACILITIES

Arrangements were made for one training pitch for each team, rain however made two of the grounds unusable, so two others had to be found at short notice which was not easy in view of the competing demands. A scrummaging machine was also made available, although this had not been previously arranged and it is suggested that in future both scrummaging machine and tackling machine be available at a central point on a rota system.

Practice games with local teams were arranged for visiting teams, before the opening to enable the visitors to familiarise themselves with local conditions. Both visiting teams made full use of their opportunities and were appreciative of them.

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

In order to arrange the programme, the order in which the teams would play each other had to be settled beforehand and this was approved by the Technical Committee. The Committee also decided that the rule regarding sprigs should not be insisted upon owing to local conditions allied with the non-availability of alternative sprigs.

Rugby Football—Results

| | WON BY | SCORE |
|---------------------------------|--------|-------|
| Friday, 30th August: | | |
| Western Samoa v Fiji | Fiji | 29—6 |
| Saturday, 31st August: | | |
| Fiji v Tonga | Fiji | 8—5 |
| Tuesday, 3rd September: | | |
| Tonga v Western Samoa | Tonga | 16—5 |
| Thursday, 5th September: | | |
| Fiji v Western Samoa | Fiji | 42—3 |
| Friday, 6th September: | | |
| Tonga v Western Samoa | Tonga | 29—6 |
| Saturday, 7th September: | | |
| Fiji v Tonga | Fiji | 25—9 |

SUMMARY

| Team | P | W | L | PF | PA |
|---------------|---|---|---|-----|-----|
| Fiji | 4 | 4 | 0 | 104 | 23 |
| Tonga | 4 | 2 | 2 | 59 | 44 |
| Western Samoa | 4 | 0 | 4 | 20 | 116 |



A Western Samoan back tackles Fiji Winger Erimasi during the first Rugby match.

Rugby Football—Officials

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

Chairman: D. W. Brown, Secretary: D. J. Robinson,
S. Fonua (Tonga), H. A. Levestam (Western Samoa)

REFEREES

J. H. Ash, R. J. Russell, G. Reade, A. Driu

TOUCH JUDGES

J. Reece, J. Brown, Q. Rodda, I. Alama, M. Koloi,
B. Buadromo, J. Volau, A. Nawalu, V. Raqauqau
A. Jeddere-Fisher

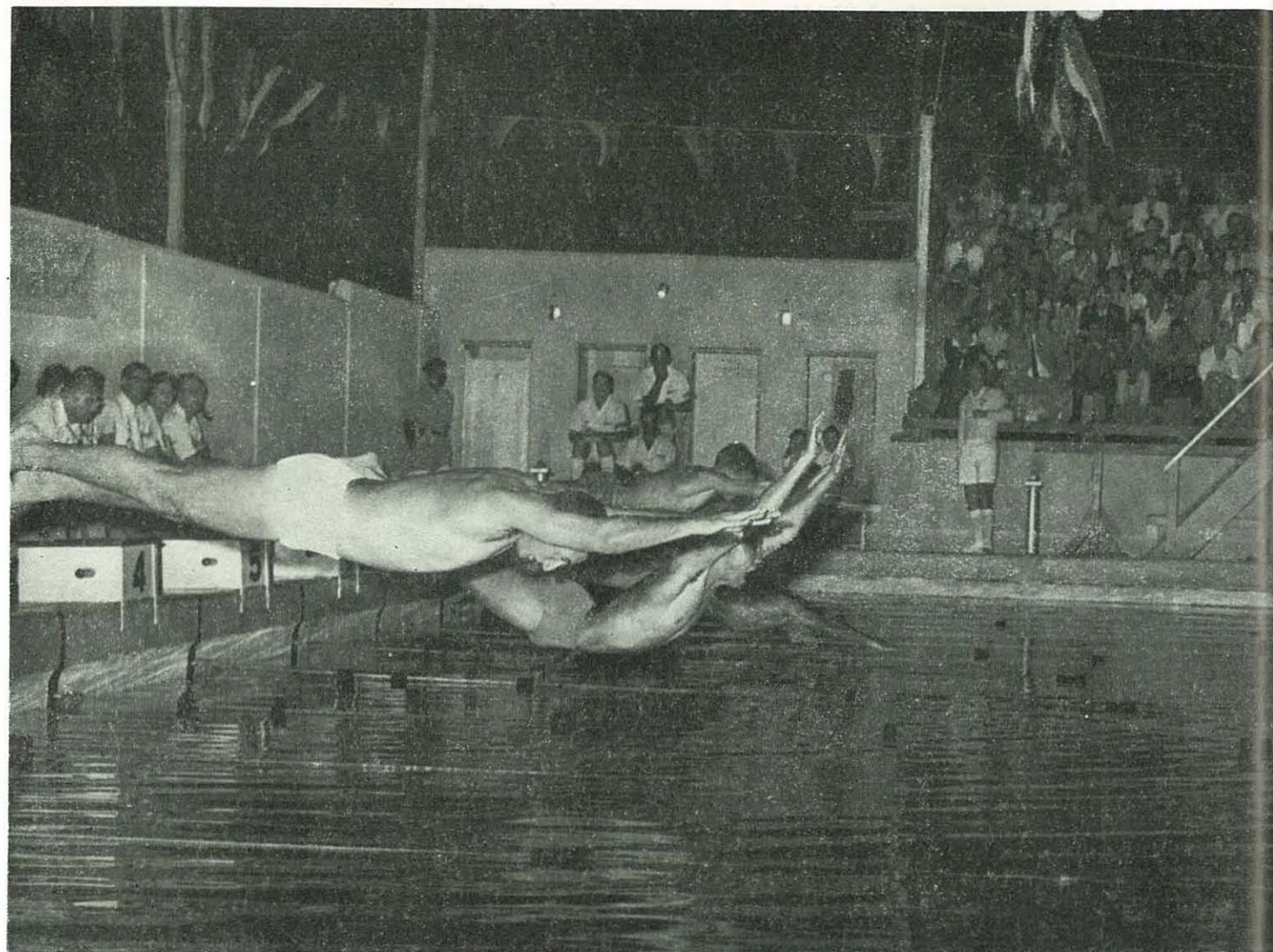
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Medal Winners—Rugby Football

| GOLD MEDAL | SILVER MEDAL | BRONZE MEDAL |
|-------------------|------------------|----------------|
| J. Saukuru | S. Vunipola | A. Tunupopo |
| S. Cavu | I. Vaka'uta | E. Feagai |
| S. Walisoliso | L. Mafi | P. Si'u |
| U. Tukana | T. Sime | L. Sagaga |
| J. Tabaiwalu | U. Palavi | V. Tuatagaloa |
| V. Nalio | S. Ula | S. Feagai |
| A. Toga | P. Fakaua | F. Mailei |
| Joeli Naucabalavu | T. Tatafu | T. Tualau |
| Jope Naucabalavu | M. Kefu | F. Asi |
| E. Bolawaqatabu | P. Fa'apoi | M. Lome |
| J. Sokovata | P. Ma'afu | S. Liaina |
| N. Ratuveilawa | S. Selupe | F. Lima |
| J. Raikuna | N. Kalaniuvalu | S. Perez |
| V. Buli | L. Tu'itavake | F. Fa'asau |
| J. Nasova | L. Mailangi | J. Meredith |
| E. Kunavore | K. Moala | E. Si'u |
| P. Rasiosateki | S. M. Manoa | N. Petaia |
| S. Daunitutu | F. Moala | A. Liaina |
| E. Lovodua | K. Pulotu | P. Fa'alogo |
| S. Tuisese | U. Latukefu | I. Tualaulelei |
| | S. Tavo | H. Kruse |
| | | K. Tuatagaloa |
| | | V. Toleafoa |
| FIJI | KINGDOM OF TONGA | WESTERN SAMOA |

NOTE: Medals were awarded to all players who took part in the series.



The start of a race held at the Suva City sea baths.

SWIMMING

The swimming was held at the Suva Sea Baths which were built many years ago and are owned by the Suva City Council. The pool is 55 yards long by 25 yards over the competition area and is filled direct from the sea without filtration. This lack of filtration makes it difficult, especially at the time of the year when prolonged rain washes mud into the estuary, to keep the pool filled with clear water. To get over this difficulty the suction pipe was extended out into the sea but in spite of that, there was difficulty in keeping the pool clean during the Games.

POOL

To bring the pool to international requirements a large amount of temporary work was undertaken by the Suva City Council. Additional lighting was put up which was a tremendous improvement on the previous lighting but it will pay host territories to ensure that the lighting is considered as an integral part of the pool design. It is considered that a minimum width of pool surround of eighteen feet is desirable along the sides and this width could well be increased at the ends.

OFFICIALS

A formidable number of officials is required to organise such a meeting under F.I.N.A. rules and much help was given by the Royal New Zealand Air Force and H.M.S. Cook. Three lectures were held and practical experience was gained at two trial meetings, in the second of which, over two hundred swimmers participated which gave a reasonable opportunity to solve problems and deal with administrative training. It would be preferable if the officials could be assembled rather sooner.

In spite of their short training however, all the officials did their respective jobs well and no adverse criticism was heard, indeed compliments were paid on the high standard achieved.

TIMEKEEPING

Timekeeping is the essential part of a swimming competition, especially in the heats where time is the factor which decides the finalists and it is gratifying to report that an examination of the result cards indicated a very high degree of accuracy. Omega timekeepers were used by the lane timekeepers but as there were insufficient of these, the reserve timekeepers had to use ordinary Omega stopwatches which were tested and certified prior to the meeting.

RECORDING

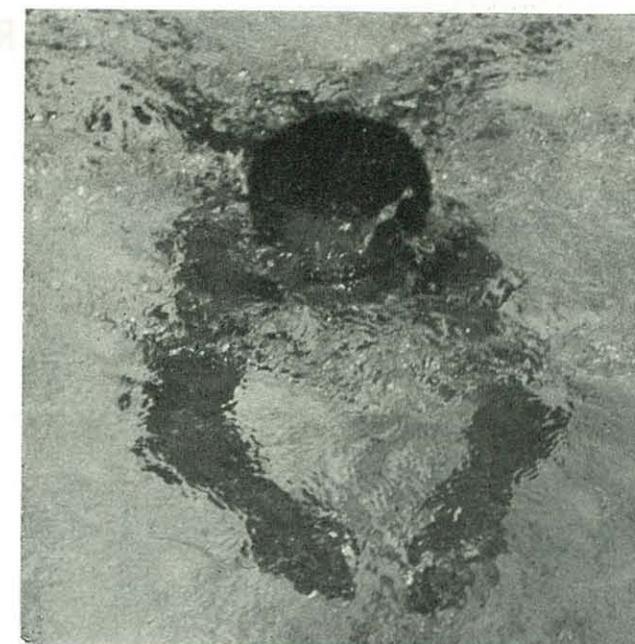
Results were to hand in a commendably short time after events considering that eighteen times had to be recorded in the majority of cases. A consolidated report sheet was prepared from the individual result cards and a copy of the results sheet was handed to team managers, press and radio officials immediately after the meeting. This service was favourably commented on.

PROGRAMME

It was considered that the programme of events was not realistic for the First South Pacific Games in view of the standard that would probably be forthcoming. Ten days before the opening of the Games the fact that there was no definite information as to the numbers of entrants made it very difficult to draw up a programme. Normally the swimmers fit the programme whereas in this case the programme was designed to suit the swimmers as far as possible.

It is considered that three nights is inadequate; as it was, the heats of the 1650 yards freestyle were held separately and the programme imposed a severe strain upon the competitors.

Whether or not the programme is revised, it would seem that some non-Games events will always need to be included in order to give competitors adequate rests. These "fillers" need considerable thought and it is recommended that if this suggestion is accepted, careful consideration be given to these events. The general public in Fiji was not educated to the fact that fairly long intervals are unavoidable



K. Jarope, Papua/New Guinea.

in international competitions and they rapidly lost interest and became bored unless there was something to entertain them.

- (1) It is suggested that a 4 x 110 free-style relay with two men and two women be included in the programme;
- (2) that four nights be allocated for swimming with provision for heats to be held outside these nights if found necessary or desirable by the Technical Committee;
- (3) that competing territories be requested to submit to the host territory at least two months before the Games are due to open, a provisional estimate of the number of competitors they envisage entering for each event;
- (4) that consideration be given to including water polo as an official event in the programme.

VENUE

- (1) That not less than eight, seven-foot lanes be provided if at all possible.
- (2) That a separate entrance be provided for officials and competitors some distance away from the one used by spectators.
- (3) That access to stands be otherwise than via the pool surrounds.

INTERPRETATION

Efforts by the organisers to secure the services of a competent French interpreter prior to the opening of the Games were unsuccessful and they were extremely fortunate that M. Jacques Duffayet of the New Caledonia swimming team was able and willing to fill this important position.

Swimming Results—Men

1650 YARDS FREESTYLE

HEAT 1

Friday, 30th August

| | | | |
|---|------------------|----------------|---------|
| 1 | C. F. Bay | Fiji | 21.41.6 |
| 2 | F. Caillard | New Caledonia | 22.57.8 |
| 3 | R. A. Kennedy | Fiji | 23.22.4 |
| 4 | A. Mesi | American Samoa | 26.56.2 |
| 5 | J. Mulitauaopele | American Samoa | 30.19.7 |

HEAT 2

| | | | |
|---|--------------|------------------|---------------|
| 1 | J. Mamelin | New Caledonia | 22.48.1 |
| 2 | P. Postal | New Caledonia | 24.05.0 |
| 3 | T. Jovel | Papua/New Guinea | 24.08.7 |
| 4 | J. H. Marlow | Fiji | 26.24.8 |
| 5 | P. Passi | American Samoa | Retired Lap 8 |

FINAL

Saturday, 31st August

| | | | |
|---|---------------|------------------|-----------|
| 1 | C. F. BAY | Fiji | 21.36.4 |
| 2 | J. MAMELIN | New Caledonia | 21.38.6 |
| 3 | F. CAILLARD | New Caledonia | 22.57.4 |
| 4 | R. A. Kennedy | Fiji | 23.26.5 |
| 5 | T. Jovel | Papua/New Guinea | 23.31.0 |
| 6 | P. Postal | New Caledonia | Scratched |

220 YARDS BREASTSTROKE

FINAL

(Heats not necessary)

Saturday, 31st August

| | | | |
|---|------------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | S. KOROI | Fiji | 3.13.4 |
| 2 | P. KANGON | Papua/New Guinea | 3.18.8 |
| 3 | J. DOUAPERE | New Caledonia | 3.27.5 |
| 4 | J. Duffayet | New Caledonia | 3.28.0 |
| 5 | M. Passi | American Samoa | 3.28.4 |
| 6 | J. Mulitauaopele | American Samoa | 4.21.3 |

110 YARDS BACKSTROKE

HEAT 1

Saturday, 31st August

| | | | |
|---|---------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | C. M. Raddock | Fiji | 1.17.0 |
| 2 | P. Postal | New Caledonia | 1.18.0 |
| 3 | M. Sau | Fiji | 1.18.3 |
| 4 | T. Tarrant | American Samoa | 1.20.7 |
| 5 | K. Jarope | Papua/New Guinea | 1.24.0 |
| 6 | F. Apaisa | American Samoa | 1.38.0 |

HEAT 2

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | M. Lesturgie | New Caledonia | 1.25.1 |
| 2 | J. Bouye | New Caledonia | 1.26.0 |
| 3 | J. Hardy | Papua/New Guinea | 1.27.0 |
| 4 | D. R. Wilkinson | Fiji | 1.29.4 |
| 5 | F. Tili | American Samoa | 1.32.9 |

FINAL

| | | | |
|---|---------------|----------------|--------|
| 1 | C. M. RADDOCK | Fiji | 1.15.8 |
| 2 | P. POSTAL | New Caledonia | 1.18.8 |
| 3 | M. SAU | Fiji | 1.20.3 |
| 4 | T. Tarrant | American Samoa | 1.20.4 |
| 5 | M. Lesturgie | New Caledonia | 1.25.4 |
| 6 | J. Bouye | New Caledonia | 1.27.6 |

440 YARDS FREESTYLE

HEAT 1

Tuesday, 3rd September

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | C. F. Bay | Fiji | 5.22.0 |
| 2 | J. D. Griffiths | Fiji | 5.30.6 |
| 3 | P. Passi | American Samoa | 5.39.5 |
| 4 | F. Caillard | New Caledonia | 5.39.5 |
| 5 | J. Hardy | Papua/New Guinea | 6.03.1 |
| 6 | A. Mesi | American Samoa | 6.40.5 |

HEAT 2

| | | | |
|---|---------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | J. Mamelin | New Caledonia | 5.37.2 |
| 2 | R. A. Kennedy | Fiji | 5.43.5 |
| 3 | B. Selan | Papua/New Guinea | 5.45.8 |
| 4 | J. C. Legras | New Caledonia | 5.47.3 |

FINAL

Thursday, 5th September

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|----------------|-----------|
| 1 | C. F. BAY | Fiji | 5.23.4 |
| 2 | J. D. GRIFFITHS | Fiji | 5.25.3 |
| 3 | J. MAMELIN | New Caledonia | 5.37.0 |
| 4 | F. Caillard | New Caledonia | 5.38.3 |
| 5 | R. A. Kennedy | Fiji | 5.52.2 |
| 6 | P. Passi | American Samoa | Scratched |

110 YARDS BUTTERFLY

FINAL

(Heats not necessary)

Thursday, 5th September

| | | | |
|---|--------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | T. JOVEL | Papua/New Guinea | 1.16.4 |
| 2 | K. JAROPE | Papua/New Guinea | 1.26.9 |
| 3 | P. POSTAL | New Caledonia | 1.29.0 |
| 4 | J. Bouye | New Caledonia | 1.31.5 |
| 5 | P. Passi | American Samoa | 1.36.8 |
| 6 | M. Passi | American Samoa | 1.38.9 |
| 7 | M. Lesturgie | New Caledonia | 1.54.1 |

440 YARDS FREESTYLE RELAY

| | | |
|---|------------------|--------|
| 1 | FIJI | 4.21.6 |
| 2 | NEW CALEDONIA | 4.31.4 |
| 3 | PAPUA/NEW GUINEA | 4.34.4 |
| 4 | American Samoa | 4.57.8 |

110 YARDS FREESTYLE

HEAT 1

Thursday, 5th September

| | | | |
|---|----------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | P. Kerrigan | Fiji | 1.05.5 |
| 2 | B. Selan | Papua/New Guinea | 1.09.5 |
| 3 | A. Mesi | American Samoa | 1.15.6 |
| 4 | M. Mapuilefala | American Samoa | 1.16.0 |
| 5 | F. Apaisa | American Samoa | 1.22.4 |

HEAT 2

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | C. F. Bay | Fiji | 1.03.2 |
| 2 | J. D. Griffiths | Fiji | 1.04.7 |
| 3 | J. Hardy | Papua/New Guinea | 1.05.8 |
| 4 | J. C. Legras | New Caledonia | 1.06.0 |
| 5 | F. Caillard | New Caledonia | 1.09.2 |

FINAL

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|------------------|-----------|
| 1 | C. F. BAY | Fiji | 1.02.2 |
| 2 | J. D. GRIFFITHS | Fiji | 1.03.8 |
| 3 | P. KERRIGAN | Fiji | 1.04.2 |
| 4 | J. C. Hardy | Papua/New Guinea | 1.05.3 |
| 5 | J. C. Legras | New Caledonia | 1.05.9 |
| 6 | F. Caillard | New Caledonia | Scratched |

440 YARDS MEDLEY RELAY

Thursday, 5th September

| | | |
|---|------------------|--------|
| 1 | FIJI | 5.16.2 |
| 2 | PAPUA/NEW GUINEA | 5.19.7 |
| 3 | NEW CALEDONIA | 5.28.7 |
| 4 | American Samoa | 5.44.5 |

Swimming Results—Women

110 YARDS BACKSTROKE

FINAL

(Heats not necessary)

Saturday, 31st August

| | | | |
|---|-------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | W. ADI | Fiji | 1.27.6 |
| 2 | J. FINN | Papua/New Guinea | 1.31.5 |
| 3 | J. M. BLYTH | Fiji | 1.31.9 |
| 4 | S. Matthews | Papua/New Guinea | 1.34.4 |

220 YARDS BREASTSTROKE

FINAL

(Heats not necessary)

| | | | |
|---|------------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | J. E. HERRINGTON | Fiji | 3.33.8 |
| 2 | M. L. SMITH | Fiji | 3.37.3 |
| 3 | P. MAE | Papua/New Guinea | 3.45.0 |
| 4 | A. Cronan | Papua/New Guinea | 4.07.7 |

440 YARDS FREESTYLE

FINAL

(Heats not necessary)

Tuesday, 3rd September

| | | | |
|---|------------------|------------------|-----------|
| 1 | J. E. HERRINGTON | Fiji | 6.01.0 |
| 2 | S. MATHEWS | Papua/New Guinea | 6.05.3 |
| 3 | C. S. ANFINSON | Fiji | 6.16.6 |
| 4 | J. Finn | Papua/New Guinea | 6.17.2 |
| 5 | W. Adi | Fiji | 6.22.6 |
| 6 | P. Mae | Papua/New Guinea | Scratched |

110 YARDS BREASTSTROKE

FINAL

(Heats not necessary)

| | | | |
|---|------------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | M. L. SMITH | Fiji | 1.39.6 |
| 2 | W. RAIVUNI | Fiji | 1.40.7 |
| 3 | J. E. HERRINGTON | Fiji | 1.41.2 |
| 4 | P. Mae | Papua/New Guinea | 1.44.4 |

440 YARDS FREESTYLE RELAY

| | | |
|---|------------------|--------|
| 1 | FIJI | 5.17.4 |
| 2 | PAPUA/NEW GUINEA | 5.20.3 |

110 YARDS FREESTYLE

FINAL

(Heats not necessary)

| | | | |
|---|----------------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | A. RANADI | Fiji | 1.13.9 |
| 2 | S. MATHEWS | Papua/New Guinea | 1.16.0 |
| 3 | C. S. ANFINSON | Fiji | 1.16.8 |
| 4 | W. Adi | Fiji | 1.18.1 |
| 5 | J. Finn | Papua/New Guinea | 1.18.1 |
| 6 | P. Mae | Papua/New Guinea | 1.22.5 |



Swimming—Officials

F.I.N.A. REPRESENTATIVE

F. J. Coyne (England)

JURY OF APPEAL

W. D. Otto (American Samoa), C. Bastogi (New Caledonia), K. C. Atkinson (Papua/New Guinea), C. D. Ritchie.

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

Chairman, J. M. Lines, Secretary, W. D. Otto (American Samoa), Members, C. Bastogi (New Caledonia) and K. C. Atkinson (Papua/New Guinea). Ex-officio member, G. J. Duffayet (New Caledonia).

REFEREE

F. J. Coyne (England)

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J. A. Hinton

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STROKE JUDGES

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CHIEF TIMEKEEPER

H. G. Ferrier-Kerr

CHIEF LANE TIMEKEEPERS

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Mrs. J. M. Lane, L. J. Gardiner.

TIMEKEEPERS

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R. G. Welsh, R. C. Ramm, H. McVey, W. Thomson,
S. N. Maharaj, H. C. Fong, R. Gardner, Mrs. R. Gardner.

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J. Ah Koy, W. Smith, H. Prasad.

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Miss J. Derrick.

CHIEF COMPETITORS MARSHALL

D. W. Marshall

MARSHALLS

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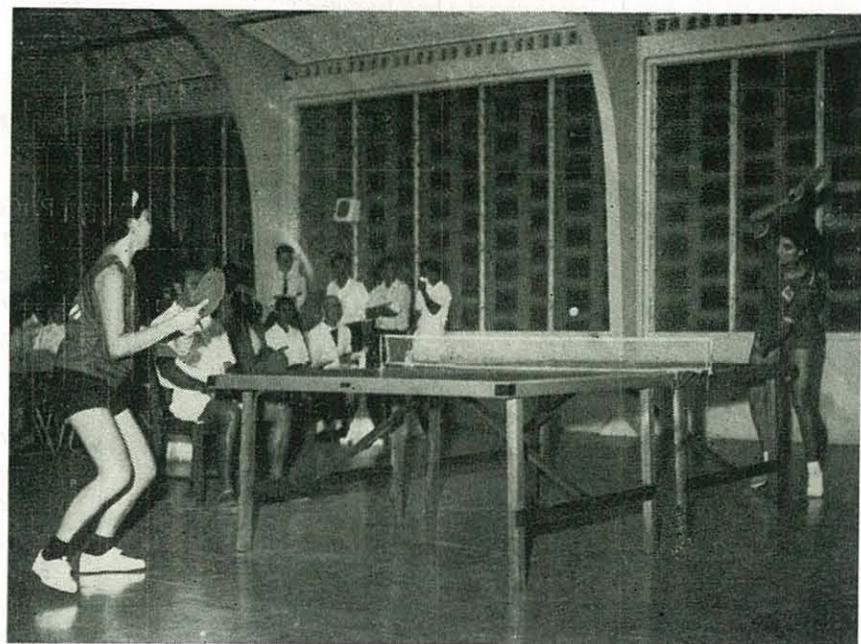
Misses E. Gillmore, E. A. Marlow, J. Prentice,
D. Shirley, R. Ward, P. Wigley, with Master
J. W. Gribble.

Medal Winners—Swimming—Men

| EVENTS | GOLD MEDAL | SILVER MEDAL | BRONZE MEDAL |
|---------------------------|--|--|--|
| 1650 yards Freestyle | C. F. Bay Fiji | J. Mamelin New Caledonia | P. Caillard New Caledonia |
| 220 yards Breaststroke | S. Koroi Fiji | P. Kangon Papua/New Guinea | J. Douapere New Caledonia |
| 110 yards Backstroke | C. M. Raddock Fiji | P. Postal New Caledonia | M. Sau Fiji |
| 440 yards Freestyle | C. F. Bay Fiji | J. D. Griffiths Fiji | J. Y. Mamelin New Caledonia |
| 110 yards Butterfly | T. Jovel Papua/New Guinea | K. Jarope Papua/New Guinea | P. Postal New Caledonia |
| 110 yards Freestyle | C. F. Bay Fiji | J. D. Griffiths Fiji | P. Kerrigan Fiji |
| 440 yards Medley Relay | C. M. Raddock S. Koroi C. F. Bay J. D. Griffiths Fiji | J. Hardy B. Selan P. Kangon K. Jarope Papua/New Guinea | J. Bouye J. Duffayet P. Postal J. C. Legras New Caledonia |
| 440 yards Freestyle Relay | C. J. Muller C. F. Bay J. D. Griffiths P. Kerrigan Fiji | J. C. Legras F. Caillard P. Postal J. Mamelin New Caledonia | J. Hardy T. Jovel B. Selan K. Jarope Papua/New Guinea |

Medal Winners—Swimming—Women

| EVENTS | GOLD MEDAL | SILVER MEDAL | BRONZE MEDAL |
|---------------------------|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| 110 yards Backstroke | W. Adi Fiji | J. Finn Papua/New Guinea | J. M. Blyth Fiji |
| 220 yards Breaststroke | J. E. Herrington Fiji | M. L. Smith Fiji | P. Mae Papua/New Guinea |
| 440 yards Freestyle | J. E. Herrington Fiji | S. Matthews Papua/New Guinea | C. S. Anfinson Fiji |
| 110 yards Breaststroke | M. L. Smith Fiji | W. Raivuni Fiji | J. E. Herrington Fiji |
| 110 yards Freestyle | A. Ranadi Fiji | S. Matthews Papua/New Guinea | C. S. Anfinson Fiji |
| 440 yards Freestyle Relay | C. S. Anfinson A. Ranadi W. Adi J. E. Herrington Fiji | J. Finn S. Matthews P. Mae A. Cronan Papua/New Guinea | |



Women's singles in progress Des Voeux Road.

TABLE TENNIS

Sixteen women and eighteen men from six territories took part. The competition was played as a knockout team event, each match consisting of two women's singles, two men's singles, one women's doubles, one men's doubles and two mixed doubles. The two losing semi-finalists, played off for the bronze medal.

The competing territories were:—

Gilbert & Ellice Islands Colony

Niue

New Caledonia

Papua/New Guinea

Kingdom of Tonga

Fiji.

The matches were played at the L.D.S. Hall in Des Voeux Road.

The manner in which the event was to be played had caused some difficulty: Should it be played off as a series of individual championships,

men's and women's singles and doubles, also mixed doubles, or should it be played as a team event?

It was decided that as the charter laid down that Lawn Tennis was to be played as a team event, in order to encourage the participation of women, it was proper that table tennis should also be played as a team event.

TRAINING ARRANGEMENTS

The visiting teams practised at the hall where the matches were played, the Fiji team at a private house.

One incident occurred that cast light on the organisational deficiency on the part of the Technical Committee: the G. & E.I.C. team failed to turn up for their play-off against Tonga, owing to not being told. They should by rights have lost by default, however the Tongan team manager, in a very sporting gesture, offered to play his defaulting opponents the next day — in the event Tonga lost, which made the gesture the more impressive. This lack of good communications is referred to under the heading of "Technical Committees".

Table Tennis—Results

First (Preliminary) Match, Thursday, 29th August.

FIJI

Ladies : A. Naivaluvou
U. Otobed
B. Chow
Men : V. Lal
J. Ligairi
K. C. Ramrakha
M. Columbus
H. J. Mani
A. Houng Lee

PAPUA/NEW GUINEA

Ladies : V. Mitchell
D. I. Dent
J. C. Griffin
Men : J. O'Donohue
R. Nash
C. J. Stranger

| | | Points | | Sets | | Ties | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|----------|
| Fiji | Papua/New Guinea | Fiji | P.N.G. | Fiji | P.N.G. | Fiji | P.N.G. |
| V. Lal | d. J. O'Donohue | 11 21 21 | 21 14 16 | 0 1 1 | 1 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 0 |
| M. Columbus | d. C. Stranger | 19 21 21 | 21 12 7 | 0 1 1 | 1 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 0 |
| A. Naivaluvou | lost to V. Mitchell | 17 8 | 21 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 1 | 1 |
| B. Chow | d. J. Griffen | 21 21 | 15 14 | 1 1 | 0 0 | 1 0 | 0 |
| MEN'S DOUBLES | | | | | | | |
| V. Lal and J. Ligairi | d. R. Nash and J. O'Donohue | 21 14 21 | 16 21 13 | 1 0 1 | 0 1 0 | 1 0 | 0 |
| LADIES' DOUBLES | | | | | | | |
| A. Naivaluvou and B. Chow | d. V. Mitchell and D. Dent | 21 15 21 | 15 21 13 | 1 0 1 | 0 1 0 | 1 0 | 0 |
| MIXED DOUBLES | | | | | | | |
| A. Naivaluvou and K. C. Ramrakha | d. D. Dent and R. Nash | 21 13 21 | 14 21 11 | 1 0 1 | 0 1 0 | 1 0 | 0 |
| U. Otobed and H. J. Mani | lost to J. Griffin and J. O'Donohue | 19 17 | 21 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 0 | 1 |
| TOTAL | | 385 | 349 | 12 | 9 | 6 | 2 |

FIJI 6 defeated PAPUA/NEW GUINEA 2.

Second (Preliminary)

KINGDOM OF TONGA

Ladies : J. H. Robertson
D. Brown
R. Johansson
A. Fakalata
Men : P. K. Naufahu
S. Palelei
F. Leger
S. Latu

NIUE

Ladies : T. R. Asekona
T. R. Bahenga
Men : Kuripitone
R. Jackson

SINGLES

| | | Points | | Sets | | Ties | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|------|-------|
| Tonga | Niue | Niue | Tonga | Niue | Tonga | Niue | Tonga |
| P. K. Naufahu | lost to Kuripitone | 24 21 | 22 18 | 1 1 | 0 0 | 1 | 0 |
| F. Leger | d. R. Jackson | 16 18 | 21 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 | 1 |
| J. H. Robertson | d. T. R. Asekona | 12 19 | 21 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 | 1 |
| D. Brown | d. T. R. Bahenga | 15 11 | 21 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 | 1 |
| MENS DOUBLES | | | | | | | |
| S. Latu and S. Palelei | lost to R. Jackson and Kuripitone | 21 15 24 | 13 21 22 | 1 0 1 | 0 1 0 | 1 | 0 |
| LADIES DOUBLES | | | | | | | |
| R. Johansson and A. Fakalota | d. T. R. Bahenga and T. R. Asekona | 21 19 11 | 18 21 21 | 1 0 0 | 0 1 1 | 0 | 1 |
| MIXED DOUBLES | | | | | | | |
| J. H. Robertson and P. K. Naufahu | d. T. R. Asekona and R. Jackson | 8 12 | 21 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 | 1 |
| D. Brown and S. Palelei | lost to T. R. Bahenga and Kuripitone | 21 21 | 16 14 | 1 1 | 0 0 | 1 | 0 |
| TOTAL | | 309 | 354 | 7 | 11 | 3 | 5 |

KINGDOM OF TONGA 5 defeated NIUE 3.

First Semi-Final, Friday, 30th August

GILBERT & ELLICE ISLANDS COLONY

Ladies : T. Pasefika
T. Maerere
Men : K. Malua
L. Lomeko

FIJI

Ladies : A. Naivaluvou
U. Otobed
B. Chow
Men : V. Lal
J. Ligairi
K. C. Ramrakha
M. Columbus
A. Houng Lee

SINGLES

| | | Points | | Sets | | Ties | |
|----------------------------|--|----------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------|
| G. & E.I.C. | Fiji | G. & E.I.C. | Fiji | G. & E.I.C. | Fiji | G. & E.I.C. | Fiji |
| K. Malua | lost to V. Lal | 10 9 | 21 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 | 1 |
| L. Lomeko | d. M. Columbus | 13 21 22 | 21 15 20 | 0 1 1 | 1 0 0 | 1 | 0 |
| T. Pasefika | lost to U. Otobed | 12 14 | 21 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 | 1 |
| T. Maerere | lost to B. Chow | 13 8 | 21 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 | 1 |
| MENS DOUBLES | | | | | | | |
| K. Malua and L. Lomeko | lost to V. Lal and A. Houng Lee | 23 19 | 25 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 | 1 |
| LADIES DOUBLES | | | | | | | |
| T. Pasefika and T. Maerere | lost to U. Otobed and A. Naivaluvou | 4 6 | 21 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 | 1 |
| MIXED DOUBLES | | | | | | | |
| T. Maerere and K. Malua | lost to A. Naivaluvou and K. C. Ramrakha | 6 12 | 21 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 | 1 |
| T. Pasefika and L. Lomeko | lost to B. Chow and J. Ligairi | 10 14 | 21 21 | 0 0 | 1 1 | 0 | 1 |
| TOTAL | | 216 | 354 | 2 | 15 | 1 | 7 |

FIJI 7 defeated GILBERT & ELLICE ISLANDS COLONY 1.

Second Semi-Final.

NEW CALEDONIA

Ladies : M. C. Noda
 J. N'Guyen Thi Gai
 Men : J. N. Brecard
 R. Sens

KINGDOM OF TONGA

Ladies : J. H. Robertson
 D. Brown
 R. Johansson
 A. Fakalata
 Men : P. K. Naufahu
 S. Palelei
 F. Leger
 S. Latu

SINGLES

N.C. vs Tonga
 J. N. Brecard d. F. Leger
 R. Sens d. P. K. Naufahu
 M. C. Noda d. J. H. Robertson

MENS DOUBLES

J. N. Brecard and R. Sens d. S. Latu and P. K. Naufahu

LADIES DOUBLES

M. C. Noda and J. N'Guyen Thi Gai d. J. H. Robertson and D. Brown

MIXED DOUBLES

M. C. Noda and J. N. Brecard d. D. Brown and S. Latu
 J. N'Guyen Thi Gai and R. Sens d. J. H. Robertson and P. K. Naufahu

TOTAL 377 247 16 2 8 0

NEW CALEDONIA 8 defeated KINGDOM OF TONGA 0

Play-off for Bronze Medal, Wednesday 4th September.

GILBERT & ELLICE ISLANDS COLONY

Ladies : T. Pasefika
 T. Maerere
 Men : K. Malua
 L. Lomeko

KINGDOM OF TONGA

Ladies : J. H. Robertson
 D. Brown
 R. Johansson
 A. Fakalata
 Men : P. K. Naufahu
 S. Palelei
 F. Leger
 S. Latu

SINGLES

G. & E.I.C. vs Tonga
 K. Malua d. F. Leger
 L. Lomeko lost to P. K. Naufahu
 T. Pasefika d. J. H. Robertson
 T. Maerere d. D. Brown

MENS DOUBLES

K. Malua and L. Lomeko lost to P. K. Naufahu and S. Latu

LADIES DOUBLES

T. Pasefika and T. Maerere d. J. H. Robertson and R. Johansson

MIXED DOUBLES

T. Pasefika and K. Malua d. D. Brown and P. K. Naufahu
 T. Maerere and L. Lomeko lost to J. H. Robertson and S. Latu

TOTAL 368 333 11 8 5 3

GILBERT & ELLICE ISLANDS COLONY 5 defeated TONGA 3.

Final, Monday 2nd September.

FIJI

Ladies : A. Naivaluvou
 U. Otobed
 B. Chow
 Men : V. Lal
 J. Ligairi
 K. C. Ramrakha
 M. Columbus

NEW CALEDONIA

Ladies : M. C. Noda
 J. N'Guyen Thi Gai
 Men : J. N. Brecard
 R. Sens

SINGLES

| Fiji | | N.C. | |
|---------------|---------|--------------------|--|
| V. Lal | d. | J. N. Brecard | |
| M. Columbus | d. | R. Sens | |
| B. Chow | lost to | M. C. Noda | |
| A. Naivaluvou | d. | J. N'Guyen Thi Gai | |

MENS DOUBLES

| | | |
|------------------------|----|---------------------------|
| V. Lal and M. Columbus | d. | J. N. Brecard and R. Sens |
|------------------------|----|---------------------------|

LADIES DOUBLES

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----|-----------------------------------|
| A. Naivaluvou and U. Otobed | d. | M. C. Noda and J. N'Guyen Thi Gai |
|-----------------------------|----|-----------------------------------|

MIXED DOUBLES

| | | |
|----------------------------------|----|--------------------------------|
| A. Naivaluvou and K. C. Ramrakha | d. | J. N. Brecard and M. C. Noda |
| B. Chow and J. Ligairi | d. | J. N'Guyen Thi Gai and R. Sens |

TOTAL 366 305 14 4 7 1

| | | Points | | Sets | | Ties | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Fiji | N.C. | Fiji | N.C. | Fiji | N.C. | Fiji | N.C. |
| V. Lal | J. N. Brecard | 21 | 17 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| | | 21 | 18 | 1 | 0 | | |
| M. Columbus | R. Sens | 19 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| | | 21 | 15 | 1 | 0 | | |
| | | 21 | 11 | 1 | 0 | | |
| B. Chow | M. C. Noda | 19 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| | | 14 | 21 | 0 | 1 | | |
| A. Naivaluvou | J. N'Guyen Thi Gai | 22 | 20 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| | | 21 | 14 | 1 | 0 | | |
| V. Lal and M. Columbus | J. N. Brecard and R. Sens | 21 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| | | 21 | 16 | 1 | 0 | | |
| A. Naivaluvou and U. Otobed | M. C. Noda and J. N'Guyen Thi Gai | 21 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| | | 21 | 19 | 1 | 0 | | |
| A. Naivaluvou and K. C. Ramrakha | J. N. Brecard and M. C. Noda | 21 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| | | 19 | 21 | 0 | 1 | | |
| | | 21 | 19 | 1 | 0 | | |
| B. Chow and J. Ligairi | J. N'Guyen Thi Gai and R. Sens | 21 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| | | 21 | 18 | 1 | 0 | | |
| TOTAL | | 366 | 305 | 14 | 4 | 7 | 1 |

FIJI 7 defeated NEW CALEDONIA 1



Table Tennis was played at night.

FINAL PLACINGS

- 1 FIJI
- 2 NEW CALEDONIA
- 3 GILBERT & ELLICE ISLANDS COLONY

Table Tennis—Officials

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

Chairman: C. J. McCubbery (Papua/New Guinea),
 Secretary: B. Ramrakha. L. J. Harrison, S. S. Talia
 (Tonga). R. Jackson, (Gilbert & Ellice Islands).

UMPIRES

B. S. Robb, Dharendra Kumar, Noa D. Nagera,
 R. G. Kidson, P. Wilkinson, Abhen Kumar.

Medal Winners—Table Tennis

| GOLD MEDAL | SILVER MEDAL | BRONZE MEDAL |
|---|---|---|
| A. Naivaluvou U. Otobed B. Chow V. Lal J. Ligairi K. C. Ramrakha H. J. Mani A. Houg Lee M. Columbus FIJI | M. C. Noda J. N'Guyen Thi Gai J. N. Brecard R. Sens NEW CALEDONIA | T. Pasefika T. Maerere K. Malua L. Lomeko GILBERT & ELLICE ISLANDS COLONY |



French Polynesia in play against American Samoa. French Polynesia won 3-2.

VOLLEYBALL

Considerable difficulty was experienced in preparing for volleyball as the game was hardly played in Fiji and there was no experience to draw upon.

VENUE

The need for spectator accommodation decided the site for the pitch, which was in front of the main stand at Albert Park, next to the Women's Basketball, but the two courts could not be used simultaneously. The playing area was screened with six foot wide hessian.

This course was unsatisfactory and as the competition developed, the wind became a dominant factor in the game, one end developing into the attacking end the other the defensive end, and it was obvious that if the game had to be held outside, then the screening should have been very much higher and more substantial than it was, to eliminate wind effect. With the likelihood of a strong breeze from one direction, it would have been better and preferable to have played indoors.

EQUIPMENT

As a result of the wind, and in spite of the net cord being as tight as possible, a sag in the net inevitably developed below regulation height.

Unfortunately, the balls that were provided did not comply with the International Rules of Volleyball, being made of rubber instead of leather. A

very kind offer of three leather balls was made by the team from French Polynesia, but this was not accepted by the Technical Committee for various reasons.

PRACTICE FACILITIES

These proved to be unsatisfactory in general. The very bad weather for the first three weeks in August had not given the practice courts a chance to dry out and the wind at times made them impossible to use. An old tennis court which was also used was well sheltered but, having a different surface, was also unsatisfactory.

All the teams voiced their concern at not being able to practice on the main court and it is most desirable that practice courts be available in future having the same characteristics as the match court(s).

OFFICIALS

The complete absence of experienced officials in Fiji had been a source of worry prior to the Games and much help was received from visiting team officials.

After the Games were over, a letter which took a very long time to arrive was received from the American Volleyball Association offering the services of two International Referee/Umpires for the Games; this offer could, with advantage, be followed up.

Volleyball—Results

Monday, 2nd September

MATCH 1

French Polynesia v American Samoa

| | | |
|---------|----|----|
| Game 1: | 6 | 15 |
| 2: | 15 | 8 |
| 3: | 15 | 9 |
| 4: | 9 | 15 |
| 5: | 15 | 13 |

French Polynesia 3, American Samoa 2.

MATCH 2

Fiji v Western Samoa

| | | |
|---------|----|----|
| Game 1: | 15 | 6 |
| 2: | 15 | 8 |
| 3: | 15 | 12 |

Fiji 3, Western Samoa 0.

Tuesday, 3rd September

MATCH 3

French Polynesia v Western Samoa

| | | |
|---------|----|----|
| Game 1: | 15 | 8 |
| 2: | 15 | 3 |
| 3: | 17 | 15 |

French Polynesia 3, Western Samoa 0.

Wednesday, 4th September

MATCH 4

American Samoa v Fiji

| | | |
|---------|----|----|
| Game 1: | 15 | 4 |
| 2: | 10 | 15 |
| 3: | 15 | 5 |
| 4: | 15 | 2 |

American Samoa 3, Fiji 1.

Thursday, 5th September

MATCH 5

French Polynesia v Fiji

| | | |
|---------|----|---|
| Game 1: | 15 | 8 |
| 2: | 15 | 3 |
| 3: | 15 | 4 |

French Polynesia 3, Fiji 0.

Friday, 6th September

MATCH 6

American Samoa v Western Samoa

| | | |
|---------|----|----|
| Game 1: | 15 | 4 |
| 2: | 15 | 3 |
| 3: | 15 | 10 |

American Samoa 3, Western Samoa 0.

FINAL PLACINGS

- 1st FRENCH POLYNESIA
- 2nd AMERICAN SAMOA
- 3rd FIJI
- 4th Western Samoa



Volleyball—Officials

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

Chairman: K. Germon, Secretary, R. Williams. J. Proust
(French Polynesia) D. Samia (American Samoa)
(Western Samoa).

REFEREE/UMPIRES

K. Germon, D. Lowe, I. Tabualevu.

SCORERS

H. Elder, R. Williams, Mrs. J. May.

LINESMEN

F. Simpson, W. Tukana, N. Sakiusa, P. Dimuri.

SCOREBOARD

V. Waka

ANNOUNCER

A. Clayton.

Medal Winners—Volleyball

| GOLD MEDAL | SILVER MEDAL | BRONZE MEDAL |
|------------------|----------------|--------------|
| P. Teuira | J. Samia (Jr.) | E. Mociu |
| H. Ratia | T. Taito'a | I. N. Moran |
| L. Tetuanui | L. Fiso | M. Vosalevu |
| M. Tetuanui | S. Liufau | I. Vuniyawa |
| R. Tetuanui | L. Liufau | J. May |
| F. Turi | P. Gaisoa | V. Tuileva |
| M. Nicolao | P. Soliai | J. Vokai |
| J. Proust | F. Nomura | N. Kavika |
| | M. Tiimalu | T. Pulu |
| | T. Fa'apouli | |
| FRENCH POLYNESIA | AMERICAN SAMOA | FIJI |

ATHLETICS—RECORDS

Men

| Event | Time/Height/Distance | Name | Territory |
|----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 100 m. | 10.6 sec. | J. Pothin | New Caledonia |
| 200 m. | 22.0 sec. | B. I. Richter | Papua/New Guinea |
| 400 m. | 49.7 sec. | C. Harrison | Papua/New Guinea |
| 800 m. | 2 min. 2.4 sec. | M. Joyce | Papua/New Guinea |
| 1500 m. | 4 min. 23.4 sec. | S. Tuifangaloka M. Joyce | Tonga Papua/New Guinea |
| 5000 m. | 17 min. 16.6 sec. | M. Joyce | Papua/New Guinea |
| 10,000 m. | 36 min. 39.8 sec. | V. Saulekaleka | Fiji |
| 3000 m. Steeplechase | 10 min. 23.8 sec. | J. P. Laifa | New Caledonia |
| 110 m. Hurdles | 15.6 sec. | C. Tetaria | French Polynesia |
| 400 m. Hurdles | 59.5 sec. | O. Malamala | Fiji |
| 4 x 100 m. Relay | 42.8 sec. | Richter Vuia Sale Muga | Papua/New Guinea |
| 4 x 400 m. Relay | 3 min. 24.3 sec. | Harrison Vuia Vela Richter | Papua/New Guinea |
| High Jump | 6 ft. 3 in. (1.90m) | E. Laboran | Papua/New Guinea |
| Long Jump | 23 ft. 6 in. (7.16m) | C. Kaddour | New Caledonia |
| Triple Jump | 46 ft. 10 in. (14.27m) | T. Kabakoro | Fiji |
| Javelin | 205 ft. 10½ in. (62.75m) | V. Liga | Fiji |
| Shot | 47 ft. 6 in. (14.49m) | M. Rakuro | Fiji |
| Discus | 161 ft. 11 in. (49.35m) | M. Rakuro | Fiji |
| Pole Vault | 11 ft. 6 in. (3.50m) | A. Latu J. Waewo | Tonga New Hebrides |

Women

| Event | Time/Height/Distance | Name | Territory |
|------------------|-------------------------|--|------------------|
| 100 m. | 12.2 sec. | A. Ramacake | Fiji |
| 200 m. | 25.9 sec. | M. Vakalala | Fiji |
| 800 m. | 2 min. 28.0 sec. | G. Bigourd | New Caledonia |
| 4 x 100 m. Relay | 50.0 sec. | M. Vakalala A. Ramacake K. L. Kuruvoli E. A. Phillips | Fiji |
| 80 m. Hurdles | 13.1 sec. | H. Sarciaux | French Polynesia |
| High Jump | 4 ft. 10 in. (1.47m) | M. Woodhouse | Fiji |
| Long Jump | 18 ft. 0¾ in. (5.51m) | K. L. Kuruvoli | Fiji |
| Javelin | 120 ft. 0½ in. (36.59m) | M. Turukawa | Fiji |
| Shot | 37 ft. 7 in. (11.45m) | M. Turukawa | Fiji |
| Discus | 117 ft. 1½ in. (35.27m) | M. Turukawa | Fiji |

SWIMMING — RECORDS

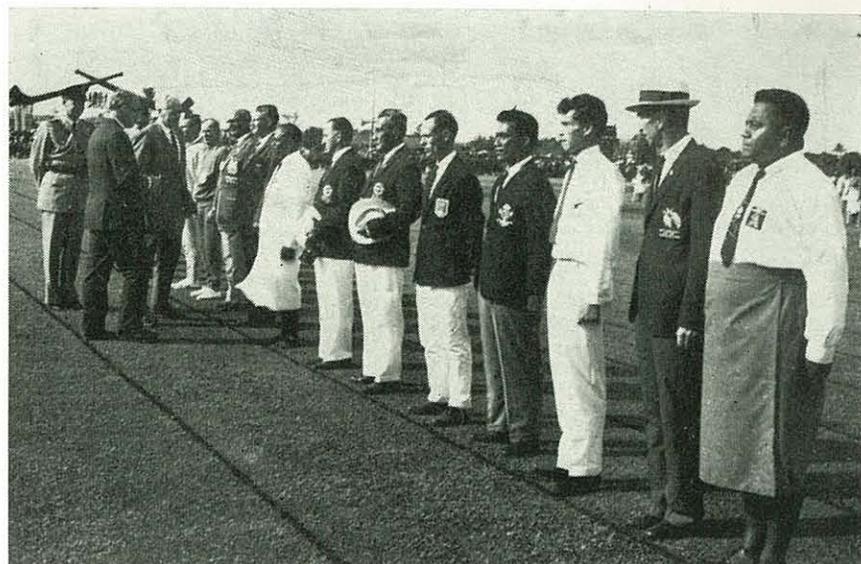
Men

| Distance & Stroke | Time | Holder | Territory |
|--------------------------|-------------------|---|------------------|
| 110 yds. Freestyle | 1 min. 02.2 sec. | C. F. Bay | Fiji |
| 440 yds. Freestyle | 5 min. 22.0 sec. | C. F. Bay | Fiji |
| 1650 yds. Freestyle | 21 min. 36.4 sec. | C. F. Bay | Fiji |
| 110 yds. Backstroke | 1 min. 15.8 sec. | C. M. Raddock | Fiji |
| 220 yds. Breaststroke | 3 min. 13.4 sec. | S. Koroi | Fiji |
| 110 yds. Butterfly | 1 min. 16.4 sec. | T. Jovel | Papua/New Guinea |
| 440 yds. Medley Relay | 5 min. 16.2 sec. | C. M. Raddock S. Koroi C. F. Bay J. D. Griffiths | Fiji |
| 440 yds. Freestyle Relay | 4 min. 21.6 sec. | P. Kerrigan J. D. Griffiths C. J. Muller C. F. Bay | Fiji |

Women

| Distance & Stroke | Time | Holder | Territory |
|--------------------------|---|-----------------------------|-----------|
| 110 yds. Freestyle | 1 min. 13.9 sec. | A. Ranadi | Fiji |
| 440 yds. Freestyle | 6 min 01.0 sec. | J. E. Herrington | Fiji |
| 110 yds. Backstroke | 1 min. 27.6 sec. | W. Adi | Fiji |
| 110 yds. Breaststroke | 1 min. 39.6 sec. | M. L. Smith | Fiji |
| | * held in place of the 110 yds. Butterfly — not a recognised Games event. | | |
| 220 yds. Breaststroke | 3 min. 33.8 sec. | J. E. Herrington | Fiji |
| 110 yds. Butterfly | Not contested | | |
| 440 yds. Medley Relay | Not contested | C. S. Anfinson A. Ranadi | |
| 440 yds. Freestyle Relay | 5 min. 17.4 sec. | J. E. Herrington W. Adi | Fiji |

COMMITTEE REPORTS



The Chefs-de-Mission and General Team Managers being introduced to H. E. the Governor, by the Chairman of the Organising Committee Mr Common, prior to the opening.

ORGANISING COMMITTEE

The Organising Committee held 73 meetings prior to the Games, and 6 afterwards; the membership was increased as necessary as the work developed.

Apart from the Original nucleus which consisted of: J. H. Common (Chairman), L. O. Simpson (Secretary), K. C. Gajadhar (Assistant Secretary), A. F. Varea, all subsequent appointments, except those marked with an asterisk, were, ipso facto, chairmen of sub-committees. In making these selections, each individual was first approached and asked if he or she would serve — the job explained and after appointment each Chairman was given a completely free hand in the choice of his or her sub-committee.

Wherever possible, a professional was invited to be responsible for work in his own sphere and this paid off handsomely. The final list of the Organising Committee members, their normal occupations and their committee jobs, is as follows:—

| | | |
|---------------------------|---|---------------------------|
| J. H. COMMON | Director of Public Works | Chairman |
| D. COLLINS | Bank Official | Entertainments |
| Mrs. V. A. R. COMMON | Housewife | Accommodation |
| * F. J. COYNE | Retired Bank Official & for many years an official of the English team. | Director of Organisation |
| W. G. J. CRUICKSHANK | Postmaster-General | Communications & Radio |
| J. W. DEERING | Broadcasting Official | Publicity |
| * K. C. GAJADHAR | Crown Law Officer | Asst. Secretary |
| The late Dr. A. J. HIBELL | Assistant Director of Medical Services. | Medical |
| * C. I. MACKAY | Divisional Engineer, Public Works Department. | Construction Work |
| H. H. MADAMS | Businessman | Fund Raising |
| L. R. MARTIN | Businessman | Sports |
| Col. G. S. MATE | Serving Territorial Officer | Ceremonial |
| * S. W. MEEKS | Departmental Secretary & Accountant. | Treasurer |
| * G. L. MORTIMER | Secretariat Officer | Government Representative |
| W. P. RAGG | Retired Civil Servant | Grounds & Stadium |

| | | |
|--------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| L. M. ROLLS | Businessman | Tickets |
| C. A. STINSON | Businessman & Mayor of Suva | Hospitality |
| * A. F. VAREA | Secretariat Officer | Secretariat |
| * Flt. Lt. W. J. WEBSTER | Serving Officer | Liaison Officer for R.N.Z.A.F. |
| * F. S. WIGLEY | Acting Deputy Commissioner of Police | Traffic and Security |
| D. R. WILKINSON | Vice Principal Teachers' Training College. | Village |

The Chairman of the Finance Sub-committee, Mr. E. R. Richards was not a member of the Organising Committee for reasons which are given under the Finance Committee Report.

On the departure of Mr. Madams, his place was taken by Mr. R. J. Woodman.

Of the committee, only two members had even been present at international games, and with the departure to New Zealand of Mr. Simpson, this was reduced to one, Mr Ragg.

On his way home to the United Kingdom, the Chairman called on the Director of Organisation of the VIIIth British Empire and Commonwealth Games at Perth and spent some time with him and, as a result, not only were all the minutes of the Perth Games' Committees made available to the Organising Committee, but the Chairman was invited to Perth for a month as a guest of the Perth Organising Committee before and during the Perth Games. This was of tremendous benefit to the Chairman who was given every assistance possible to see what made games successful. In addition, there were present at Perth, the Secretary of the Committee who went as a team manager, also Mr. Martin, the Chairman of the Fiji Amateur Sports Association and Mr Ragg as General Team Manager. These visits were of immense importance and helped immeasurably with the planning of the work. During his stay in the United Kingdom in 1962, the Chairman made personal contact with the Secretary of the International Amateur Athletic Federation and the Chairman and Secretary of the Association Internationale de Boxe Amateur in London and also the Secretary of the Federation Internationale de Football Association in Zurich. These personal contacts were of great value.

By July 1962 a year before the games, it had become obvious that the limits of part time organisers was being reached and that very soon someone must be available with secretarial assistance and the Committee was fortunate in being able to get the services of Mr. F. J. Coyne who had many years experience of International Games. He arrived in Fiji on January 18th and remained until September 28th and was of immeasurable help.

In the view of the Committee, it is imperative that a full time experienced organiser be established at least 12 months before the games and preferably 18 months, together with a secretary to ease the burden on those who have a job to do and whose time and availability through the day is strictly limited.

Difficulty of communications with certain territories over the immense area of the South Pacific, makes correspondence difficult, and some of the difficulties that faced the committee for the first games will not, it is hoped be repeated, nevertheless they are all recorded. If nothing else is read in this report, it is hoped that the following paragraphs (a) to (d)

will be read, learned and most thoroughly digested by all Territorial National Sports Associations and National Controlling Bodies. By no means all territories were offenders and there were notable exceptions to the following strictures. Many offended through ignorance, but there is now no excuse.

- (a) The Committee, under its terms of reference in the draft constitution, had to decide on the events, and this could only be settled by knowing what territories would take part in what events and accordingly a circular was sent out in August 1961 asking for replies by December. Three replies were received in between two and four weeks. All the remaining territories had to be cabled on December 29th asking for immediate replies;
- (b) Information was asked for as to likely numbers — this again was not always forthcoming, so the amount of accommodation required could only be guessed at;
- (c) Entry forms were asked for by a certain date; many were late and one had to be requested by cable. When the answer was received it did not make sense — it did not agree with the official entry forms when these finally did arrive, and neither agreed with a second confirmatory cable that came as a result of cabled enquiries. An immense amount of work had to be done once all the entries were received and delay and mistakes in one entry caused a lot of unnecessary work;
- (d) In short, it is imperative that circulars asking for information be answered promptly and accurately. If the information is not immediately available, then an acknowledgment is the least that can be sent together with information as to when it will be available. Dead silence for months is both discourteous and infuriating to those who are awaiting the information and whose work is held up.

One of the major difficulties of the Games was the question of affiliations with International Bodies and much time was spent on this. This is dealt with more fully under the heading of affiliations.

ACCOMMODATION COMMITTEE

The Committee consisted of the following people:—

Mrs. V. A. R. Common (Chairman)
Mrs. J. Reid, Mr M. Hunt (Union Steam Ship Co.) and Mr. R. M. Michael (U.T.A.) Secretary.

This Committee was appointed for two purposes:—

1. To handle all accommodation for people directly or indirectly connected with visiting teams who were not housed in the village,
and
2. to handle all requests for accommodation from overseas that came to the games organisation.

They were also asked to ensure that every team and every single visitor for whom they had arranged accommodation was met either at the wharf if arriving by sea, at the village if arriving by road from Nadi, or at Nausori if arriving by air and this was achieved with the exception of a small group from the Gilbert & Ellice Islands which arrived unheralded a fortnight before the opening. This party was however happily installed within an hour of their arrival.

It appeared from the beginning that hotels and boarding houses would not be able to cope with the expected visitors, so an appeal was made to private householders to offer bed and breakfast for 15/- per day. There was a big response. All proffered accommodation was visited so that visitors could be matched to their prospective hosts.

The first letter which was sent out to territories in the early part of 1962 was a request for general guidance as to the number of visitors that we might expect. This however was much too early and the response was virtually nil.

At the end of May, 1963, three months before the opening, letters were sent to all territories setting out the limited hotel and boarding house accommodation still available and quoting rates. Private house accommodation was available **ad-lib**. Replies were requested by June 30th. Once again replies were very disappointing.

Individual letters were again sent to each territory in mid-July as only six weeks remained and this time there was a much better response although the information was still vague in many cases and

up to the last night before the opening, hotel managers and boarding house proprietors, who were all most helpful and co-operative, were still patiently changing bookings as times of arrival had to be changed when scraps of information came filtering in.

The accommodation committee worked in very close collaboration with those dealing with the accommodation of the teams to sort out the many problems that arose.

It is recommended that in future something on the following lines be adopted:—

- (1) that an accommodation committee be set up twelve months before the games;
- (2) that meetings be held with the hotel and boarding house owners and that all available beds be scheduled;
- (3) that six months before the games, travel agencies, hotel and boarding house owners tell the accommodation committee, periodically and at progressively shorter intervals, of all bookings that they have made (there were a surprising number of double requests for accommodation) everyone will thus know just what is available;
- (4) that territories be asked to submit detailed lists of V.I.P. accommodation and all other accommodation required by visitors from their territory not less than one month before the games are due to open;
- (5) that any changes be notified as soon as possible;
- (6) that a reserve of private accommodation be available for use at the last moment so that no one has to be turned away.

It is worth noting that the private accommodation worked out extremely well and that the effort needed to meet each and every visitor was well worthwhile if the appreciative comments of the visitors was a guide.

In conclusion, while it is realised that some visitors want to make their own hotel accommodation reservations, it would have been far more satisfactory if all visitors from participating territories made their booking arrangements through the accommodation committee, which was in the best position to know what was available.



The teams lined up at the start of the opening ceremony.

CEREMONIAL

Ceremonial for the Games was the responsibility of a Committee headed by Lt.-Col. G. S. Mate, M.C., M.M., and comprised as follows:—

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|------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Capt. P. F. MANUELI | Executive Officer and Controller |
| Capt. V. M. BUADROMO | Secretary |
| Capt. T. R. VAKATORA | Member |
| Lt. K. CAVA | Member, M.B.E. |
| Mr. SAKEASI SOVANIVALU | Member in charge of Meke. |

OPENING

The Opening Ceremony requires rehearsing to be sure of success but with teams not arriving until the last moment, not even a rehearsal with key personnel was possible. Skeleton rehearsals were however held and the Opening Ceremony went off very satisfactorily.

The Royal New Zealand Air Force Sunderland was timed to arrive immediately after the Games flag was broken at the mast-head. The flag was much larger than usual and there was a stiff breeze blowing, with the result that the securing snapped and the flag broke itself at the mast-head a considerable time before scheduled. The Captain of the Sunderland saw the flag and naturally assumed that he should come in, which he did at zero altitude,

effectively silencing His Excellency the Governor's opening speech. However the Governor's recovery from this unexpected interruption and his comments thereon added a pleasant touch of humour to the occasion.

The team managers were all most co-operative and punctual in getting their teams to the assembly and in forming up.

FLAGS

In spite of requests for teams to bring a certain number of flags of a predetermined size, this was not done in all cases. Some teams arrived with too few flags, some with none at all and others with flags too large. Flags were still being made on the morning of the opening day. It is recommended that in future a sample flag is obtained from each territory and the Games organisation provide the correct number and size of flags required.

It is felt that whilst there are objections to the use of military personnel to carry territory name-boards and flags, until all teams can be got to the host territory in ample time for a proper rehearsal for the opening, there is no alternative. Military personnel available before hand can be rehearsed and trained to carry properly whatever has to be carried and it is recommended that this method of providing at least a skeleton of the parade who know just where the teams they lead have to go, and what they have to do, should be retained.

COMMUNICATIONS AND PRESS

GENERAL

The responsibility for the provision of all press and communications facilities for the South Pacific Games was borne by the Fiji Posts and Telegraphs Department, which was represented on the Organising Committee, by the Postmaster-General, Mr. W. G. J. Cruickshank, with Mr. J. R. Greig, Senior Inspector, directly responsible for technical planning, installation and control during the Games.

The Department provided full postal services at villages and Buckhurst Park, issued four commemorative stamps, first day covers and a special cancelling date stamp with an athletic motif, which was destroyed after the Games.

A small Press and Communications sub-com- was formed in August, 1962, but in the event, consisted entirely of personnel of the Posts and Telegraphs Department, who made all the necessary preliminary contacts with interested parties and co-ordinated the demands of the various broadcast, press and public relations bodies.

The scope of the press and communication facilities was as follows:—

- (i) Telephone lines to press boxes.
- (ii) Messenger services to press boxes for telegrams.
- (iii) Public Address equipment at all venues with facilities for playing victory anthems.
- (iv) Portable transceivers for ground and transport control.
- (v) P.B.X. switchboard service at Buckhurst Park linking all control points and main offices.
- (vi) Miscellaneous telephone lines such as between the boxing ring and the boxer's dressing room.
- (vii) P.B.X. telephone services at the villages with Public call boxes.
- (viii) Broadcast relay lines to most venues.

PLANNING

The services were planned in consultation with the various organisations concerned. Of these, broadcasting, police and some of the sporting committees were able to supply fairly complete details of their requirements but generally it was necessary for the Post Office to make its own assessment of the services to be provided. This was done early in 1963 to ensure that sufficient lines would be available to the various venues. Not all the venues were known, but most of them could be safely anticipated.

A survey of the equipment available locally showed that there was insufficient and arrangements were therefore made to hire additional gear from Australia.

SCHEDULE OF P.A. EQUIPMENT

On hand locally — 1 — 100 watt, 100v line amplifier; 1—30 watt, 600 ohm line amplifier A.W.A. (Same as hired amplifiers); 1 — loud hailer; 6 — folded horn loudspeakers on portable mountings; 2 — high impedance microphones; 2 — special adjustable microphone stands; all cabling poles, and miscellaneous installation material.

From Australia: — 3 — 30 watt, 600 ohm line amplifiers; 2 — 20 watt, 600 ohm line amplifiers; 4 — 3 speed tape recorders with output connections for connection to the amplifiers; 6 — microphones, hypercardioil response; 2 — microphones, non-directional; 8 — microphone leads of varying lengths; 11 — microphone stands short, medium and tall; 4 microphone switches; 15 horn loudspeakers; 20 cabinet loudspeakers with volume control; 2 vertilinear column loudspeakers.

The schedule of equipment was prepared on the basis that at each venue, loudspeakers would be permanently installed for the duration of the Games, but the amplifiers, tape recorders, microphones, microphone leads, switches and stands would be transported from venue to venue as required; and that a duplicate set of all the equipment, except the loudspeakers, would be available for standby purposes at each venue.

The equipment performed very well, with only three minor breakdowns occurring, none of which caused any inconvenience to the running of the sports.

BRIEF TECHNICAL DESCRIPTIONS OF P.A.

INSTALLATIONS: BUCKHURST PARK

This was the main installation and it required special consideration to meet all requirements. The main facilities required of the installation, were as follows:—

ANNOUNCING POSITIONS

Within the main stand: It was necessary to be able to announce from almost anywhere without feedback effects (from the front for speeches, 2 or 3 different positions for the various sports announcers, and amongst the audience for interpreters). **Out in the centre of the arena:** For athletics, with an alternative position at the back of the grounds in the event of wet weather.

ANNOUNCING FACILITIES

Switching in of up to three microphones, e.g. closing ceremony, required — speeches from front of main stand, translations from back of the stand, microphones for the choir singing.

Restrictions: Minimum disturbance to broadcasting announcers.

The answer to the problem was a system with low-level distribution all around the main stand and horn loudspeakers around the perimeter of the arena. This allowed ample gain to be used for all inputs (the microphone lead to the centre of the ground was 350 feet long) without feedback.

A separate system was used for the basketball courts at Buckhurst Park.

ALBERT PARK (Womens Basketball and Volleyball)

A 20-watt amplifier was used to feed 5 — cabinet speakers along the back of the stand and two horns out from the stand, with the announcer positioned at the front.

TENNIS COURTS

A simple 20-watt amplifier and loudspeaker installation was used.

SWIMMING BATHS

A 20-watt amplifier was used to feed 5 cabinet loudspeakers in the stand and two horn loudspeakers along the sides of the pool.

BOXING

This was held in a wharf shed and to overcome the difficult acoustics afforded by hard surfaces, special vertilinear column loudspeakers were employed.

TABLE TENNIS HALL

A 20-watt amplifier was used to give a low-level distribution to four loudspeakers.

At none of the venues could the ideal of an enclosed announcers box be obtained, so that acoustic feedback and background disturbance had to be carefully guarded against. A lot depended on the ability of the announcers to cope with conditions, particularly at the boxing where the background noise was very high.

TELEPHONE ARRANGEMENTS AT BUCKHURST PARK

A P.B.X. was installed in the main office under the stand providing four public exchange lines to serve the press, police, doctor, etc. and local inter-communication facilities for the control of meetings.

The system was most extensively used for the control of athletic meetings. The manager sat out in the centre of the arena, with the announcer, and from two telephones was able to keep in touch with all main points in the ground.

USE OF TRANSCEIVERS

These were used by those in charge of bus transport to call up buses, and by the secretary of the organising committee for constant contact with the main office. They were also available for field communication but were little used for this purpose.

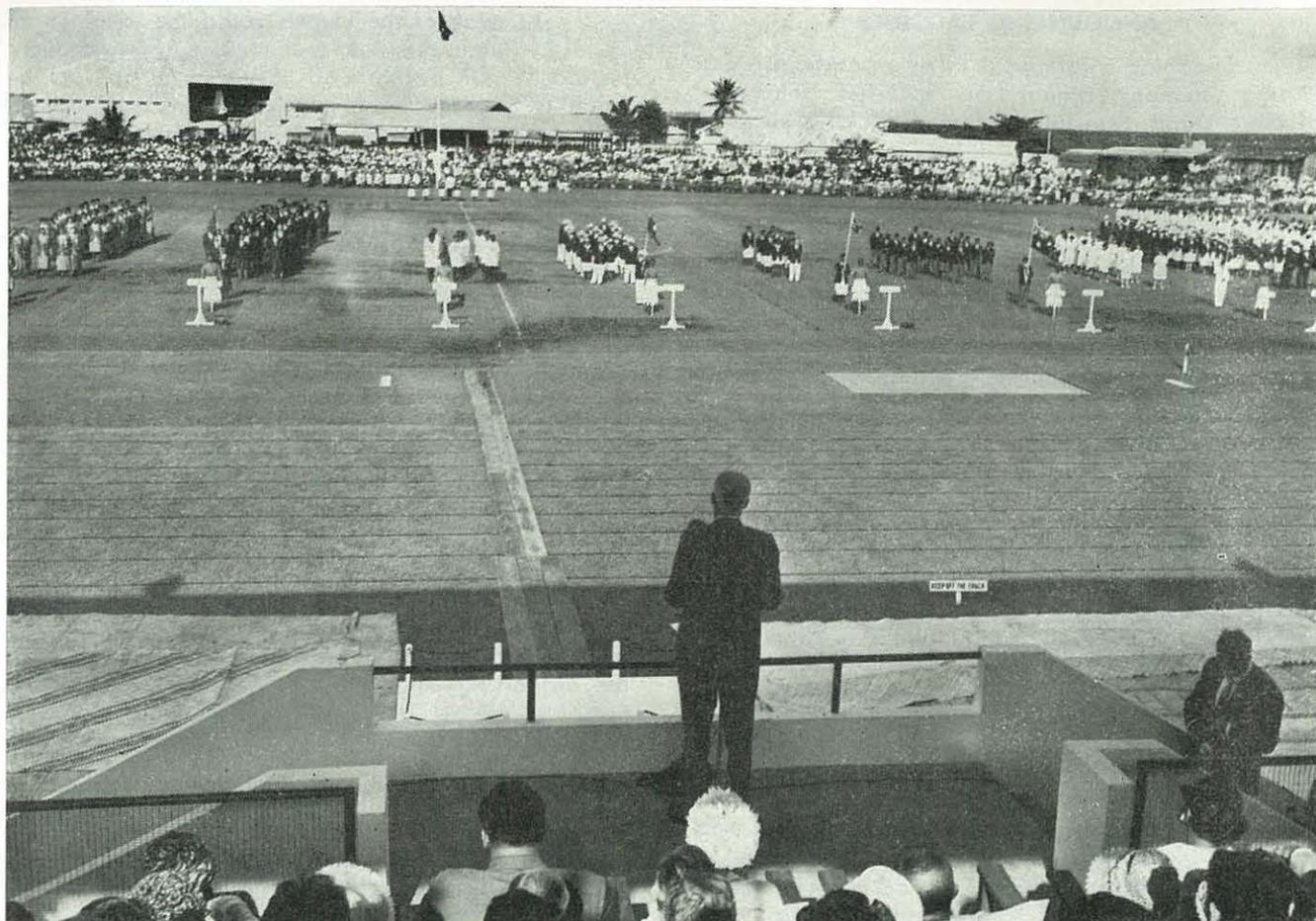
TECHNICAL STAFFING

Two technicians were in attendance at every function, and they were transported by two continuously available vehicles.

CONCLUSION

The same equipment would be suitable for future games, with possibly one or two refinements e.g. difficulty occurred with the switching of 3 microphone inputs on the Buckhurst Park amplifier. Installation work should commence six weeks before the games to allow for abnormal wet weather, such as experienced at Suva before the Games. The best possible announcers should be obtained from the point of view of microphone manner and the ability to keep the meeting moving along.





A view of the parade when H.E. the Governor Sir Kenneth Maddocks was declaring the Games open.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee was appointed in July 1963 on the recommendation of the Auditor and consisted of:—

E. R. RICHARDS, (Chairman)
 A. W. WHITE
 L. G. OXLEY
 R. J. WOODMAN
 S. W. MEEKS
 J. H. COMMON

On the departure of Mr. Meeks his place was taken by Mrs. J. E. Perks.

The committee was asked to examine all accounts for payment and this developed into an onerous task since, in the last minute rush, much was done in a great hurry.

In retrospect, it was probably in this facet of their work that the Organising Committee were not sufficiently foresighted.

This committee should have been formed at the very beginning to consider and approve all estimates and expenditure from beginning to end. This would have made tidying up the accounts a straight-forward matter.

FUND RAISING COMMITTEE

The Committee was formed in March 1962 and consisted of the following persons:—

H. H. MADAMS (Chairman);
 T. J. GEMMELL (Secretary);
 R. J. WOODMAN (Treasurer);
 Mrs. G. HANSEN;
 Mrs. D. MACKEY;
 Sister KUIINI NAQASIMA;
 D. CROWE (Deputy Chairman);
 K. C. GAJADHAR;
 J. B. A. WISDOM;
 A. F. VAREA.

Mr. T. J. Gemmell acted as secretary until his departure from the Colony in mid-1963, when Mr. R. O. Marsack was co-opted, and accepted the position of Secretary.

Mr. Madams left before the work of the Committee was finally wound up and this was done by Mr. Woodman, who took his place in the Organising Committee.

TERMS OF REFERENCE

The Committee was originally given the task of raising £5,000, to help stage the Games. As it became obvious to the Organising Committee that the cost was likely to be more than anticipated, the Fund Raising Committee agreed to do its utmost to raise a total of £10,000; it succeeded in raising just on £10,750.

INITIAL DIFFICULTIES

Up to the time of the formation of the Committee, very little effective publicity had been done in connection with the forthcoming Games. In the early stages the Committee was continually being asked, "What are these Games?" "Where are they to be?" The first task of the Committee, therefore, had to be general publicity; in Fiji, this is a slow business and it was six months to a year before the Committee felt that the objects and purposes of the Games were adequately appreciated throughout the Colony. Although members of the Committee worked with sustained enthusiasm throughout the long campaign, until the last few months it was difficult to raise real interest even among many business houses.

LAUNCHING THE CAMPAIGN

The Committee decided that the campaign should be officially launched, with as much publicity as possible, in May 1962. For this purpose a Ball was held in Suva, and the campaign was declared open by His Excellency the Governor, Sir Kenneth Maddocks. Although this event was well-planned and enjoyed by all those present, it was poorly attended and resulted in a loss. It was, however valuable publicity for the campaign.

NATURE OF FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES

The Committee decided that its main efforts to raise funds should be in connection with the following:—

- (a) A Colony-wide lottery;
- (b) Balls and dances;
- (c) Individually run activities, such as clothes stalls, raffles, bazaars, etc.;
- (d) Theatrical productions. Film shows;
- (e) An appeal to schools;
- (f) Appeals to clubs, sports associations, etc.;
- (g) An appeal to business houses;
- (h) General appeal to the public;
- (i) Special schemes by individual firms.

In addition, through the enthusiasm of district, communities, appeals were organised, notably in Ba/Tavua, Labasa and Nadi.

Results of Activities

LOTTERY

The launching of a lottery on the scale contemplated (first prize £3,000) required amendments to legislation. The co-operation of Government, in this respect, and of numerous government departments, in the operation of the Lottery, was much appreciated. Originally, it was thought that the Lottery would be fully subscribed within four to six months of opening. This, however, proved to be an over-optimistic view. In the long run, however, the Lottery was fully subscribed and provided an important part of the revenue required. There were however objections raised on religious grounds to getting money by this method.

BALLS AND DANCES

As already stated, a loss resulted from the opening Ball and thereafter the Committee was chary of itself organising events of this nature. Where, however, organisations expressed a desire to assist the Committee by running events themselves, and the Committee was satisfied that the desire was a genuine one, full support was given. Similar events were also organised by individual members of the Committee.

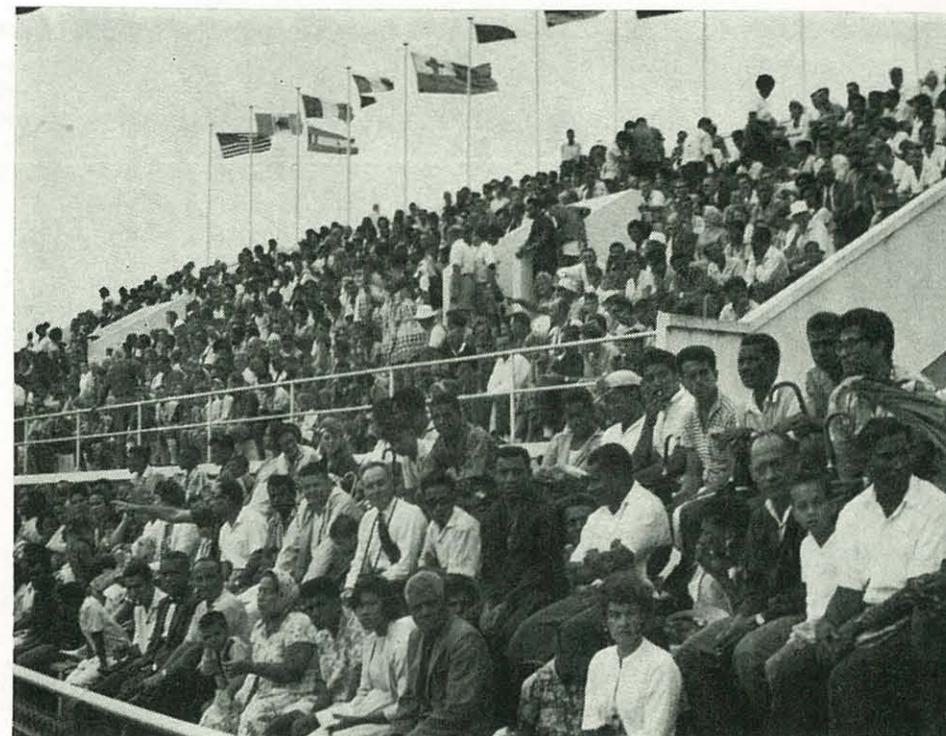
GENERAL

Individual members of the committee specialised in different directions such as raffles, bazaars and theatrical productions. Film nights were held

whilst other organisations and individuals contributed both by communities and industrial organisations in various ways.

COMMENT

In retrospect, it is clear that the work of the Committee would have been far easier, at least in the early stages, if organised publicity for the Games had been commenced, say, six or twelve months before the Fund Raising campaign began. The work of the Committee did, in fact, involve both publicity and fund raising, in the early stages: this situation should be avoided in the future. On the other hand, the fact that the Committee did reach its target indicates success, although the result was doubtful until the last few months.



A section of the spectators on the opening day, showing the Flags of the competing territories flying on one of the grandstands.

MEDICAL COMMITTEE

A doctor was in attendance each morning at the three villages to run daily clinics and from the opening to the end of the games there were about 250 consultations in all.

A general analysis gave the following results:—

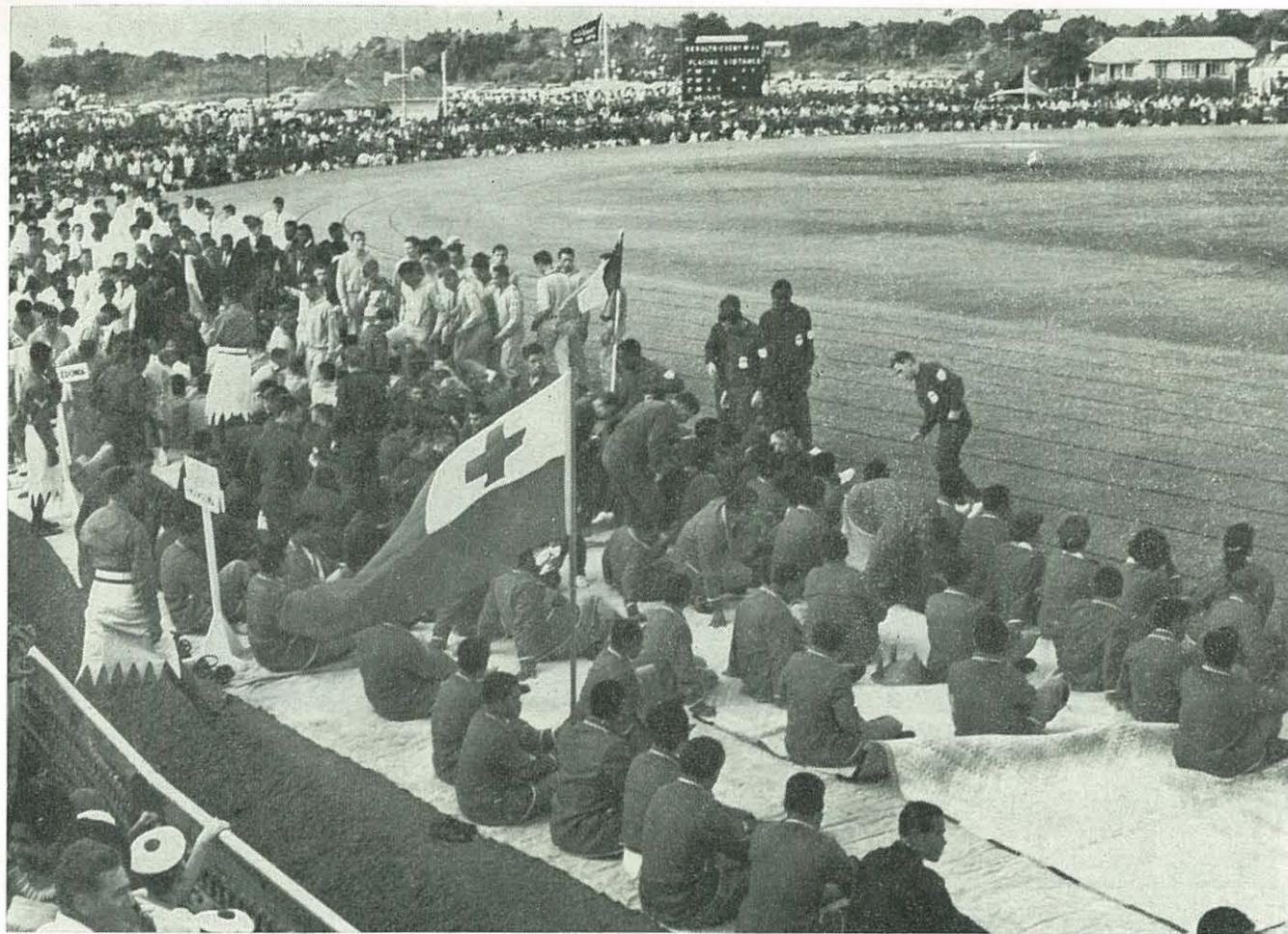
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|------------------------------|------|------|------|-----|
| Superficial abrasions | | | | 34% |
| Minor respiratory infections | | | | 24% |
| Injuries to locomotor system | | | | 17% |
| Primary skin infections | | | | 13% |
| Alimentary disorders | | | | 5% |
| Miscellaneous | .. | | | 7% |

There were two fractures — in one case a boxer fractured a bone in his hand and, in another, an association football player suffered a compound fracture of the leg.

There was a doctor present at all times at Buckhurst Park whilst events were in progress, whilst two doctors were always present when boxing was being held.

Ambulances were also present at Buckhurst Park and at the boxing venues whenever any events were on.

Red Cross and St. John Ambulance teams were in constant attendance at Buckhurst Park and Albert Park and a great debt of gratitude is owed to these two organisations for the way in which they carried out their work.



After the opening, the athletes sat down between the track and the stands to watch the opening event, which was a football match between Papua/New Guinea and Fiji.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

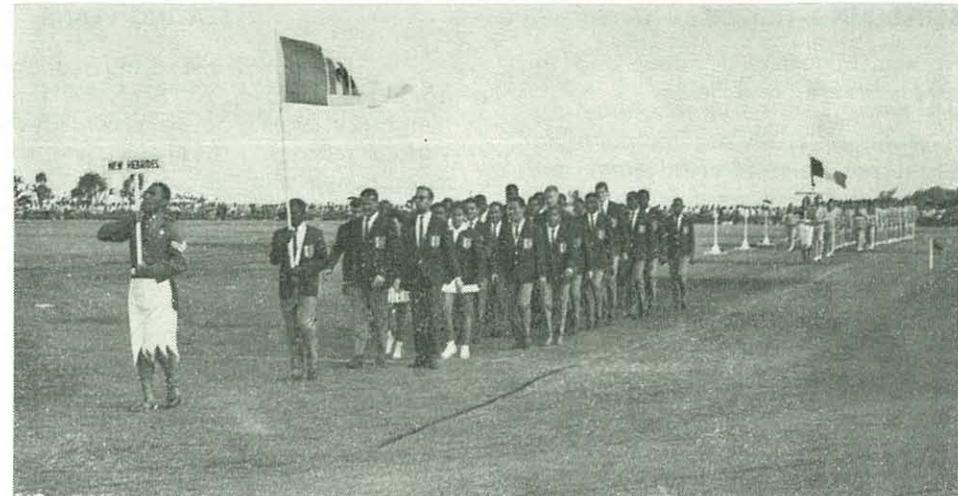
The amount of publicity, which has to be paid for, caused a great deal of thought.

Owing to the shortage of accommodation in Suva for visitors, it was decided to limit the amount spent in this direction and not to send a vast number of give-away folders overseas, limiting the overseas activity to posters.

In the event, as will be seen from the Accommodation Committee report, further expenditure would not have been financially justifiable. There were however complaints, particularly from New Zealand, that more information should have been provided.

As soon as the final programme was settled, 20,000 leaflets were printed and sent out and these proved an excellent medium. In addition, with the local interest in Rugby, a like number were printed for that game.

A brochure, sponsored by a local firm, was prepared giving the full programme together with other information: this however was not a success, particularly in view of the work involved in compilation and the difficulties in getting information about competitors.



The teams from the Condominium of New Hebrides marching on for the opening ceremony.

TICKETS COMMITTEE

Chairman: L. M. ROLLS
 Secretary: A. J. SCOTT
 Members: E. B. ADAMS
 RAM SHANKAR
 H. FURRER
 M. J. TAYLOR

The Committee was set up in September 1962 under the chairmanship of Mr. L. M. Rolls who had offered to accept responsibility for the tickets. The inaugural meeting was held on September 14th, 1962.

COMMITTEE

The Chairman chose the members of his committee, so that each could bring to the job specific help in certain directions and in practice this worked extremely well.

Mr. Adams is an officer of the Union Steam Ship Company and his membership was invited on the basis that this company would be most suited to conduct the overseas agencies for the sale of tickets. Mr. Ram Shankar is an officer of an insurance company and was invited for his contacts with the Indian community with which so much work would have to be done. Mr. Furrer is an architect whose talents would be of value in the preparation of seating plans. Mr. Taylor is an accountant whose service would be invaluable in connection with accounting procedure and the organisation of the box office. Mr. Scott was asked to join the committee in view of his experience as a committee secretary.

This choice of members, in order to get the services of professional people who specialised in the various sides of the committee's activities, worked very well in practice.

The Chairman also decided that formal meetings were unsuitable for the type of work to be carried out and all the work was done by informal discussions with the people concerned. After the inaugural meeting, only one other formal meeting was held on May 14th, 1963 to summarize the work that had been done to date and to check over arrangements made for ticket sales for the boxing contest between Fiji and a team of Australian boxers on 25th May, which was to be used as a test of the facilities that had been set up.

OVERSEAS AGENCIES

One of the first considerations was the establishment of overseas agencies for the sale of tickets. The Organising Committee had decided that owing to shortage of accommodation in Suva, the emphasis should be on attracting visitors from the participating territories and that little should be done to encourage the purchase of seats by people in Australia and New Zealand, although there were some visitors from these two countries.

The Union Steam Ship Company was therefore an obvious choice as an overseas agency since the Company has Branch Managers in all the territories taking part and they did much in the dissemination of order forms, information and so on.

Whilst fewer seats were sold this way than had been originally expected, the placement of orders went very smoothly and not one complaint was received from those who got their tickets this way.

SCHEDULING TICKETS

Each sport was allocated a colour and this was used for passes, badges and tickets.

When the seating plans were complete, full information had still not been received from territories as to the sports that they were going to take part in, which caused delays in working out the programmes and that in turn held up the printing of the tickets. This can only be solved by getting everything under way much earlier, as should be possible in future games.

As a result of repeated checking, and in spite of changes, 40,000 individual seat tickets covering ten days and ten sports, giving block number, row number and seat number, on different dates and in different colours, were printed without a single error or a single duplication of ticket.

SEATING PLANS

The work of preparing seating plans was held up in some cases as decisions on the amount of temporary seating to be provided were delayed for various reasons. These decisions should have been taken twelve months before the Games, although the delay did not have any effect on the availability of tickets when required. It does however mean that work can go ahead steadily, instead of there being a rush at the end.

It was first thought that seat widths would have to be twenty inches for bench type seats but this was later reduced to eighteen inches and appeared to be satisfactory.

It is worth while making proper drawings of temporary seating as this can be used as the basis for the seating plans.

PRICES OF TICKETS

| SPORT | ACCOMMODATION | PRICE | |
|-------------------------|------------------------|-------|----------------------------|
| 1 Athletics: | Covered Stand | 7 6 | |
| | Open Stand | 4 0 | |
| | Seat in front of stand | 4 0 | |
| | Standing | 2 0 | |
| | | | Opening Day |
| 2 Association Football: | Covered Stand | 8 0 | 6 0 |
| | Open Stand | 6 0 | 4 0 |
| | In front of stand | 4 0 | 3 0 |
| | Standing | 2 0 | 1 0 |
| 3 Basketball (Men): | Stand | 5 0 | |
| | Standing | 2 0 | |
| 4 Basketball (Women): | Stand (front) | 3 0 | |
| | Stand (middle) | 2 0 | |
| | Stand (back) | 1 0 | |
| 5 Boxing: | Ringside | 10 0 | £1 0 0 |
| | 2nd class | 7 6 | 15 0 |
| | 3rd class | 5 0 | 10 0 |
| | 4th class | 4 0 | 7 6 |
| | 5th class | 3 0 | 5 0 |
| 6 Lawn Tennis: | One session | 3 0 | |
| | All day | 5 0 | |
| 7 Rugby: | Final | 7 0 | |
| | Covered stand | 5 0 | |
| | Open stand | 4 0 | |
| | In front of stand | 4 0 | |
| 8 Swimming: | Standing | 3 0 | |
| | South Stand | 7 0 | |
| | Central stand | 5 0 | |
| | North stand | 3 0 | |
| | | | Children half price |
| 9 Table Tennis: | Table side | 5 0 | |
| | Elsewhere | 2 0 | |
| 10 Volleyball: | Stand (front) | 3 0 | |
| | Stand (middle) | 2 0 | |
| | Stand (back) | 1 0 | |

TICKET FORMAT

The size of the ticket 3" x 5" was found satisfactory from all aspects except that of the thickness of the paper, however a robust ticket has so many advantages that the bulk has to be accepted.

With regard to the tear-off portion, it was found necessary to have two perforations providing two tear-off sections for admission to those venues where there was standing room available as well as seating. At venues with reserved seating only one tear-off section was required. Prices were not printed on the tickets.

On the reverse side of all tickets, two conditions of admission were printed, one concerning the admission only of the bearer, and the other stating that the sale was conditional upon the non-playing of transistor radios. Only very rarely did stewards have to draw spectators' attention to this condition.

BOX OFFICE SALES

After every single ticket had been examined and checked they were taken into the control of the accounting member of the committee and issued to the box office. At the end of each day, a daily sales record was prepared and checked against the markings on the box plans and balanced against cash.

Sale of tickets was slow initially but as it developed it was found that the box office was too small to handle the customers fast enough, so a second box office was established and the events divided.

In view of the slowness in sales, it was decided that sales in the town should continue up to 5.30 in the afternoon for events the following morning and up to midday for afternoon and evening events. The unsold reserved seats were then made available at the venues two hours before the events started.

Whilst this met a public demand, it was felt in retrospect that it was not worth all the difficulties. It is considered that it would be far more practical to close the reserved seats for an event in the evening, two days prior to the event taking place. This would give the accounting and sales staff a full day to reconcile the sales. Facilities could then be provided at the venue for the sale of the balance of the unsold seats.

CASH CONTROL AT VENUES

As the Games got under way, the handling of cash became more difficult with events in progress at three venues at a time.

A cash float has to be delivered to each venue well before the gates are opened, together with all unsold reserved seats and rolls of admission tickets

for unreserved areas. After the session, the cash and tickets had to be balanced. This was easy at the smaller places, but at Buckhurst Park it was not easy. It is recommended that whilst a small group can handle the ticket arrangements in the preliminary stage, a larger team is necessary whilst the Games are on, so that there is some one person on the Committee in charge at each venue for each session, apart from those engaged elsewhere.

SEATING FOR OFFICIALS AND COMPETITORS

The number of free seats to be provided for competitors and officials gave much worry and the final number of seats set aside for each sport was as follows:—

| | |
|----------------------|-------|
| Association Football | 64 |
| Athletics | 64 |
| Basketball (Men) | 20 * |
| Basketball (Women) | 23 * |
| Boxing | 114 * |
| Lawn Tennis | 16 * |
| Rugby | 64 |
| Swimming | 24 * |
| Table Tennis | 52 * |
| Volleyball | 23 * |
| Opening Ceremony | 254 |
| Closing Ceremony | 254 |

NOTE: *All reserved seats.

In addition to the above seats, all officials and competitors passes allowed them in to the standing area at Buckhurst Park for Athletics, Association Football and Rugby; there was also a special reserved area for athletes at Buckhurst Park.

All competitors and team managers must be allowed in to watch their own events. General team managers and chefs-de-mission also must be able to get in to all events. For the events marked with an asterisk, there was however only seating accommodation and that of a limited nature, so it was a question of trying to balance the anticipated demand for seating for competitors etc. with the need to sell as many seats as possible.

In the event, there was not a great demand for seats for Basketball (Women) and Volleyball, whilst for Basketball (Men) and Lawn Tennis, a special area was kept for competitor spectators. In the case of swimming, there were so few competitors that those not swimming stayed with their teams in the competition assembly area.

TICKET SALES AND RECEIPTS

| Sport | Total No. of Spectators | Gross Takings £ |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
| Suva | | |
| Association Football | 16,585 | 2,958 |
| Athletics | 8,428 | 1,271 |
| Basketball — (Men) | 2,587 | 434 |
| Basketball — (Women) and Volleyball | 2,511 | 228 |
| Boxing | 2,883 | 770 |
| Lawn Tennis | 1,014 | 194 |
| Rugby Football | 16,590 | 2,139 |
| Swimming | 1,250 | 261 |
| Table Tennis | 443 | 78 |
| Lautoka | | |
| Association Football | 2,998 | 527 |
| Rugby Football | 4,405 | 680 |
| | <u>59,694</u> | <u>£9,540</u> |

The maximum number of people present at any time was for the closing ceremony when rather more than 10,500 people were present.

IDENTITY CARDS AND PASSES

The following number of identity cards and passes were printed:—

VILLAGE PASSES

| Villages | "All Days" | Date Blank | Colour |
|-------------------------|------------|------------|--------|
| Nasinu Training College | 100 | 100 | Brown |
| Suva Grammar School | 100 | 100 | Red |
| St. Stephen's Hostel | 100 | 100 | Fawn |
| F.M.F. Barracks | 100 | 100 | Grey |

VENUE PASSES

| Venues | "All Days" | Date Blank | Colour |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Suva Sea Baths | 100 | 100 | Pale Blue |
| Buckhurst Park | 300 | 200 | Yellow |
| Kingsford Smith Pavilion | 50 | 50 | White |
| Suva City Council Tennis Court | 100 | 100 | Pink |
| 29 Des Voeux Road | 50 | 50 | Mauve |
| King's Wharf No. 10 shed | 50 | 50 | Pale Green |

IDENTITY CARDS

| | | |
|--------------|-----|-------------|
| Athletics | 400 | Yellow |
| Swimming | 100 | Pale Blue |
| Boxing | 100 | Light Green |
| Tennis | 100 | Pink |
| Basketball | 100 | White |
| Soccer | 100 | Navy Blue |
| Rugby | 100 | Dark Green |
| Table Tennis | 100 | Mauve |
| Volleyball | 100 | Brown |
| Officials | 200 | Scarlet |

TRANSPORT COMMITTEE

Once again, considerable use was made of professionals on this committee, the Chairman of which was Mr. F. W. Goodrum, a senior member of the Department of Transport and Civil Aviation, with another member of that department in Mr. R. A. Clendenning. The third member was Mr. J. Morgan, manager of a local firm who had offered the use of his firm's vehicles.

They were directed to:—

- (1) Arrange transport as required for the movement of athletes to and from the three villages, to the various games venues;
- (2) Arrange for transport to meet all team members on arrival in Fiji, whether by sea or air and to convey them to their respective villages; similarly to arrange return transport on their departure.
- (3) Arrange all public transport to and from games venues.
- (4) Arrange services from villages for medical treatment, social services and sight-seeing tours.
- (5) Ensure, if possible, that total transport costs did not exceed £2,000.

Discussions were held with the Bus Transport Union (Association of Bus Operators), which agreed that its members should charge the irreducible minimum and in the event they only charged actual operating costs, without any profit. The Oil Companies also contributed a considerable amount of free fuel.

The main problem in so far as the public was concerned, was to get them to and from Buckhurst Park, and a special circular bus service was organised from the Suva Bus Station to the Park. This got over parking difficulties out there, since the only buses required to wait were those required for the athletes. The number of buses required for the circular service could be controlled by someone on the spot and more buses called up or cancelled as necessary by radio.

The staff of the Transport Control Board was made available, also personnel from H.M.S. Cook which provided a Transport Officer at each village, to whom all requests for transport were made. He in turn passed on this information to the Central Controlling Officer who manned the telephone from 0600 to 2400 hours each day. From midnight to six in the morning, the telephone was switched through to a duty officer on call. A total of ten people was required and, in addition, the Bus Transport Union made two of their executives available twenty-four hours a day.

In practice the results were most satisfactory.

PUBLIC TRANSPORT IN SO FAR AS BUCKHURST PARK WAS CONCERNED

At the end of the Opening Ceremony, about 7000 passengers were transported away from the Park in a total of twenty-two minutes and at the end of the Closing, about 8,500 in twenty-eight minutes—this apart from all team movements and private cars.

TEAM TRANSPORT OVER THE EIGHTEEN DAYS

Seventeen thousand miles were run. Initially the usual difficulties were experienced in getting team members to realise the necessity of being on time to catch their buses and it was necessary to draw the attention of team managers to the need for punctuality. After that however things soon settled down to work successfully. Sight-seeing tours were very popular and it was necessary to run three buses at a time instead of the two which had been arranged. These trips covered forty-five miles of the countryside around Suva. Taxis were used for carrying small numbers and for such duties as hospital treatment and transport of team officials and for special duties during boxing sessions.

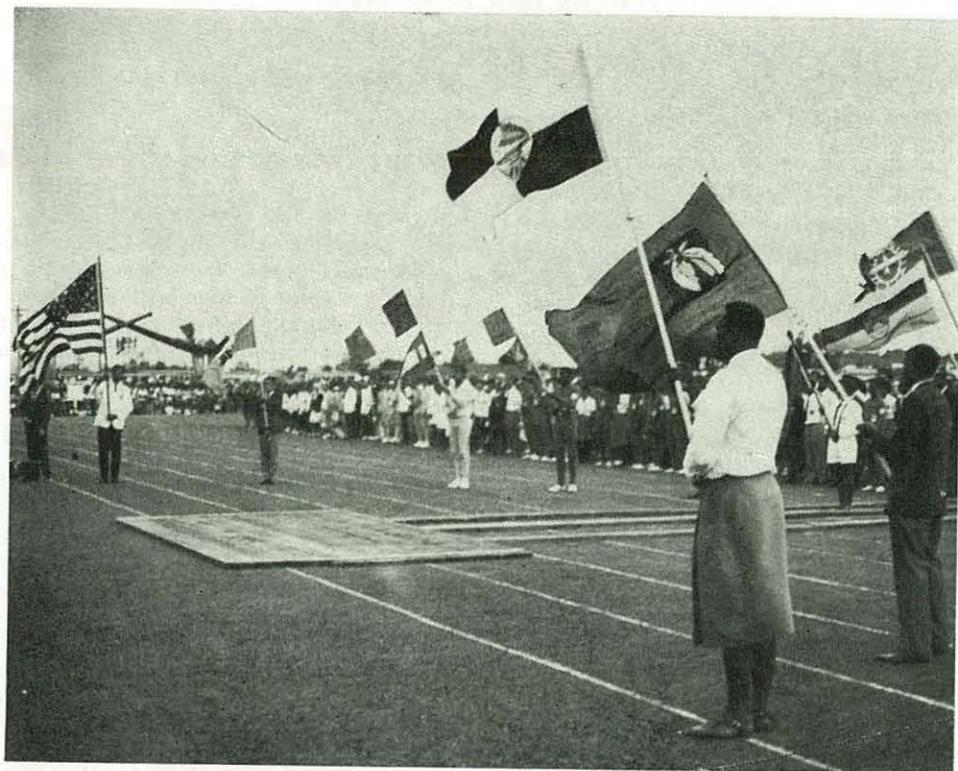
GENERAL

Twenty buses were held solely for the use of the athletes with an average of fifteen in continuous use, the balance being on immediate call.

It was found absolutely necessary for the central control officer to be kept continually informed of all bus and taxi movements and so be able to re-route transport to obtain maximum utilisation of the seating capacity available.

CONCLUSION

- (1) Pre-planning of transport usage was essential both for athletes and for the public. A pool of private cars would have been very desirable but not really necessary;
- (2) Radio control of transport was absolutely essential, particularly when large crowds were involved;
- (3) The Central Control Officer must have absolute authority and to be kept informed of all movements as well as estimates of crowd numbers to and from sports venues.
- (4) Team managers and officials should be made fully aware of the availability of transport and also of the need for observing time schedules.



At the closing ceremony the teams came on all intermingled, with friends from different territories walking together.

VILLAGE COMMITTEE

The committee started off under the chairmanship of Mr. J. L. Stevens who however left the Colony for six months and handed over to Mr. D. R. Wilkinson who was assisted by:—

Miss M. Mangels, (Secretary)
 Mrs. M. S. Buick-Constable
 D. Cater
 T. L. Hanson
 E. N. Webb.

It was realized from the start that accommodation for athletes and team officials was not going to be easy and a basic figure of 600 was taken. The final figure actually accommodated in the three villages was 629.

With the finance available it was quite impossible to build special quarters, although attempts were made to enlist help from overseas, and it followed that schools had to be used. This meant that the school holidays determined the dates of the Games. The Director of Education very kindly made the Teachers' Training College at Nasinu available also

the Suva Grammar School at Veiuoto and also, the Grammar School hostel. The latter was subsequently handed over to the Church of England which however continued to make the hostel available. Final numbers accommodated:—

| | Men | Women |
|-----------------------------------|-----|-------|
| Nasinu Teachers' Training College | 150 | 102 |
| Suva Grammar School | 332 | — |
| St. Stephens Hostel | 27 | 18 |

The whole of the village arrangements was in the hands of the committee, whilst the overall control during the Games was in the hands of the Camp Commandant.

At the Suva Grammar School he had:—

2 Assistant Camp Commandants,
 1 Matron,
 1 Transport Officer,
 1 Messing Officer,
 1 Equipment Officer, and kitchen and cleaning staff.

At Nasinu he had the great good fortune to have the Acting Principal of the College in charge together with 2 Assistants Camp Commandants, the College Matron acting as Matron and there were also transport, accounts and equipment officers.

At St. Stephens hostel, staff ran the hostel, there being two Assistant Camp Commandants for discipline, liaison and transport.

At the two larger establishments, banking and post office facilities were available whilst at all three places, medical services were available. Daily laundry collections were made and Women's voluntary organisations provided a "Make and Mend" service.

The Director of Education very kindly shortened the term at Veiuoto to enable the alterations to be made, three days being available, but this gave the Camp Commandant a bare twenty-four hours before the first team arrived and this was insufficient to iron out teething troubles and it was forty-eight hours after the first arrivals were on the scene before the organisation settled down.

MESSING

One of the problems facing the organisers was to meet the different diets within the overall allowance of 20/- per day, 5/- of the 25/- daily charge being required for transport. This was largely got over by the French visitors making their own arrangements for cooking.

Quantitatively the diet was arranged in conjunction with the Dietetic Department of the South Pacific Medical Services and the only snag was that the diet, which was basically a Pacific islands diet, was not to the taste of all races. The question of quality and variety of food was a matter of Council policy — obviously the more money available the better and more varied the food — but most territories cannot afford the comparatively large sum for daily living over and above the cost of transport.

CONDUCT AND DISCIPLINE

It was the wish of the Organising Committee that every General Team Manager should live in the village with his team. This wish was not however met by all teams. It was based on the experience of previous similar international games and the elementary principle that when a large number of fit and high-spirited people are living together there has to be discipline. Up to the last day there are still people who are competing and who require a full night's rest — their colleagues who have been eliminated want to have some fun, which is fair enough, but those still competing must come first and to be sure that they are not disturbed at night, requires discipline.

The general conduct was extremely good although at first some of the male competitors showed a predilection for members of the female staff — this was stamped on ruthlessly by the Camp Commandant (a Royal New Zealand Air Force Station Warrant Officer with much experience in stamping) and after the third day the female staff were able to carry out their duties without fear of molestation.

It is considered that in future the following points be borne in mind:—

- (1) It should be a condition of entry that either the General Team Manager or the Deputy Team Manager should live in the village with his team, and a chaperone with the female entrants;
- (2) That all teams, wherever possible, appoint a liaison officer who should either be a resident in the host-territory, or who should arrive three days before the team, so that when the teams arrive, they can be met by someone fully briefed.
- (3) That loud speaker systems be installed in the villages so that messages can be passed quickly.



INTERNATIONAL AFFILIATIONS

It became apparent quite early in proceedings that while some territories were well aware of their obligations in connection with affiliation to the appropriate international associations, other territories were quite unaware of what was required.

At the Council meeting it was decided that it was the responsibility of each national sports association to acquire affiliation to its individual governing bodies.

At the first games a large amount of additional work fell upon the Organising Committee to cover these gaps in affiliations and in certain cases it was only as a result of direct personal approach that it was possible to get permission to hold all the sports planned. This applied in particular to Athletics, Association Football, Boxing and Swimming.

These four international associations understood the difficulties and on this occasion gave certain waivers. For the next games however, there will have to be either direct or indirect affiliation — that is to say either the territory affiliates direct with the international headquarters of the game or indirectly through their home territory national governing body.

There are two exceptions to these:—

- (1) **Basketball, Men** (5 aside). This association, with Headquarters at Munich, has accepted an affiliation from the South Pacific Games Council on behalf of all participating territories.
- (2) **Boxing**: The A.I.B.A., with headquarters in London, has granted permission, on a temporary basis, for the Tongan Amateur Boxing Association and the Cook Islands Amateur Boxing Association, to affiliate to the Fiji Amateur Boxing Association and so, through Fiji, have International Federation status.

It is therefore imperative that as soon as the sports to be included in any future games are decided, that the host territory write to all the appropriate international associations informing them of the date and place of the event and ask whether there are any changes since the last games were held and let all territories know the position so that they can take action under the revised Council constitution. (Minutes on pages 28 and 29 of Council meeting refer).

All the international associations have different rules and requirements — some require a fee to accompany the formal application to hold an event, others display less concern.

The position regarding the various events held in these games was as follows:—

Athletics: Require very full information also an official observer to be present. Fee required: very strict affiliation regulations.

Association Football: Full information. Very strict affiliation regulations. No fee, but a percentage of gate to be paid.

Basketball (Men): Interested, but has accepted affiliation from Council provided they are kept in touch so continuing affiliation required.

Basketball (Women): Interested but require no affiliation at the moment.

Boxing: Require very full information also an official observer to be present. Fee required: Very strict affiliation regulations.

Lawn Tennis: Interested but require no affiliation or fee at the moment.

Rugby: Will not at the moment accept South Pacific Territories in association. No permission required but the situation may change.

Swimming: Require very full information also an official observer to be present. Fee required: very strict affiliation regulations.

Table Tennis: Very interested. Require full information.

Volleyball: Very interested. Require full information.

All the international associations were very interested and helpful, their rules change from year to year however. It is important that ample copies of the up-to-date rules be available for all officials who require them. Individual copies must be available for all referees, judges and team managers.

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THE TECHNICAL COMMITTEES

For many of the people in the National Associations responsible for planning the events, it was their first experience of anything of this nature. The same thing applied to the Technical Committees that were responsible for running the events: indeed it was surprising that more things did not go wrong.

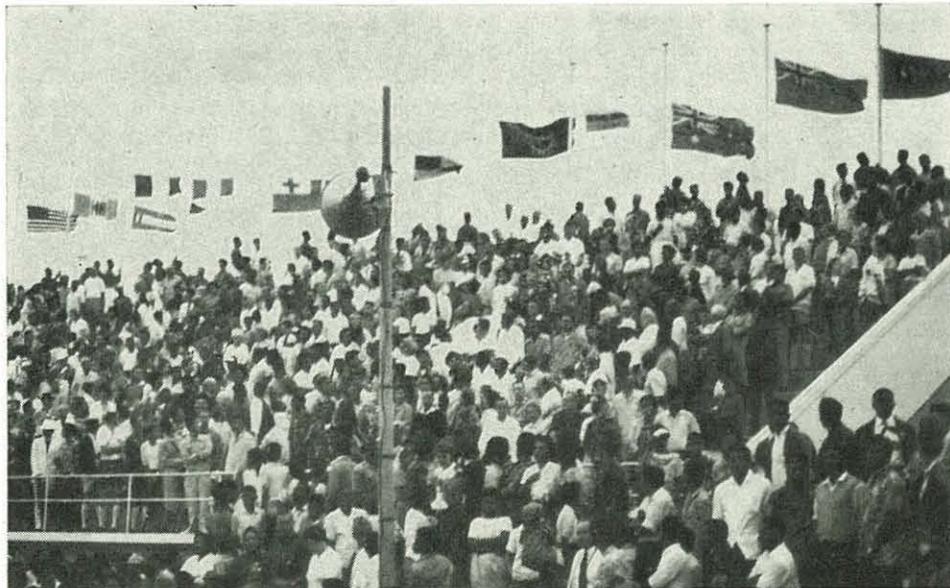
The situation was aggravated by the fact that with some territories only arriving just before the opening day, the Technical Committees could only meet just before the Games started.

Almost all the things that did go wrong were attributable to lack of experience.

In the case of one Committee, which met regularly, a territory sent a different delegate every time with a resulting loss in liaison with that territorial

team, whilst in the case of a team that failed to turn up for a match, there was a breakdown in communications.

Arrangements can be made beforehand, but once the Games have started, it is the Technical Committee that is in charge and it is up to that committee to see that things run properly — and of necessity the secretary is almost always a member of the committee that made the preliminary arrangements. If things go wrong in the running of an event, the fault lies either with the committee of the National Association that made the original arrangements or with the Technical Committee and, in particular, the Chairman and Secretary.



The flags being lowered during "Retreat" at the end of the closing ceremony.

APPENDICES

APPENDIX 1

COMPOSITION OF TEAMS

| Territory | Team Total | COMPETITORS | | | OFFICIALS | | Total |
|-------------------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | | Total | Men | Women | Men | Women | |
| American Samoa | 91 | 72 | 51 | 21 | 12 | 7 | 19 |
| British Solomon Islands | 27 | 23 | 23 | — | 4 | — | 4 |
| Cook Islands | 25 | 21 | 17 | 4 | 4 | — | 4 |
| Fiji | 176 | 156 | 122 | 34 | 16 | 4 | 20 |
| French Polynesia | 68 | 58 | 52 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 10 |
| Gilbert & Ellice | 15 | 12 | 10 | 2 | 3 | — | 3 |
| Kingdom of Tonga | 47 | 42 | 38 | 4 | 5 | — | 5 |
| Nauru | 18 | 16 | 14 | 2 | 2 | — | 2 |
| New Caledonia | 76 | 66 | 59 | 7 | 10 | — | 10 |
| New Hebrides | 30 | 28 | 26 | 2 | 2 | — | 2 |
| Niue | 17 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Papua/New Guinea | 86 | 78 | 55 | 23 | 7 | 1 | 8 |
| Western Samoa | 69 | 60 | 44 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 9 |
| TOTAL: | 745 | 646 | 516 | 130 | 80 | 19 | 99 |

Grand Total:

Territories 13

Competitors & Officials .. 745

COMPETITORS BY SPORTS

| TERRITORY | Association Football | Athletics | | Basketball | Boxing | Lawn Tennis | | Rugby | Swimming | | Table Tennis | | Volleyball |
|--------------------------|----------------------|-----------|----|------------|--------|-------------|----|-------|----------|----|--------------|----|------------|
| | | M | W | | | M | W | | M | W | M | W | |
| American Samoa | — | 19 | 11 | 11 | 7 | 6 | 3 | — | 8 | — | — | — | 10 |
| British Solomon Islands | 15 | 9 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cooks Islands | — | 8 | 1 | — | 6 | 3 | 3 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Fiji | 17 | 25 | 10 | 10 | 20 | 5 | 4 | 20 | 10 | 7 | 6 | 3 | 9 |
| French Polynesia | 18 | 14 | 4 | — | — | 2 | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | 8 |
| Gilbert & Ellice Islands | — | 6 | — | — | — | 2 | 2 | — | — | — | 2 | 4 | — |
| Kingdom of Tonga | — | 6 | — | — | 5 | 5 | 4 | 21 | — | — | 4 | 2 | — |
| Nauru | — | 4 | — | — | — | 2 | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| New Caledonia | 16 | 19 | 2 | — | — | 5 | 3 | — | 8 | — | 2 | 2 | — |
| New Hebrides | 13 | 11 | — | — | — | 2 | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Niue | — | 3 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 2 | 3 | — |
| Papua/New Guinea | 14 | 15 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 3 | 3 | — | 5 | 4 | 3 | 3 | — |
| Western Samoa | — | 8 | 6 | 9 | — | 3 | 3 | 23 | — | — | — | — | 11 |
| | 93 | 147 | 37 | 47 | 44 | 38 | 31 | 64 | 31 | 11 | 19 | 16 | 38 |
| | | 184 | | 117 | | 69 | | | 42 | | 35 | | |

Total Competitors all sports 686 (This total will not agree with the total number of competitors as some competed in two or three sports)

No. of Competitors (Men) 516

No. of Competitors (Women) 130

Team Officials 99

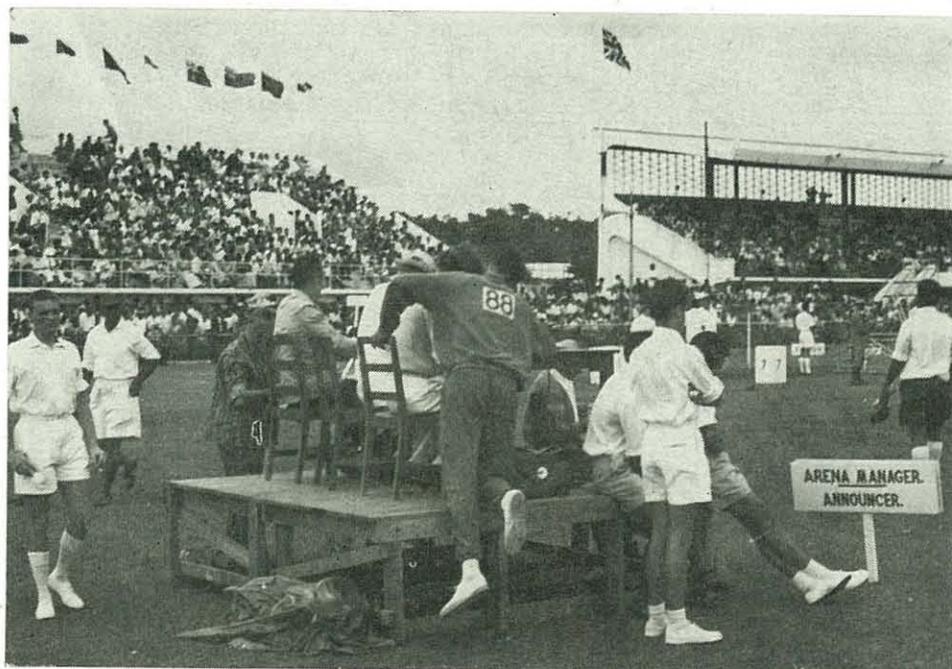
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APPENDIX 3

Medals Won By Territories

| Territory | Gold | Silver | Bronze |
|--------------------------|------|--------|--------|
| American Samoa | 1 | 21 | 3 |
| British Solomon Islands | — | — | — |
| Cook Islands | 2 | 3 | — |
| Fiji | 87 | 39 | 33 |
| French Polynesia | 21 | 2 | 21 |
| Gilbert & Ellice Islands | — | 1 | 4 |
| Kingdom of Tonga | 2 | 24 | 2 |
| Nauru | — | — | — |
| New Caledonia | 22 | 22 | 14 |
| New Hebrides | — | 1 | — |
| Niue | — | — | — |
| Papua/New Guinea | 15 | 17 | 35 |
| Western Samoa | — | 9 | 24 |

BOXING 2 SILVER CUPS.



The focal point of the control of Athletics. Mr. Allan Scott was Arena Manager and is here seen talking to A. Bell of New Hebrides during the heats of the 400 metres hurdles.



Some of the judges at the Athletics. Without the work of the technical officials, there would have been no Games.

APPENDIX 4

OPENING CEREMONY

Operation Order

SITUATION

1. The Opening Ceremony for the South Pacific Games will take place at BUCKHURST PARK, SUVA, on Thursday, 29th August, 1963, commencing at 1430 hrs.

2. His Excellency the Governor, Sir Kenneth Phipson MADDOCKS, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., will open the Games.

MISSION

3. To define the procedure for the Opening Ceremony for the 1st South Pacific Games, 1963.

EXECUTION

4. **General.** The Opening Ceremony will be divided into the following phases:—

- Phase 1—Preparations.
- Phase 2—Transportation of athletes and officials to Buckhurst Park.
- Phase 3—Assembly and Forming up of participants for the Opening Ceremony.
- Phase 4—The Opening Ceremony.
- Phase 5—Dispersal of Participants.

PHASE 1—PREPARATIONS

5. **General.** This phase includes the marking of the arena and the Assembly Area, rehearsal and the checking of all stores and equipment before the start of the Opening Ceremony.

6. **Control.**

Officer in Charge—Lt.-Col. G. S. MATE,
M.C. M.M.

Controller —Capt. P. F. MANUELI

Marshall —Capt. T. R. VAKA-
TORA

Assistants —W.O. II SAVUA L
S/Sgt. GALALA S.

7. **Preparations.** Detailed timings and sequence of events are shown at Annexure A.

8. **Stores.** R.S.M. SAVUA will ensure that the following stores are available at BUCKHURST PARK at 1300 hrs., Tuesday 27th August 1963:—

a. Dais—from Services Company F.M.F.

b. Shields—1 for each Territory from Director of Organisation, Central Buildings.

c. Discs Marking circular White—75.

d. Marker Flags Red & Green—6.

e. Flags—1 for each Territory to be flown at poles on No. 2 Stand from Mr. K. C. GAJADHAR.

9. For communication, the following Wireless Sets are to be available also:—

a. 88 Type A—10.

b. 32 Sets—3.

Signallers will be provided by 2 F.I.R.

To assist in the marking of the grounds 2 F.I.R. will provide a working party of 12 men on Tuesday 27th August, Wednesday 28th August.

10. **Layout.** The detailed layout of the Assembly Area and BUCKHURST PARK are shown at Appendices I, II & III to Annexure A.

11. Action on this phase will be completed by 1200 hrs. Thursday, 29th August, 1963.

12. **Rehearsal.** A rehearsal of the Opening Ceremony will be held at 0930 hrs. Wednesday, 28th August. Teams are NOT expected to attend except for General Team Managers and Flag bearers. All other persons participating will attend.

PHASE 2—TRANSPORTATION OF TEAMS AND OTHER PARTICIPANTS TO THE ASSEMBLY AREA

13. All athletes, officials and other groups participating in the Opening Ceremony will assemble at BUCKHURST PARK (No. 2 Ground) at 1415 hrs. Thursday, 29th August, 1963.

14. Transport arrangements for the day are as follows:—

a. Fiji Military Forces, the R.N.Z.A.F. and the Fiji Police Force are asked to provide transport for their personnel taking part in the Opening Ceremony.

b. Teams and the MEKE group from the NABUA Fijian School will be transported by buses provided by the Transportation Committee.

c. Embussing points:—

(1) NASINU Training College.

(2) Grammar School (VEIUTO).

(3) St. Stephens Hostel.

(4) NABUA Fijian School.

d. Buses will leave in time to reach BUCKHURST PARK at 1415 hrs.

15. Capt. M. V. BUADROMO is appointed Transport Control Officer for the occasion and is responsible for ensuring that all participants arrive at BUCKHURST PARK on time. He will liaise direct with the Transportation Committee on all transport matters.

16. Camp Commandants and Team officials are asked to co-operate and have the Teams ready to embus at 1330 hrs.

PHASE 3—ASSEMBLY AND FORMING UP OF TEAMS IN ASSEMBLY AREA

17. **General.** This phase covers the assembly and forming up of competitors and officials taking part in the Opening Ceremony. The Guard of Honour will form up independently and then march on to the Assembly Area under the Guard Commander at 1447 hrs.

18. Responsibility.

Marshall—Capt. T. R. VAKATORA

Assistants—W.O. II SAVUA L

S/Sgt. GALALA S.

Team Marshalls—13 (also shield bearers).

19. **Marking.** The Assembly Area will be marked as per Appendix 1 to Annexure A, and will be organised to allow teams to march on immediately in their correct order of march contained in Appendix I to Annexure 'B'.

20. Teams will debus on the road (Queen Elizabeth Drive) and enter BUCKHURST PARK through the seaward entrance by the FIJI Show Association Building. Team officials are asked to help move their teams on to No. 2 Ground — Assembly Area.

21. At the Assembly Area, teams will assemble by their shield bearers and form up.

22. Capt. VAKATORA will ensure that all teams are in position and ready to march on at 1505 hrs.

23. Once teams have formed up in their positions, they may be allowed to sit down and wait for the 'march on'.

PHASE 4—THE OPENING CEREMONY

24. **General.** The Opening Ceremony will commence at 1430 hrs. (2.30 p.m.) with a display by the massed F.M.F./Police Bands and will conclude with the moving off the arena of the Meke Group.

25. Responsibility.

a. Officer in Charge—Lt.-Col. G. S. MATE,
M.C., M.M.

b. Executive Officer—Capt. P. F. MANUELI

c. Chief Marshall—Capt. T. R. VAKA-
TORA

d. Assistant Marshall—Capt M. V. BUA-
DROMO.

26. **Sequence of Events.**—See Annexure 'B'.

27. Method.

1453 hrs.—Guard of Honour & Band march on via No. 3 Entrance and take up positions in front of the Grandstand.

1500 hrs.—Arrival of His Excellency the Governor and Lady MADDOCKS at the back of the Grandstand and are met by the Chairman of the Organising Committee and Commander Fiji Military Forces.

1501 hrs.—His Excellency, accompanied by the Commander Fiji Military Forces and Aide-de-Camp move to the dais in front of the Guard for a Royal Salute and the Chairman of the Organising Committee escorts Lady Maddocks to the Grandstand.

1502 hrs.—After the Royal Salute, His Excellency will inspect the Guard of Honour, accompanied by Commander Fiji Military Forces and the Aide-de-Camp.

1507 hrs.—At the end of the inspection His Excellency, Commander Fiji Military Forces and the Aide-de-Camp will be rejoined by the Chairman of the Organising Committee and escorted to the Grandstand.

1507 hrs.—Guard of Honour reforms 3 ranks and march off through No. 1 Entrance and competing teams 'march on' through No. 3 Entrance. For Order of March, see Appendix I to Annexure 'B'.

Teams will march past His Excellency the Governor from the left, the Team Captains giving orders for EYES LEFT on reaching the first marker flag and EYES FRONT when the last file of the team has passed the second marker flag.

Teams will march down the arena and then manoeuvre into position by a series of right wheels. Positions will be marked by shields.

1540 hrs.—General Team Managers move forward to the front of the Grandstand for presentation to His Excellency the Governor by the Chairman of the Organising Committee and take their seats in the Grandstand.

1545 hrs.—Presentation of Games Flag by Mr. L. R. MARTIN to the Flag Party who will then march with the flag to the Flagpole where it will be furled and hoisted to the masthead.

1551 hrs.—Address by the Chairman of the Organising Committee at the end of which His Excellency the Governor will be invited to open the Games.

1552 hrs.—Address by His Excellency after which he declares the Games open followed by a fanfare of trumpets, the breaking of the Games flag, and a 'fly past' by the Royal New Zealand Air Force.

1555 hrs.—The competitors and officials will march forward and sit on the grass, between the 100 metres track and the fence in front of the Grandstand. The Fiji Team will go to the competitors enclosure.

At the same time the MEKE Group provided by the NABUA Fijian School will move out on the arena via No. 3 Entrance.

1558 hrs.—MEKE.

1608 hrs.—'Meke' group move out through No. 3 Entrance and the teams run on the arena. (Presentation of Teams)

PHASE 5—DISPERSAL OF PARTICIPANTS AND RETURN OF TEAMS TO GAMES VILLAGES

28. **General.** This phase covers the dispersal of all participants in the Opening Ceremony.

29. **Responsibility.**
Officer in Charge—Capt. M. V. BUADROMO
Assisted by Team Marshalls.

30. At the conclusion of the Football match the teams will make their way to the buses where Capt. BUADROMO and his assistants will supervise embussing so that as soon as a bus is full, it can move off and return to the Games Villages.

31. Buses will be filled as participants arrive, irrespective of country or team, as long as people live in the one camp, with the aim of clearing the Bus Station as soon as possible.

32. **Territorial Flags.** Flag bearers will hand in all Territorial flags for safe custody until the closing Ceremony to R.S.M. SAVUA who will be located at No. 4 Entrance when teams move forward to watch the MEKE.

33. NABUA School pupils taking part in the Ceremony will be dispersed immediately the competitors are clear of the arena and will be taken to the SUVA Bus Station.

Signed P. F. MANUELI
Captain
Executive Officer
CEREMONIAL COMMITTEE



The ladies of Nabua village entertaining the visitors with a seasea towards the end of the Games.

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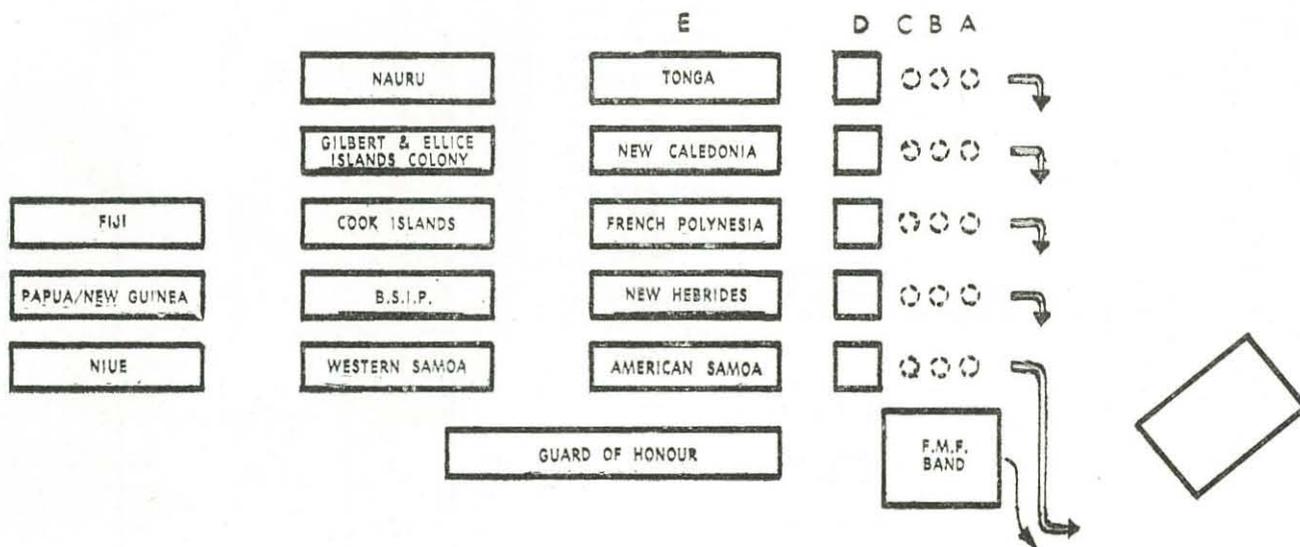
Annexure 'A'

PHASE 1—PREPARATIONS

| Serial | Date | Time | Event | Location | Detail | Responsibility | Remarks |
|--------|---------------|----------|---|------------------------------|---|--|---|
| (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (e) | (f) | (g) | (h) |
| 1 | Tue 27 Aug | P.M. | Marking of Assembly Area, and main arena. | Buckhurst Park | | Capt. P. F. Manu-eli. | Marking to be completed by 1600 hrs. Capt. T. R. Vakatora and R.S.M. Savua will assist in the marking. |
| 2 | Wed 28 Aug | 0830 hrs | Check by Ceremonial Committee of ground including Assembly Area, flagpoles etc. | Buckhurst Park | | Chairman and all members of the Ceremonial Committee. | |
| 3 | | 0900 hrs | Briefing of key personnel taking part in rehearsal. | Grandstand Buckhurst Park | | Capt. P. F. Manu-eli. | |
| 4 | | 0930 hrs | Rehearsal. | | Massed Bands Guard of Honour Shield Bearers Flag Bearers General Team Managers Flag Party (Ceremonial Flag) Mr. L. R. Martin and Flag carrier. R.N.Z.A.F. Representative Chairman of Organising Committee Commander F.M.F. A.D.C. (if possible) Mr Grieg Meke Group under Sovanivalu. | All members of the Ceremonial Committee. | Massed Bands to commence display at 0930 hrs. |
| 5 | Thu 29 Aug | 1315 hrs | Final check by Chairman of the Grounds. Buses to report to the camps. | Buckhurst Park | | Lt.-Col. G. S. Mate Capt. M. V. Buadromo and Mr. Goodrum. | Capt. Manueli, Capt. Vakatora and R.S.M. Savua to accompany the Chairman. Timings for departure of buses from the camps will be promulgated later by Capt. M. V. Buadromo. |

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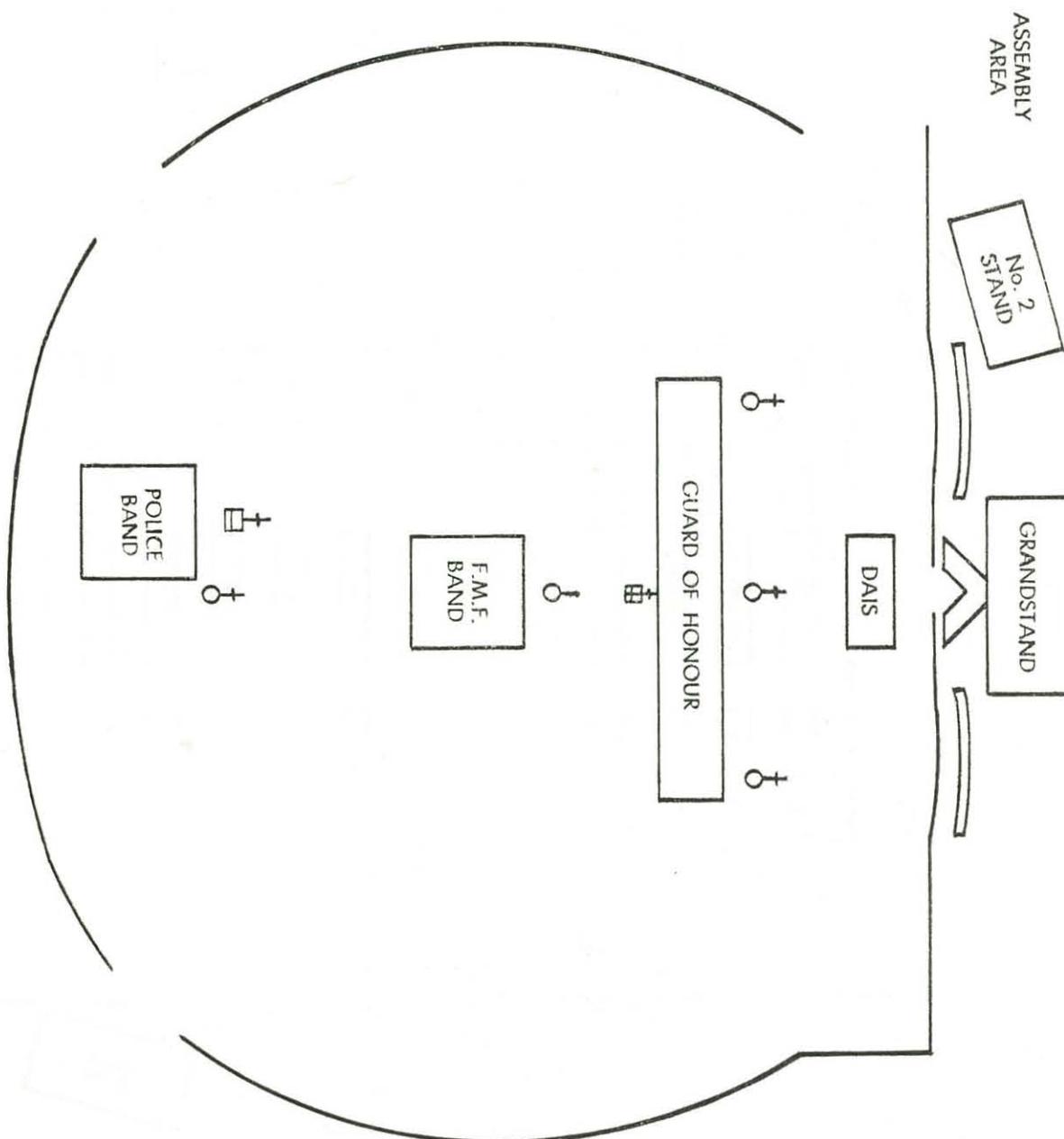
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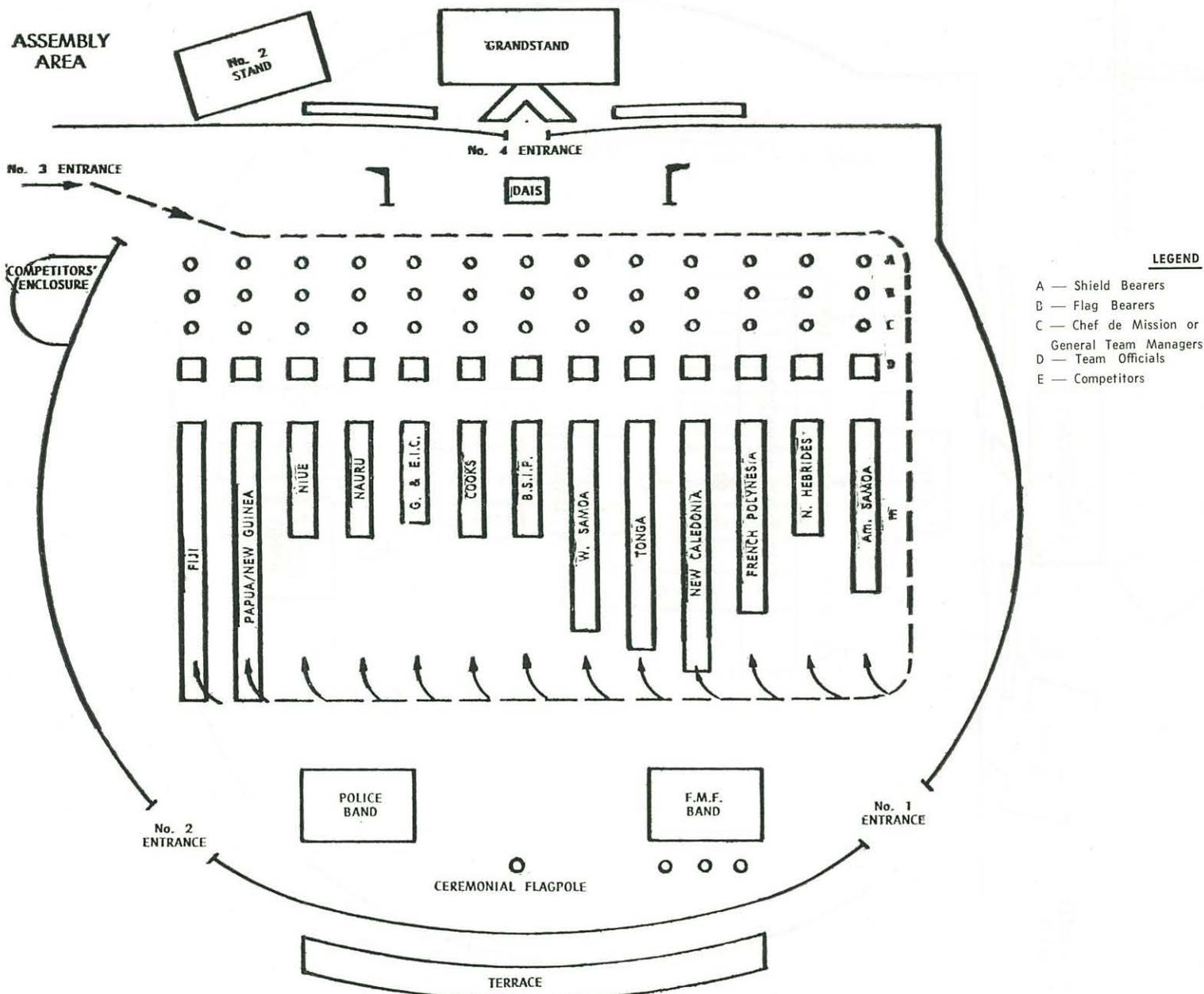


LEGEND

- A — Shield Bearers
- B — Team Captains (Carrying Flags)
- C — General Team Managers
- D — Team Officials
- E — Competitors

NOTE : All teams will be formed up as for those on the RIGHT with Markers, Team Captains, General Team Managers and Officials in front of the Competitors.





SOUTH PACIFIC GAMES 1963
Phase 4—The Opening Ceremony

Annexure 'B'

| Serial | Date | Time | Event | Group or Unit | Method of Arrival or Exit | Responsibility | Remarks |
|--------|------------|----------|--|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------|---|
| (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (e) | (f) | (g) | (h) |
| 1 | Thu 29 Aug | 1425 hrs | Massed Bands march on. | F.M.F. Police | No. 3 Entrance | A.S.P. Duncan | Display will finish at 1440 hrs. and the F.M.F. Band will march out through No. 3 Entrance and join the Guard of Honour. |
| 2 | | 1430 hrs | Massed Bands Display | Police | | A.S.P. Duncan | |
| 3 | | 1445 hrs | Music by the Police Band. | Police | | A.S.P. Duncan | |
| 4 | | 1453 hrs | Guard of Honour and Band march on. | F.M.F. | No. 3 Entrance | Guard Commander | Guard and Band march into position and halt, turn to the front, the Guard forms 2 ranks and both Band and Guard are dressed. After EYES FRONT, Guard and Band will be stood at ease. |
| 5 | | 1500 hrs | Arrival of H.E. and Lady Maddocks at the back of the Grandstand who are met by the Chairman of the Organising Committee and Commander F.M.F. | | No. 4 Entrance | A.D.C. | Guard of Honour will be stood to attention and Slope Arms. |
| 6 | | 1501 hrs | H.E., Commander F.M.F. and the A.D.C. move on to the Dais for Royal Salute and the Chairman of the Organising Committee escorts Lady Maddocks to the Grandstand. | | | A.D.C. | When H.E. and his party are in position the Guard Commander will give the order — ROYAL SALUTE, PRESENT ARMS. |
| 7 | | 1502 hrs | Royal Salute | | | Guard Commander | F.M.F. Band plays the Royal Salute. At the end of the Salute, the Guard will Slope Arms, Order Arms & the Guard Commander will move forward, salute H.E. and invite him to inspect the Guard. |
| 8 | | 1503 hrs | Inspection of Guard of Honour by H.E. | | | | F.M.F. Band to play during inspection. Guard only will be inspected. |
| 9 | | 1507 hrs | End of Inspection. H.E., Commander F.M.F. and the A.D.C. move forward towards the pavilion and rejoined by Chairman of Organising Committee and taken to Grandstand. | | | | After H.E. has finished inspecting the Guard of Honour, he is saluted by the Guard Commander who then resumes his position. The Guard then reforms 3 ranks etc, Slope Arms and march off. |

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| (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (e) | (f) | (g) | (h) |
| 10 | Thu 29 Aug | 1509 hrs | Guard of Honour marches off. | | No. 1 Entrance | Guard Commander | F.M.F. Band strikes up and counter-marches etc. and forms up to the right of the Police Band. |
| 11 | | 1509 hrs | Competing teams march on past H.E. at the Grandstand and Form up as per Appendix III. | | No. 3 Entrance | Capt. T. R. Vakatora | 1st Team will step off immediately the F.M.F. Band strikes up for the Guard of Honour to march off. The two Bands will take turns in playing for the march on of the competing teams. Teams will march past H.E. from the left, the Team Captains giving EYES LEFT on reaching the first marker flag, and EYES FRONT when the last file has cleared the second marker flag. Teams will march down the arena and wheel RIGHT (twice) on wheeling flags and then wheel RIGHT again on marker discs and when in position, halt and stand at ease independently. |
| 12 | | 1540 hrs | Chef de Mission and General Team Managers march forward for presentation to H.E. | | | Announcer | As soon as the FIJI team has halted and stood at ease, the Chef de Mission and General Team Managers will march forward to the front of the pavilion where they will be presented to H.E. by the Chairman of the Organising Committee. |
| 13 | | 1544 hrs | Chef de Mission and General Team Managers take their seats in the Grandstand. | | | | After the presentation Chef de Mission and General Team Managers will turn RIGHT and move to the Grandstand behind H.E. and the Chairman of the Organising Committee and take up their seats. |
| 14 | | 1545 hrs | Presentation of Games Flag by Mr. L. R. Martin. | | No. 4 Entrance | Mr. Martin, R.S.M. Savua and Flag Party. | Immediately H.E. returns to the Grandstand Mr Martin will move down to the front of the Pavilion for the presentation of the Games Flag. The Flag party under R.S.M. Savua will have taken up position as soon as General Team Managers have moved off to the Grandstand. |

| Serial | (e) | Time | Event | Group or Unit | Method of Arrival or Exit | Responsibility | Remarks |
|--------|---------------|----------|---|---------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|---|
| (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (e) | (f) | (g) | (h) |
| 15 | 29 Aug Thu | 1546 hrs | Flag marched in quick time to the Flagpole where it will be furled and hoisted to the masthead. | F.M.F. | | R.S.M. Savua | F.M.F. Band to play quick march. |
| 16 | | 1551 hrs | Address by the Chairman of the Organising Committee. | | | | At the end of his address he will invite H.E. to open the Games. |
| 17 | | 1552 hrs | Address by H.E. at the end of which he will declare the 1st South Pacific Games open. | | | | Following the declaration by H.E. the Police trumpeters will play a fanfare immediately followed by a 'fly past' by the R.N.Z.A.F. |
| 18 | | 1555 hrs | Teams will march forward to front of the pavilion and fall out. Competitors will sit down on the grass between fence line and 100 metres track. | | | | Immediately the aircraft have flown past, the teams will move independently under Team Captains. Bands will march out through No. 2 Entrance. Fiji team will move to the Competitors enclosure. |
| 19 | | 1556 hrs | MEKE Group move into arena. | NABUA Fijian School | No. 3 Entrance | Sakeasi Sovanivalu | MEKE Group will start moving in as soon as the arena is clear of competitors. |
| 20 | | 1558 hrs | MEKE WESI by the pupils of the NABUA Fijian School. | | | | Meke specially composed by Master Sakeasi Sovanivalu for the occasion. |
| 21 | | 1608 hrs | MEKE Group moves out. | | No. 3 Entrance | Sakeasi Sovanivalu | Performers will move out as fast as possible. |
| 22 | | 1610 hrs | Football teams run out to take the field. | | No. 3 Entrance | K. C. Gajadhar | |

Appendix I to Annexure 'B'

ORDER OF MARCH

AMERICAN SAMOA
 NEW HEBRIDES
 FRENCH POLYNESIA
 NEW CALEDONIA
 TONGA
 WESTERN SAMOA
 BRITISH SOLOMON ISLANDS PROTECTORATE
 COOK ISLANDS
 GILBERT & ELLICE ISLANDS COLONY
 NAURU
 NIUE
 PAPUA/NEW GUINEA
 FIJI

Appendix II to Annexure 'B'

PROCEDURE FOR
PRESENTATION OF
GAMES FLAG

1545 hrs.—Mr. MARTIN will move to the dais followed by a bearer carrying the flag. The bearer will halt to the RIGHT of Mr. Martin (off the dais) and then hand the Flag to Mr. Martin.

R.S.M. SAVUA will move forward and halt in front of Mr Martin, salute, receive the Flag and rejoin the Flag Party.

The Flag is then spread out, displayed at an angle and then held horizontal with 4 bearers on each side.

Party will then turn RIGHT on command of the R.S.M. and march off in quick time along the 2 outside tracks and round to the Flagpole where it will be furled and hoisted to the Masthead.

CLOSING CEREMONY

1. A Ceremony to mark the Closing of the 1st South Pacific Games 1963, will be held at BUCKHURST PARK, SUVA, on Saturday, 7th September, 1963, commencing at 1700 hrs. with singing by the CAWACI Choir, and ending with the Beating of Retreat by the Band of the Fiji Military Forces.

2. Responsibility.

- a. Officer in Charge—Lt.-Col. G. S. MATE M.C., M.M.
- b. Controller—Capt. P. F. MANUELI
- c. Marshall—Capt M. V. BUADROMO
- d. Assistants—Capt. T. R. VAKATORA, R.S.M. SAVUA L., Sgt. TAGA P.

3. Method.

- a. 1700 hrs.—Singing by the CAWACI Choir.
- b. 1700 hrs.—Competitors and Officials (less General Team Managers) form up in the Assembly Area.
- c. 1712 hrs.—F.M.F. Band march on and take up its position.
- d. 1715 hrs.—Competitors march on through No. 3 Entrance and form up. F.M.F. Band will play for "march on".
- e. 1722 hrs.—Closing address by the Chairman of the Organising Committee. His Excellency the Governor will

then declare the Games closed followed by the lowering of the South Pacific Games Flag.

- f. 1726 hrs.—Flag Party march to the front of the Grandstand and hand in the Games Flag to the Chairman of the Organising Committee.
- g. 1727 hrs.—Handover of the Games Flag to the next host territory.
- h. 1728 hrs.—Singing of AULD LANG SYNE and ISA LEI by all participants led by the Choir.
- i. 1740 hrs.—Beating of Retreat by the Band of the Fiji Military Forces and the lowering of all territorial flags.

4. Full details of the Closing Ceremony are contained in Annexure 'A'.

5. Annexure 'B' shows the layout of the ground after the competitors have marched on and formed up.

Signed P. F. MANUELI,
 Captain
 Executive Officer
 CEREMONIAL COMMITTEE

1st South Pacific Games—1963

CLOSING CEREMONY

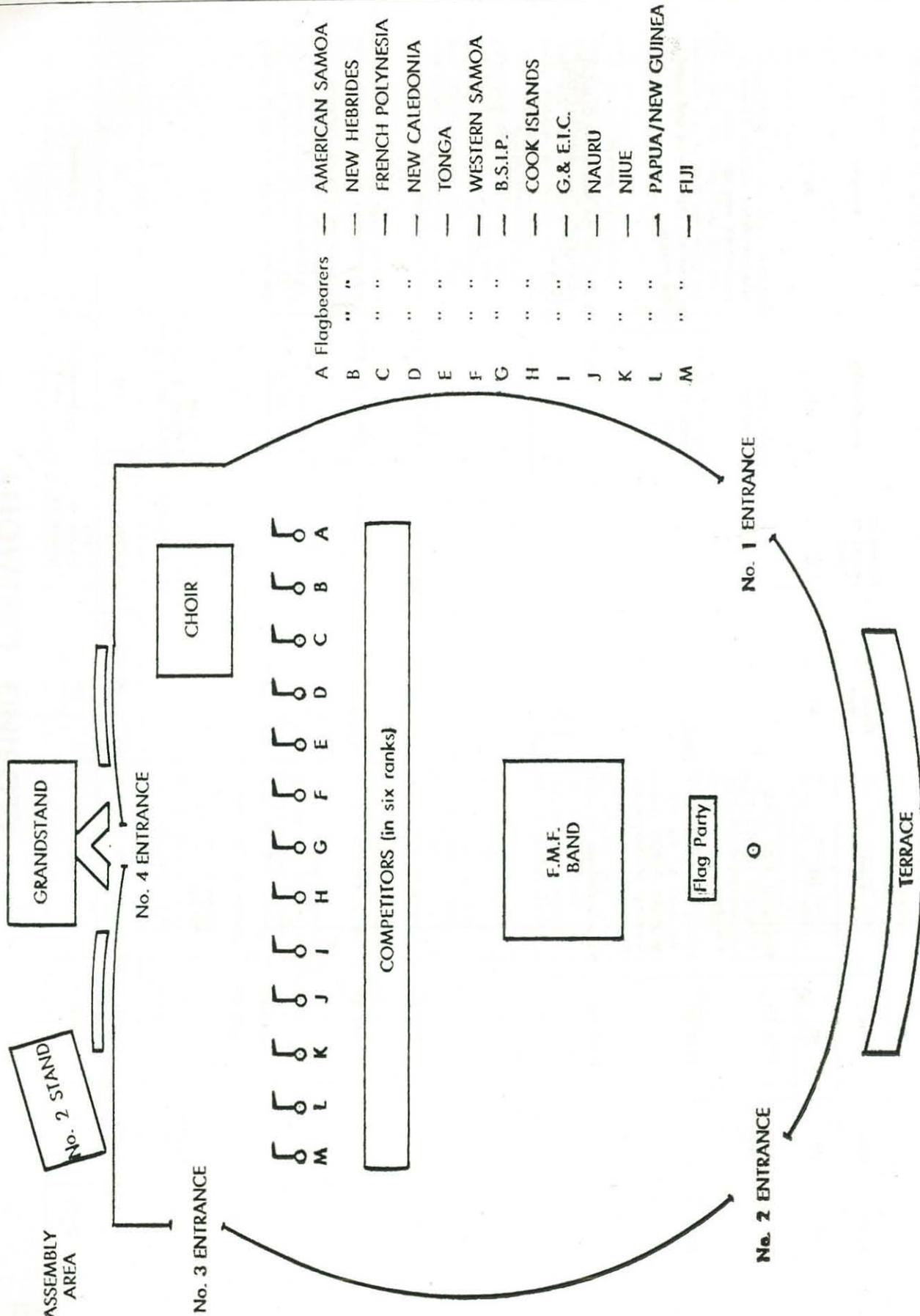
Annexure 'A'

| Serial | Date | Time | Event | Group or Unit | Method of Arrival or Exit | Responsibility | Remarks |
|--------|---------------|----------|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (e) | (f) | (g) | (h) |
| 1 | Sat 7 Sept | 1657 hrs | Cawaci Choir move into the arena and take up position as per Annexure "B". | | No. 4 Entrance | Capt. M. V. Buadromo & Choirmaster. | |
| 2 | | 1700 hrs | Singing by the Choir. | | | | |
| 3 | | 1700 hrs | Forming up of competitors for the Closing Ceremony in the Assembly Area. | All Teams | | Choirmaster Capt. M. V. Buadromo | Competitors & Officials will be formed up as 1 unit in 6 ranks with the Flag bearers 3 paces in front in the same order the territories marched on for the Opening Ceremony. |
| 4 | | 1712 hrs | F.M.F. Band march on to the arena to take up its position. | F.M.F. | No. 1 Entrance | Director of Music. | The Band must be in position to strike up at 1700 hrs. |
| 5 | | 1715 hrs | Competitors march on to the arena, not in team order but intermingled, depicting the friendships formed during the Games. | | No. 3 Entrance | Capt. M. V. Buadromo. | Competitors will mark time when the RIGHT flank reaches the marker flag. When the competitors and officials are in position, the Band will stop and the participants will halt, turn to the front and Stand at Ease independently. |
| 6 | | 1722 hrs | Closing address by the Chairman of the Organising Committee. His Excellency the Governor will then declare the Games closed followed by the lowering of the South Pacific Games Flag. | Flag Party provided by the F.M.F. | | | When the Games are formally closed by His Excellency the Governor, trumpeters of the F.M.F Band will sound a fanfare and the Games Flag will be lowered. |
| 7 | | 1726 hrs | Flag Party march to the front of the Grandstand and hand in the Games Flag to the Chairman of the Organising Committee. | | | R.S.M. SAVUA | The Band will play for the marching of the Flag from the Ceremonial Flagpole to the front of the Grandstand. |
| 8 | | 1727 hrs | Handover of the South Pacific Games Flag to Mr. Le Borgne, delegate of New Caledonia host territory by the Chairman of the Organising Committee. | | | Mr. COMMON | |

Annexure 'A' (continued)

| Serial | Date | Time | Event | Group or Unit | Method of Arrival or Exit | Responsibility | Remarks |
|--------|---------------|----------|---|---------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (e) | (f) | (g) | (h) |
| 9 | Sat 7 Sept | 1728 hrs | Singing of AULD LAND SYNE and ISA LEI by all participants led by the Choir. | | | Choirmaster Announcer | Announcer will ask all participants over the Public Address System to join in the singing. |
| 10 | | 1740 hrs | Beating of Retreat by the Band of the FIJI MILITARY FORCES and lowering of territorial flags. | F.M.F. | | Director of Music. | The Band will play a hymn and sound the retreat. |
| | | 1750 hrs | National Anthem. | | | | All flags will be lowered by Orderlies provided by the FIJI MILITARY FORCES. |

Annexure 'B'



| | | |
|---|-------------|------------------|
| A | Flagbearers | AMERICAN SAMOA |
| B | " | NEW HEBRIDES |
| C | " | FRENCH POLYNESIA |
| D | " | NEW CALEDONIA |
| E | " | TONGA |
| F | " | WESTERN SAMOA |
| G | " | B.S.I.P. |
| H | " | COOK ISLANDS |
| I | " | G. & E.I.C. |
| J | " | NAURU |
| K | " | NIUE |
| L | " | PAPUA/NEW GUINEA |
| M | " | FIJI |

Appendix VI

VICTORY CEREMONIES

It was found possible to run the victory ceremonies with one team under the control of the Ceremonial Officer due to the timing of the events. The party commander was responsible for getting three sets of flags, two tape recorders, two sets of taped victory anthems, and the personnel to each venue at the right time.

The Ceremonial Officer was responsible for liaison between the announcers, the flag raising party and the recording operator so that immediately the medals were presented, the flags could be raised and the victory anthem played simultaneously.

Three copies of each anthem were made, one used, one as a standby on the spare machine and one in reserve. The second recording was sometimes

required for setting up the next victory anthem when that followed immediately.

Due to the standard of some of the recordings and the inherent response of the loudspeakers, the quality of the music over the amplifier system was not very good.

Some difficulties arose from the music itself. Firstly, some of the anthems arrived at the last moment and many were too long and had to be cut, causing some embarrassment, also some of the recordings were very poor. It is felt that the anthem should last for about twenty seconds or slightly less, but not more than twenty-five seconds. If longer it has been found that spectators get restless when they are asked to stand a dozen times or more during a session.



Appendix VII

LIST OF COMPETITORS AS ENTERED BY TERRITORIES

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

BRITISH SOLOMON ISLANDS PROTECTORATE

Bopali, Patterson
 Buare, Jeremiah
 Johnson
 Joshua, Joshua
 Konare, Barnabus
 Mabuluo, John
 Natei, Matthew
 Palusi, Ambrose
 Peni, Ben
 Rafiasi, Charles
 Samani, Daniel
 Sunaone, Erastus
 Taronisau, Victor
 Taylor, John Gilbert—Manager/Player
 Vabo, Daniel

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Ali, Zikar
 Bechan, Ram Harakh—Manager
 Dutta, Satish
 Esereli, Savou
 Kean, Percy
 Lal, John
 Lal, Vinod
 Nair, Samy
 Narayan, Ramendra
 Prasad, Jitendra
 Samy, Meera
 Reddy, Keshav
 Sanjivi, Robert, Naga
 Simmonds, David
 Singh, Chandra, Bhan
 Singh, Sashi Mahendra—Coach
 Thoman, Augustine
 Warner, Jack
 Yee Cock Sue

FRENCH POLYNESIA

Ateni, Gabriel Charles Joseph
 Au Ah, Wei
 Boosie, Tahakura, Adrien, Joseph
 Ganivet, Raymond Joseph
 Mataitai, Hyacinthe
 Maoni, Rene—Coach
 Nena, Max
 Pai, Calixte, Faremata
 Pua, Faatau
 Puhia, Davida, Vivi
 Raffin, Yannick
 Ropiteau, Paul
 Samkova, Aimee, Ramon, Ah Singh
 Taurua, Jean Claude, Teriimana
 Teikivaiani, Muinaiki, Joseph
 Tetainuarui, Louis, Tamatahipo
 Temaiana, Manapamano
 Tumahai, Araia, Marc
 Van Sam, Richard

NEW CALEDONIA

Benebig, Andre
 Benebig, Jean-Claude
 Cacot, Dominique
 Cornet, Christian
 Delmas, Gerald
 Elmour, Guy—Coach
 Essieux, Paul—Coach
 Fouques, Guy—Manager
 Gouapana, Barine
 Gouzenes, Jean-Pierre
 Hmaen, Philippe
 Kanyan, Marc
 Massenya, Georges
 Maxue Paouta, Robert
 Nahiet, Jean-Baptiste
 Pawiro, Wasmen
 Poairaiwa, Raymond
 Prevost, Raymond
 Waitronyi, Edward

NEW HEBRIDES

Ali, Fernand
 Galinie, Armand
 Gedeon
 Johnny
 Johnsen
 Kalbeo, Kamasakau
 Massou
 Michel, Henri
 Prevot, Michel
 Sablan, Jean
 Taoun
 Tomoi, Kamfakao
 Valette, Raymond

PAPUA/NEW GUINEA

Amos, Jack Thikap
 Bingano, Nabung
 Clark, Edward Miles
 Dedda, Adrian
 Haembo, Max Nicholas
 Karufe, Kawi
 Knoll, Werner—Manager
 Mooney, John—Coach
 Nobanu, Buko
 Pala, Wari
 Ruben, Giwamba
 Sokara Sokara
 Soweni, Paul Ramu
 Suebu, Ambrosius
 Voelkel, Hermann
 Walo Wala

ATHLETICS

AMERICAN SAMOA

Alapa, Tanu—100 metres hurdles
 Dale, Ray—400 metres; 800 metres; 400 metres hurdles; 4 x 400 metres relay.
 Fa'apouli, Tolise—100 metres; 200 metres; High Jump; Long Jump; Triple Jump; 4 x 100 metres relay; 4 x 400 metres relay.
 Faga'i, Fofoa—Javelin.
 Fuimaono, Nokise—110 metres Hurdles; Pole Vault.
 Gaisoa, Pi'a—800 metres; Long Jump; Triple Jump.
 Huff, Buck—Assistant Track Coach.
 Hunkin, Anna—200 metres; High Jump; Long Jump; 4 x 100 metres relay.
 Hunter, Samuel—Assistant Coach.
 Ili, Maliga—4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Keki, Susana—Shot Putt; Discus, Javelin.
 Laban, Pi'i—1500 metres; High Jump.
 Le'iato, Puava—Shot Putt; Discus.
 Liufau, Sua—Long Jump; Triple Jump.
 Lutu, Aolele—100 metres; 80 metres Hurdles; High Jump; Long Jump; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Meanoa, Va'a—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Misa, Silaumea—800 metres.
 Mutu Jr. Panama—Shot Putt; Discus.
 McBraun, Elisapeta—800 metres; 80 metres Hurdles.
 Niko, Ropeti—1500 metres; 400 metres.
 Ponafala, Ta'aloga—100 metres; 800 metres; Long Jump; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Poutoa, Sausau—400 metres Hurdles; Discus; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
 Sagapolu, Talita—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Sivia Jr. Sivia—Javelin.
 Soliai, Po'u—Shot Putt; Javelin.
 Taito'a, Tielu—Shot Putt; Discus; Javelin.
 Taleuati, Aliimau—200 metres; 80 metres Hurdles; High Jump.
 Taleuati Sataoa—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Tano'a Wilson—Pole Vault.
 Togafau, Sosefina—Discus; Shot Putt.
 Utu, Puapua—400 metres; 800 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
 Vaovasa, Tautoto—1500 Metres; 5000 metres.

BRITISH SOLOMON ISLANDS PROTECTORATE

Anderson, Edmond—800 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
 Fafale, Stephen—200 metres; 400 metres; 110 metres Hurdles; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
 Fraser, Ian Alexander—Manager.
 Ningalo, Walter—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Olistation, Selrino—4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Paia, Warren—100 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Sogabule, John—High Jump.
 Walakwata, Placid—100 metres; 200 metres; 400 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
 Walerefoa, Michael—400 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
 Waura, Stanley—High Jump; Long Jump.

COOK ISLANDS

Aka, Tautai—5000 metres; 10,000 metres.
 Henry, Kimi—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Nooau, Maruaau—800 metres; 1500 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Paiti, Ka—5000 metres; 10,000 metres.
 Pupa Kau—500 metres; 10,000 metres.
 Puri, Marion—100 metres; 200 metres.

Tangiia, Tamariki—5,000 metres; 10,000 metres.
 Tutai, Tutavake—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Utia, Teokoitu—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.

FIJI

Bower, Francis—100 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Crocker, Graeme Ross—Coach.
 Crocker, Lorraine—Chaperone.
 Drega, Epeli—200 metres.
 Galuinadi, Jonetani—Javelin.
 Gould, Kenneth Sydney—5000 metres, 3000 metres Steeplechase; 10,000 metres.
 Kabakoro, Tevita—Long Jump; High Jump; Triple Jump.
 Kuruvoli, Kalisi Likura—Long Jump; Javelin; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Lawe, Setariki—Long Jump; Triple Jump.
 Liga, Viliame—High Jump; Javelin.
 Leweniqila, Waisake—Triple Jump.
 Lotu, Litia Lewaqona—800 metres.
 Malamala, Osea—400 metres Hurdles; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
 Mitchell, Robin—110 metres Hurdles.
 Moceidreke, Sitiveni—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Moore, John Anthony—Manager.
 Nabou, Apisai—200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Nadumu, Laite—Javelin; Discus.
 Nakaora, Marseu—Hammer.
 Naimotu, Akisi—Shot Putt; Discus.
 Naivalarua, Sekove—800 metres; 1500 metres.
 Navusolo, Joseva—400 metres; 800 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
 Phillips, Eleanor Ann—100 metres; 200 metres; 80 metres Hurdles; High Jump; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Racule, Amani Delana—4 x 400 metres Relay; 400 metres.
 Raiyala, Kiniviliame Nalatu—100 metres; Long Jump; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Rakuro, Mesulame—Shot Putt; Discus.
 Ramacake, Anna—100 metres; 200 metres; 80 metres Hurdles; High Jump; Long Jump; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Ratuyawa, Samisoni—5000 metres; 3000 metres Steeplechase.
 Rokovesa, Sitiveni—800 metres; 1500 metres.
 Saulekaleka, Viliame—3000 metres Steeplechase; 10,000 metres.
 Serukalou, Asenaca Vani—800 metres.
 Southwick, Grahame—400 metres Hurdles; 110 metres Hurdles.
 Tuivuya, Livi—5000 metres; 10,000 metres.
 Turukawa, Merewai—Discus; Javelin; Shot Putt.
 Vakalala, Maca—100 metres; 200 metres; Long Jump; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Vatanimotu, Koroiwale—Shot Putt; Discus; Pole Vault.
 Waqa, Lasarus—400 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
 Woodhouse, Margaret—80 metres Hurdles; High Jump.

FRENCH POLYNESIA

Artigouha, Gilbert—Coach (M).
 Artigouha, Marlene—Trainer (W).
 Bourne, Jean—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Cadousteau, Augustin—Shot Putt.
 Catros, Charlotte—Coach (W).
 David, Solange—Discus, Shot Putt.
 Doucet, Roger—1500 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
 Favereau, Rene—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
 Fuller, Francis—1500 metres; Triple Jump.
 Golaz Jean—400 metres; 800 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.

Grand, Ernest—Pole Vault.
Krauser, Rudi—800 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
Mairai, John—Long Jump; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Malvoisin, Annick—100 metres.
Martin, Paul—400 metres Hurdles; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
Moua, Rodolphe—High Jump; Triple Jump.
Salmon, John—400 metres Hurdles; High Jump.
Sarciaux, Helene—80 metres Hurdles; High Jump; Long Jump.
Tetaria, Charles—110 metres Hurdles; Long Jump; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Tetuiva, Maeva—Shot Putt.
Wong, Leon—High Jump.

GILBERT & ELLICE ISLANDS COLONY

Mafaa, Tesio—400 metres; 800 metres; 1500 metres.
Mango, Tara—5000 metres; 10,000 metres; 3000 metres Steeplechase.
Morgan-Morris, Robert Thomas—Coach.
Pasefika, Loto—100 metres; 200 metres.
Rabangaki Kautu—1500 metres; 5000 metres; 10,000 metres; 3000 metres Steeplechase.
Taireta, Anthony Francis—800 metres; 1500 metres; 3000 metres Steeplechase.
Toariri, Moiaua—100 metres; 200 metres.

KINGDOM OF TONGA

Latu, Alipeti—Pole Vault; Triple Jump.
Latu, Samiuela—Pole Vault; Triple Jump.
Likiliki, Pauliasi—100 metres; 200 metres.
Pale, Kalolo—110 metres Hurdles.
Pulotu, Kakolosi Kioa—Shot Putt.
Taliai, Sione Siupeli—Manager.
Tu'ifangaloka, Samiuela—1500 metres.

NAURU

Akeiyamwan, Hercules—5000 metres; 10,000 metres.
Reweru, Tabuna—1500 metres; 5000 metres.
Joram, Gamanoa—800 metres; 1500 metres.
Ribauw, Paul—200 metres; 400 metres.

NEW CALEDONIA

Areski, Alain—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Bernut—4 x 400 metres Relay.
Bigourd, Geraldine—100 metres; 200 metres; 800 metres.
Bone, Martial—Shot Putt; Discus.
Hmeun—4 x 100 metres Relay; 200 metres.
Hulot, Andre—Discus.
Humuni, Albert—400 metres; 800 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
Humuni, Elia—1500 metres; 5000 metres; 10,000 metres; 3000 metres Steeplechase.
Kaddour, Christian—100 metres; 200 metres; Long Jump; Triple Jump; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Laifa, Jean-Pierre—1500 metres; 5000 metres; 10,000 metres; 3000 metres Steeplechase.
Passa, Nypiengo—High Jump.
Penissio, Munanoa—Javelin.
Piepe, Albert—400 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
Pothin, Jacques—100 metres; 200 metres; Long jump; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Robert, Guy—Manager/Coach.
Sourbier, Jean-Marc—Coach.
Tanc, Danielle—100 metres; 200 metres; Long Jump; Discus.
Tokawa, Adonio—Shot Putt; Discus.
Toruafe, Paul—Javelin.

Verges—4 x 100 metres Relay.
Vittori—4 x 400 metres Relay.
Wakalina, Petelo—Shot Putt; Javelin.
Yekawene, Alexandre—200 metres; 400 metres; Triple Jump; 4 x 400 metres Relay.

NEW HEBRIDES

Bell, Allan—Long Jump; Triple Jump; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Jack, Willie—High Jump.
James, Larik—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Kalpau, Peter—400 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
Kalsal, John—Javelin.
Lisal—800 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
Nial, Kalo—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Ronnie—800 metres; 1500 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
Tavituel, Jeffery—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Waewo, Jack—Pole Vault.
Yuen—800 metres; 1500 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.

NIUE

Head, Freyberg—Pole Vault.
Hukui, Charlie Ford—100 metres; Triple Jump.
Limatoa, Limatoatama—Pole Vault.
Rokoduna, Iosefo—200 metres; 400 metres; 800 metres.

PAPUA/NEW GUINEA

Abai, Tolom—Long Jump; Triple Jump.
Barrett, Donald—Manager.
Bola, Robert—Long Jump; Triple Jump.
Ellison, Lydia—100 metres; 200 metres; Long Jump; High Jump; Shot Putt; Discus; Javelin.
Harrison, Charles—400 metres; Long Jump; Triple Jump; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
Haro, Ivaroa—100 metres; 200 metres; High Jump; Long Jump; Shot Putt; Discus; Javelin.
Hiob, Prit—Shot Putt; Discus; Javelin.
Ivaharia, Oe—Shot Putt; Discus; Javelin.
Joyce, Michael—1500 metres; 800 metres; 5000 metres.
Kapa, Kea—Shot Putt; Discus.
Laboran, Edward—High Jump.
Maina, Waituka—200 metres; 400 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
Malatana—Pole Vault.
Muga, Meli—4 x 100 metres Relay.
Richter, Bruce Ian—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Sale—100 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Tavip, Peter—400 metres; 800 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
Vela, Kahi—800 metres; 1500 metres; 4 x 400 metres Relay.
Vuia, John—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.

WESTERN SAMOA

Ah Kiona, Akenese—High Jump; Long Jump.
Ai'atele, Iuluse—1500 metres; 5000 metres.
Batchelor, Robert—Manager.
Carter, Alice—Shot Putt.
Ele, Manuia—200 metres; 800 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Fa'atonu, Ie—Long Jump; Triple Jump.
Pua, Vitoria—Shot Putt; Discus; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Rasmussen, Dawn—100 metres; 200 metres; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Sao, Sale—1500 metres; 5000 metres.
Schwalger, Louis—1500 metres; 5000 metres.
Su'a Keresoma—100 metres; 200 metres.
Su'a mene Iafeta—Long Jump; Triple Jump.
Talauta, Gavalofa—100 metres; Discus; 4 x 100 metres Relay.
Taoipu, Mata—Shot Putt; Discus.
Pe'a, Moon—High Jump.

BASKETBALL (Men)

AMERICAN SAMOA

Buttell, Frank
Fiso, Luteru
Gaisoa, Pi'o
Ho Ching, Beaver
Letutu, Howard
Nomura, Fred
Nomura, Ray
Soliai, Po'u
Taito'a, Tielu
Tiumalu, Miki
Vaka, Sao.

FIJI

Ah Sam, Charlie
Chambers, John
Chung, George
Chung, Kenneth
Fong, Keith
Fong, Ono
Fong, Ronnie
Fong, Yameen
Hill, Thomas—Coach
Hoy, Clifford
Pulu, Tavake
Sewell, Donald—Manager
Vakatawa, Terio
Yee, Gordon

FRENCH POLYNESIA

Bonnet, Jean Baptiste
Bonno, Jacques
Haereraeroa, Albert—Coach
Hargous, Stanislas
Hart, Remy
Kimitete, Pierre
Marassouce, James
Mariteragi, Hiro
Moua, Rodolphe
Tetutaata, Jacques
Thunot, Charles
Van Basotler, Wilfred.

NAURU

Itsimaera, Alfred
Karanise
Reweru, Eouta
Smith, Frank
Tam, Patrick—Coach/Player
Uera, Jairu Boranga
Ualese
Wah, Lee

NEW CALEDONIA

Bernut, Alain
Blanc, Edouard
Bone, Charles
Clavel, Jacques
Gaveau, Gaston
Giozzi, Daniel
Kaloye, Paul
Mengin, Jean-Pierre
Porcheron, Ernest—Manager/Coach
Tahuhuterani, Albert
Taurua, Jean.

PAPUA/NEW GUINEA

Chui, Jeffery
Heist, Martin—Coach/Player
Hilton, Michael
Hiob, Prit
Labi, Jerry
Ning, Lawrence
Seeto, Jackson
Tovae, Meriba
Yip, Charles

WESTERN SAMOA

Ili, Anapogi
Lauina, Tapito
Lesa, Lopeti
Masiasomua, Silila
Nielson, Clair—Coach
Pauga, Iakopo
Pe'a, Moon
Pogai, Lisona
Skinner, Duane—Manager
Stehlin, Joseph
Tapusoa, Emele
Te'o Lisona

BASKETBALL (Women)

AMERICAN SAMOA

Amito'elau, Ma'iomalo
Emelio, Fiapa'ipa'i
Fa'agata, Lizzie
Lago'o, Usuia
Langkilde, Roslyn—Coach
Ripley, Foloi
Ross, Elizabeth
Samuelu, Niva
Suaunoa, Laupama
Unutoa, Fagamalama.

FIJI

Apted, Louisa Patricia May—Manager/Coach
Bingham, Teresa
Cakobau, Adi Litia
Davui, Saniana Senikau
Koro, Ruci Buliwale
Laisa, Nai
Marr, Lucy
Rarasea, Serefina
Ratu, Iisapeci
Vakalala, Anarieta
Waqanacevu, Nasiki Iliana

NIUE

Asekona, Tofa Robertina
Bates, Norma Elizabeth—Coach
Faniu, Nofolagi
Fanovaha, Live Siale Lineahi
Ikihele, Vahegahakafa
Jackson, Maheleone
Naepi, Taina Lighemana Wandalita
Richmond Rex, Mathinna Fitimonomowo
Sauni, Sakaki
Tafatu Morris, Martha.

PAPUA/NEW GUINEA

Abijah, Josephine
Allen, Lyn
Dou, Loi
Flaherty, Patricia
Flynn, Rita—Player/Coach
Idau
Kapa, Kea
Kila, Eli
Morea, Taunao
Raula, Vele

WESTERN SAMOA

Asuega, To'oto'o—Coach
Carter, Alice
Fepule'a'i, Gatoloai
Kerslake, Elsie
Leo, Pelenatete
Maeata'anoa, Leleaga
Pa'u, Goretti
Rasmussen, Geraldine
Salanoa, La
Seumanutafa, Sialafua
Sofara, Eni—Manager

BOXING

AMERICAN SAMOA

Fonoti, Etemani—Middle-weight.
Kuresa, Jnr. Kuresa—Welter-weight.
Loloaso, Apelu—Light heavy-weight.
Magalei, Pouli—Light middle-weight.
Marcus, Edward—Assistant Coach.
Meredith, Eddie—Manager/Coach.
Ponapa, P.—Light middle-weight.
Scanlan, Joseph—Light welter-weight.
Stowers, Francis—Light middle-weight.
Taufeao, Sagato—Trainer.
Tinae, So'osemea—Feather-weight.

COOK ISLANDS

George, Toro—Feather-weight.
Marsters, Peter—Welter-weight.
Puruto, Piri—Middle-weight.
Robati, Jnr. George—Light heavy-weight.
Putoko, Here—Light welter-weight.
Robati, George—Manager.
Tere, Fenuku—Light middle-weight.

FIJI

Aniti, Petero—Light welter-weight.
Brown James—Light-weight.
Cawa, Sainivalate—Welter-weight.
Charman, Harry—Manager.
Delai, Mosese—Light heavy-weight.
Dikidikiliti, Veramu—Heavy-weight.
Evans, Moses—Light middle-weight.
Gurumuthi, Bobo—Feather-weight.
Kale, Peniasi—Heavy-weight.
Mate, Manoa—Fly-weight.
Moli, Mitieli—Light welter-weight.
Nair, Krishna—Bantam-weight.
Naiula, Lasarusa—Light-weight.
Osborne, Michael—Feather-weight.
Qoro, Sakaraia—Bantam-weight.
Roba, Jioji—Fly-weight.
Roko, Ravuama—Middle-weight.

Tui, Ilisoni—Welter-weight.
Tuimasi, Cama—Middle-weight.
Tukana, Joseph—Light heavy-weight.
Valelavaki, Loriso—Light middle-weight.

KINGDOM OF TONGA

Faingata'a, Sione—Light welter-weight.
Katoa, Kasi—Light-weight.
Kautau, Mulikihaamea—Welter-weight.
O'Brien, Robert John—Manager.
Sonasi, Le'okava—Middle-weight.
Tuineau, To'o visa—Light middle-weight.

PAPUA/NEW GUINEA

Cook, Boris—Coach.
Hopkins, Kenneth—Light middle-weight.
Hopkins, Terence—Light-weight.
Hui, Leslie—Middle-weight.
Julius, Matthew—Bantam-weight.
Nelson, Paul—Welter-weight.
Tomaira, Arthur—Light welter-weight.
Taylor, Raymond—Manager.

LAWN TENNIS

AMERICAN SAMOA

Ho Ching, Smith
Hunkin, Oliva
Jennings, Filo
Meredith, Manu
Reid, Jnr. Peter
Sema, Tamali'i
Scanlan, Herbert
Suiuaonoa, Laupama
Uperesa, Sameme—Coach/Player.

COOK ISLANDS

Koringo, Pepe
Mataio, Here
Ratumu, Mii
Ru, Opura
Sadaraka, Sadaraka—Manager
Samuel, Vaitu
Tani, Nono.

FIJI

Blomfield, Faye
Carver, June
Collins, David—Non-playing
Connolly, Ann
Ladd, Kevin
Low, Annie
Morgan, Brian
Power, Paul
Satyanand
Zullah, Rahim.

FRENCH POLYNESIA

Arapari, John—Coach/Player
Caisson, Raymond
Laharrague, Olga
Robinet, Paul
Quesnot, Margie.

GILBERT & ELLICE ISLANDS COLONY

Maerere, Terengaieta
Pasefika, Tutasi
Tarawa, Wiram
Taion, Tamare.

KINGDOM OF TONGA

Brown, Deanne
Fakalata, 'Aiona
Johansson, Ruby
Fa'ulua, Nikola
Kafa, Loloma'anaia
Naufahu, Penisimani Katavake
Palelei, Siasoi—Manager/Player
Roberison, Jean Holly
Salakielu, Viliami Hafokame'e.

NAURU

Adam, Magabi
Daniel, Clarinda
Grundler, Langi
Moses, Joan.

NEW CALEDONIA

Begaud, Jacques Luciene Marie Maurice
Berge, Gerard Louis Marie
Fouques, Bernard Maurice Jean Arthur
Morault, Anne-Marie Michelle
Mornaghini, Michel Denis
Nawa, Jacqueline Marguerite
Pesnel, Guy Joel
Porcheron, Lyliane Mireille Marguerite
Sauvan, Nicole Marthe Marie-Therese.

NEW HEBRIDES

Gaillande, Rene-Guy
Galinie, Sylvette
Giles, Michael
Valette, Danielle.

PAPUA/NEW GUINEA

Bretag, Barbara Isobel Anne
Brown, Neville Keith
Davis, Leonard Gordon
Marks, Arthur
Smith, Maureen Veronica
Walter, Catherine Joseph.

WESTERN SAMOA

Keil, Gerwin
Lam, Martha Sasa'e
Le'upolu, Tavita
Rasmussen, Noeline
Sofara, Eni
Westerland, Mateo.

RUGBY

FIJI

Brown, Douglas Walkden—Manager
Bolawaqatabu, Epi
Buli, Vinaiya
Cavu, Suliasi
Daunitutu, Suliasi
Kunavore, Epi
Lovodua, Eremasi
Nalia, Vereniki

Nasova, Josateki
Naucabalavu, Joeli
Naucabalavu, Jope
Raddock, Pat—Coach
Raikuna, Jone
Rasiosateki, Petero
Ratuveilawa, Nemesio
Saukuru, Josefa
Sokovata, Jone
Tabaiwalu, Jone
Toga, Apisai
Tukana, Ulaiasi
Tuisese, Seru
Walisoliso, Sevaro.

KINGDOM OF TONGA

Fa'apoi, Petelo
Fakaua, Panuve
Fonua, Semisi—Manager
Kalaniuvalu, Ngalumoetutulu
Kefu, Mafile'o
Latukefu, Uaisele
Ma'afu, Pauli
Mafi, Lopeti
Mailangi, Lutu
Manoa, Samiuela Mafana
Moala, Foua
Moala, Kalisi
Palavi, Uatesoni
Pulotu, Kakolosi
Selupe, Siasoi
Sime, Takai
Tatafu, Tamata'ane
Tavo, Sione
Tu'itavake Lausi'i
Ula, Samiuela
Vaka'uta, 'Isileli
Vunipola, Sione.

WESTERN SAMOA

Asi, Faleata
Fa'alogo, Pito
Fa'asau, Fuauli
Feagai, Efu
Feagai, Salele
Hunter, Arthur—Manager
Kruse, Hans
Liaina, Ami
Liaina, Solomona
Lima, Fealofani
Lome, Meki
Mailei, Fa'aitu
Meredith, Jack
Perez, Sio
Petaia, Ni'o
Sagaga, Luga
Si'u, Ese
Si'u, Po
Tolefoa, Vaise
Tualau, Taili
Tualaualei, Ieti
Tuatagaloa, Keli
Tautagaloa, Va'a
Tunupopo, Ativalu.

SWIMMING

AMERICAN SAMOA

Apaisa, Failava—110 yds. Freestyle; 110 yds. Backstroke; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Mapuilefala, Malu—110 yds. Freestyle; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Mesi, Aleipata—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 1650 yds. Freestyle; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Mulitauapele, Johnny—1650 yds. Freestyle; 220 yds. Breaststroke.

Otto, Christine—Assistant Coach.

Otto, Walter—Coach.

Passi, Moe—220 yds. Breaststroke; 110 yds. Butterfly; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Passi, Pua—440 yds. Freestyle; 1650 yds. Freestyle; 110 yds. Butterfly; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Tarrant, Tina—440 yds. Freestyle; 110 yds. Backstroke; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Tili, Fua—110 yds. Backstroke.

FIJI

Adi, Winikiti—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 110 yds. Backstroke; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Anfinson, Clelia Stephanie—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Bay, Carl Frederic—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 1650 yds. Freestyle; 110 yds. Butterfly; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Blyth, Joan Margaret—110 yds. Backstroke.

Butler, Barbara June—Assistant Manager/Chaperone.

Gardner, Barry Arch Mollison—Manager.

Griffiths, John Duncan—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Herrington, Joan Elizabeth—440 yds. Freestyle; 220 yds. Breaststroke; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Kennedy, Robert Anderson—1650 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle.

Kerrigan, Patrick—110 yds. Freestyle; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Koroi, Sefanaia—220 yds. Breaststroke; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Marlow, James, Henry—1650 yds. Freestyle.

Muller, Carl Joseph—4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Raddock, Colin Mark—110 yds. Backstroke; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Raivuni, Weka—110 yds. Breaststroke.

Ranadi, Anareta—110 yds. Freestyle; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.



Sau, Marika—110 yds. Backstroke.

Smith, Margaret Lena—220 yds. Breaststroke; 110 yds. Breaststroke.

Wilkinson, Donald Rex—110 yds. Backstroke.

NEW CALEDONIA

Bastoggi, Charles—Manager/Coach.

Bouye, Jean—110 yds. Backstroke; 110 yds. Butterfly; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Caillard, Francois—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 1650 yds. Freestyle; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Douapere, Joseph—220 yds. Breaststroke.

Duffayet, Jacques—220 yds. Breaststroke; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Legras, Jean-Claude—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Lesturgie, Michel—110 yds. Backstroke; 110 yds. Butterfly.

Mamelin, Jean-Yves—440 yds. Freestyle; 1650 yds. Freestyle; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Postal, Philippe—110 yds. Freestyle; 1650 yds. Freestyle; 110 yds. backstroke; 220 yds. Breaststroke; 110 yds. Butterfly; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

PAPUA/NEW GUINEA

Atkinson, Kevin—Manager.

Cronan, Audrey—220 yds. Breaststroke; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Finn, Jan—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 110 yds. Backstroke; 440 yds. Freestyle; 110 yds. Backstroke; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Hardy, John—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 1650 yds. Freestyle; 110 yds. Backstroke; 110 yds. Butterfly; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Jarope, Kanawan—110 yds. Backstroke; 220 yds. Breaststroke; 110 yds. Butterfly; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Jovel, Tovitolon—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 1650 yds. Freestyle; 220 yds. Breaststroke; 110 yds. Butterfly; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay.

Kangon, Popeu—220 yds. Breaststroke; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Mae, Pia—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 220 yds. Breaststroke; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Matthews, Suellen—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 110 yds. Backstroke; 110 yds. Butterfly; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

Selan, Bonawan—110 yds. Freestyle; 440 yds. Freestyle; 4 x 110 yds. Freestyle Relay; 4 x 110 yds. Medley Relay.

TABLE TENNIS

FIJI

Chow, Betsy

Columbus, Michael

Houng Lee, Albert

Lal, Vinod

Ligairi, Jese

Mani, Harry Jarre

Naivaluvou, Akisi

Otobed Ulai

Ramrakha, Karam Chand—Manager/Player.

GILBERT & ELLICE ISLANDS COLONY

Lomeko, Lomitusi

Maerere, Terengaieta

Malua, Kokea

Pasefika, Tutasi

KINGDOM OF TONGA

Brown, Deanne

Fakalata, 'Aiona

Johansson, Ruby

Latu, Solomone

Leger, Frank

Naufahu, Penisimani Katavake

Palelei, Siaosi

Robertson, Jean Holly.

NEW CALEDONIA

Breard, Jean-Noel

N'Guyen Thi Gai, Jacqueline

Noda, Marie-Claude

Sens, Raymond.

NIUE

Asekona, Tofa Robertina

Bahenga, T. R.

Jackson, Robert

Kuripitone.

PAPUA/NEW GUINEA

Dent, Denise Irene

Griffin, Joan Caba

Mitchell, Valerie

O'Donohue, John

Nash, Roy

Stranger, Christopher John.

VOLLEY BALL

AMERICAN SAMOA

Fa'apouli, Tolise

Fiso, Luteru

Gaisoa, Pi'o

Liufau, La'au

Liufau, Sua

Nomura, Fred

Samia, Drury—Coach

Samia, Jnr. John

Soliai, Po'u

Taito'a, Tielu

Tiumalu, Miki.

FIJI

Kavika, Niumaia

May, John

Mociu, Cparama

Moran, Ivan Noel

Pulu, Tavake

Raikuna, Viliame—Manager/Coach

Tuilevu, Viliame

Vokai, Jioji

Vosalevu, Malakai

Vuniyawa, Iliesa.

FRENCH POLYNESIA

Mottet, Alain—Coach

Nicolao, Maxime

Proust, Jean

Ratia, Homai

Tetuanui, Lucien

Tetuanui, Myrthe

Tetuanui, Roger

Teuira, Puarai

Turi, Faakini.

WESTERN SAMOA

Ah Ching, Vern Arthur—Manager

Ili, Anapogi

Kamaoaha, Edwin—Coach/Player

Lauina, Tapito

Lesa, Lopeti

Masiasomua, Silila

Pauga, Iakopo

Pe'a, Moon

Pogai, Lisona

Stehlin, Joseph

Tapusoa, Emele

Te'o, Lisona.

APPENDIX VIII

TEAM OFFICIALS NOT LISTED UNDER SPECIFIC DUTIES

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| American Samoa: | J. Samia, Chef-de-Mission, and Head Coach. J. Harlan, Assistant Team Manager. A. Lauvao, Chaperon (M). P. Le'iato, S. Lauvao, K. Samia, Chaperones (W). J. Sappa, Equipment Manager. J. C. Wright, Technical Official. |
| British Solomon Islands Protectorate: | C. Volumiu, Medical Assistant. |
| Fiji: | M. J. Bay, Deputy General Team Manager. V. Moffett, (W) Team Manager. |
| French Polynesia: | D. P. Cassiau, Chef-de-Mission. Madame Cassiau, Chaperone. M. Vendroux, Paris Ministry Official. M. L. Lavigne, Vice President, F.G.S.S. |
| Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony: | E. T. Evans, South Pacific Games Council Delegate. |
| Kingdom of Tonga: | H.R.H. Prince Tu'ipelehake, Chef-de-Mission. S. Fonua, Medical Officer. |
| Nauru: | P. Cook, Nauru Amateur Sports Association Representative. |
| New Caledonia: | P. Essieux, Association Football Coach and Representative of France. |
| New Hebrides: | R. Delaveuve, Chef-de-Mission. |
| Niue: | D. M. Milne, Chaperone. |
| Papua/New Guinea: | R. A. Johnstone, Assistant Manager. J. Harley, Chaperone. |
| Western Samoa: | T. S. Atoa, Secretary Sports Federation. Hon. Leutele Tuatagaloa, Government Representative. |
| GENERAL TEAM MANAGERS | |
| American Samoa: | T. Le'iato. |
| British Solomon Islands Protectorate: | S. Dakei. |
| Cook Islands: | R. Tepuretu, P. F. Henderson (Joint). |
| Fiji: | A. L. Masi. |
| French Polynesia: | G. Catros. |
| Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony: | P. S. Jackson. |
| Kingdom of Tonga: | S. H. Brown |
| Nauru: | T. Moses. |
| New Caledonia: | N. M. Daly; A. Drouet (Joint). |
| New Hebrides: | D. Williams |
| Niue: | R. R. Rex. |
| Papua/New Guinea: | C. J. McCubbery. |
| Western Samoa: | H. A. Levestam. |

Appendix IX

EQUIPMENT

A. ARENA EQUIPMENT :

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| Safety net and frame for discus and hammer | |
| Cantabrium datum measuring apparatus | |
| Windgauge | |
| Lane Marking machine | |
| Shot circles | |
| Stop boards | |
| Lap score board | |
| Starting pistols and ammunition | |
| 1000 yds. K. Worsted for finishing line. | |

B. THROWING EQUIPMENT :

| | |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| Javelins, mens, practice | 6 |
| Javelins, mens, match | 8 |
| Javelins, womens, practice | 4 |
| Javelins, womens, match | 8 |
| Shot, mens, practice | 6 |
| Shot, mens, match | 4 |
| Sot, womens, practice | 6 |
| Shot, womens, match | 4 |
| Hammers | 6 |
| Spare wires | 1 doz. |
| Discus, mens, captive | 3 |
| Discus, mens, practice | 4 |
| Discus, match, wooden | 3 |
| Discus, match, metal | 2 |
| Discus, womens, captive | 3 |
| Discus, womens, practice | 3 |
| Discus, womens, match, wooden | 3 |
| Discus, womens, match, metal | 2 |

C. JUMPING EQUIPMENT :

| | |
|----------------------------|--------|
| Hurdles, match | 60 |
| Hurdles, practice | 16 |
| High Jump stands, match | 2 |
| High Jump stands, practice | 2 |
| High Jump stands, laths | 15 |
| Pole Vault stands | 2 sets |
| Pole Vault slideways | 2 |
| Pole Vault laths | 6 |
| Fibre glass poles parallel | 3 |
| Fibre glass poles tapered | 3 |

D. MISCELLANEOUS :

| | |
|--------------|----|
| Relay batons | 12 |
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E. ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL :

| | |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Nets and net supports | 2 sets |
| Balls, practice | 12 |
| Balls, match | 10 |

F. RUGBY FOOTBALL :

| | |
|-----------------|----|
| Balls, practice | 10 |
| Balls, match | 8 |

G. TABLE TENNIS :

| | |
|--------|---------|
| Tables | 2 |
| Posts | 4 pairs |
| Nets | 1 doz. |
| Balls | 20 doz. |

H. MENS BASKETBALL .

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| Balls, practice, American seamless B Class | 10 |
| Balls, match, American seamless A Class | 6 |

H. WOMENS BASKETBALL :

| | |
|-----------------|---|
| Balls, practice | 4 |
| Balls, match | 3 |

I. VOLLEYBALL :

| | |
|--------------------|--------|
| Net stands and net | 2 sets |
| Balls | 6 |

J. BOXING :

| | |
|------------------|---------|
| Gloves, sparring | 10 sets |
| Gloves, match | 6 sets |
| Punch bag mits | 8 pairs |
| Heavy bags | 2 |
| High speed bags | 2 |
| Bell | 1 |
| Clocks | 2 |

K. TENNIS :

| | |
|--|---|
| Nets | 3 |
| Timber (spiked) poles approximately 3' 6" long | 6 |
| Timber A frames | 2 |
| A supply of balls | |

EQUIPMENT LENT BY "OMEGA"

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| Stop Watches (MG 1135) | 20 |
| Timers (MG) | 3 |
| Timers (MG 1173) | 3 |

