

# ISRAEL STAGES OWN OLYMPICS

~~an~~ 50,000 in the Ramat Gan Stadium saw

Acting Premier Moshe Sharett and most of the Cabinet

at the opening of the 4th Maccabiah - Israel's own

International Games. More than 850 competitors -

23 nations represented. In Olympic Games fashion

a torch was brought to the stadium to light the Maccabiah

Flame.

The world applauds the astonishing progress made in so few

years by <sup>7</sup>the virile nation, at once the youngest and the

oldest, in the Land of Promise.

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