

OLYMPIC POOL OPENS:

The opening meeting at the Olympic Pool in Rome saw notable British victories. The 200-metres breast-stroke event was one of them. It was part of a match between Britain, Sweden and Italy, in which the British were the overall winners; Sweden second.

The breast-stroke race soon resolved itself into a contest between two English girls, Anita Lonsborough and Christine Gordon. They soon left the others behind.

Anita swam like the champion she is.

Anita Lonsborough turned into the last length, still commandingly in the lead.

Miss Lonsborough won in two minutes, 55<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> point-2. Let's hope that she and other British top notchers stay in form...