

*Joel Yancey*

# Coaches and Team Officials



JOSEPH YANCEY (USA)



LT. COL. DAVIES (COMMONWEALTH)



V. P. POPOV (U.S.S.R.)

## U.S.S.R.

LEADER  
G. I. Eliseev

LEADER ASSISTANTS  
L. S. Chomenkov  
A. S. Smaznov

CHIEF COACH  
V. B. Popov

COACH ASSISTANT—SPRINT  
E. F. Kuznezov

COACH ASSISTANT—RUN  
N. I. Pudov

COACH ASSISTANT—THROW  
O. J. Grigalka

COACH ASSISTANT—DECATHLON  
J. K. Kolesov

DOCTOR  
G. P. Vorobiov

MANAGER  
E. X. Martin

## UNITED STATES

### HEAD MEN'S COACH

Joseph J. Yancey, Jr., Organizer, co-founder and coach of New York Pioneer Club, 1936. Coach of Olympic teams from Bahamas, British Guiana, Jamaica, Trinidad, Virgin Islands. First U.S. coach to serve under State Dept. as a goodwill ambassador.

### ASSISTANT COACHES

Atis Petersons, Southern California Striders  
Frank Sabasteanski, Bowdoin U.  
Irwin Weiss, Princeton

### HEAD WOMEN'S COACH

Dr. John Davis, Topeka, Kan.

### ASSISTANT'S WOMEN'S COACH

Ron Sorkness, Renton, Wash.

### CHAPPERONE:

### WOMEN'S MANAGER

*Veirian Bruce*

### U.S. TEAM MANAGER

Mike Portonova, Tarzana, Calif.

### ASSISTANT U.S. TEAM MANAGERS

Syd Kronenthal, Culver City  
John Staehli, Union, N.J.  
Andy Bakjan, Downey, Calif.

## COMMONWEALTH

### GENERAL TEAM MANAGER & TECHNICAL MANAGER

*Lt. Col. Davies*, Montreal, Canada, President of British Commonwealth Association of Canada and member of International Amateur Athletic Association.

### ASSISTANT TEAM MANAGER

*Neil Farrell*, Hamilton, Ontario

### HEAD MEN'S COACH

*John Le Mesurier*, co-national coach of Great Britain

### ASSISTANT COACHES

Chief assistant: *E. Nyako*, Ghana  
Distance events and walks: *Alleyne Gainsford*, Australia  
Track events to & incl. 800M: *A. A. Ordia*, Lagos, Nigeria  
Hurdles and jumps: *Richard Asheheim*, Jamaica  
Field events and decathlon: *J. William Holley*, New Zealand  
Head trainer: *Tony Russo* (Citrus College)

### MANAGERS, WOMEN'S TEAM:

*Mrs. Doris Magee*, Australia