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HERBERT MOLS

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AMHERST, N.Y., Aug. 10— Herbert Mols, the manager of the 1972 United States Olympic basketball team and one of the original organizers of the Empire State Games, died today, apparently of a heart attack. He was 71 years old.

Mr. Mols, the Western Regional Director of the games, was stricken at the event's press center on the campus of the State University of New York at Buffalo.

Mr. Mols was in the center of a dispute at the 1972 Olympic Games in Munich. The United States team apparently had won the gold medal game in basketball, but officials added 3 seconds to the clock, and the Soviet team won, 51-50, with a basket at the buzzer.

Mr. Mols wrote a report in which he said that Avery Brundage, president of the International Olympic Committee, "didn't carry the ball for us on a legitimate protest."

Mr. Mols was born in Buffalo in 1915. He played football at Cornell and served in the Navy in the Pacific during World War II.

At the Park School near Buffalo, he was athletic director, coached football, basketball, baseball and track, and taught biology, chemistry and physics until his retirement in 1973. He was active in the Amateur Athletic Union.

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