

DAVE MATLIN ELECTED A.A.U. PRESIDENT

David A. Matlin, current General Counsel for the SSA, was recently elected president of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States. Mr. Matlin has been active in AAU affairs for 30 years and served as first vice-president of that organization for the past two years. His service to soaring includes four terms as president and 14 terms as treasurer of the Southern California Soaring Association and three years as an SSA Director.



Dave Matlin competed in AAU weight lifting events from 1936 to 1943 and won the Los Angeles heavy-weight title in 1943. He has been meet director for eight national weight-lifting championships and was chairman of the 1960 and 1964 United States Olympic Weight-Lifting Committee. He has been a member of that committee on five occasions. Mr. Matlin has been very active in community activities as well as in sporting endeavors. He is the current treasurer for the Los Angeles Convalescent Home, a former member of the Board of Managers for the Los Angeles Downtown YMCA and a former director of the Los Angeles Jewish Employment Agency. He is co-chairman for the Pacific Coast chapter of the U.S. Committee for Sports in Israel and a past master of the Loyalty Masonic Lodge of Los Angeles, a member of Scottish Rites and Shrine. He has pursued a successful law practice in Southern California for 30 years and is qualified to practice before the Supreme Court of the United

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States. He and his wife, Frances, make their home in Beverly Hills. They have two sons, Roger, 23, and William, 21.

THE NEW GLIDING KIWI

As a result of having operated at a deficit for a number of years The Gliding Kiwi (Official Journal of the New Zealand Gliding Association) has recently been overhauled: Effective with its October, 1966 issue, the magazine has both a new format and a new editor, Mr. John Roake. Although the financial cut-

back necessitated more modest production methods we are pleased to say that it has not affected the quality of the contents. And what losses have been suffered are offset very nicely by the sprightly cartoons of Judy White, the Kiwi's new Staff Cartoonist.

Readers who wish to add The Gliding Kiwi to the list of soaring publications they receive may subscribe by sending the sum of \$3.00 to The New Zealand Gliding Association, Box 487, Tauranga, N.Z.