Complete the text with the past simple form of the verbs in brackets.



Dr Ludwig Guttmann [1]..... (be) a German doctor and he [2]..... (work) in a hospital in England during the Second World War. His patients [3]..... (have) serious problems with their backs, but Dr Guttmann [4]..... (use) sport to help them. He [5]..... (begin) a sports competition at the hospital. Soon people from other countries [6]..... (come) to the hospital games. In September 1960 the hospital games [7]..... (change) to the Paralympics and the first competition [8]..... (take) place in Rome. Athletes from twenty-three countries [9]..... (compete) in the events. Italy [10]..... (win) eighty medals!

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