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COLLECTION FOR SWISS SOLDIERS RELIEF FUND.

We are pleased to announce that so far £213.11.3 has been collected from our fellow-countrymen in New Zealand and turned over to the Consulate of Switzerland. This money has already been put at the disposal of the Swiss Foreign Office in Berne by cable, with instructions to remit the equivalent to the Swiss Soldiers' Relief Fund. Well over 100 compatriots have subscribed and paid in their donations, and we have every reason to be proud of the splendid result achieved so far. The list of the donors will be published in the next issue of the "HELVETIA" (July). In the meantime we extend to all those who so generously contributed, most sincere thanks, and wish to repeat our invitation for all those who so far have not had an opportunity to make their contribution, to make it now, either to the President of the Swiss Benevolent Society of New Zealand, Mr. Ernst Merz, P.O. Box 85, Auckland, C.1, the Secretary, Mr. Werner Ungemuth, Clarence Road, Northcote, Auckland, N.4., or to the Consulate of Switzerland, P.O. Box 386, Wellington, C.1. These tokens of patriotism of the Swiss people from the far-flung islands of New Zealand will gladden the hearts of our compatriots at home like sunbeams piercing the clouds of dangerous political skies.

LONG LIVE SWITZERLAND!

Walter Schmid.

Wellington, 28th May, 1940.

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GENERAL MOBILISATION OF THE SWISS ARMY.

The Consulate of Switzerland at Wellington has received on May 10th the following cable from the Legation of Switzerland in London :

"SWISS FEDERAL COUNCIL ORDERED GENERAL MOBILISATION TODAY OFFICERS AND MEN ON LEAVE ABROAD NOT INCLUDED IN THIS ORDER."

It will be noted that officers and men on leave abroad are not included in this order.

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