

Zeitschrift: Helvetia : magazine of the Swiss Society of New Zealand
Herausgeber: Swiss Society of New Zealand
Band: 72 (2006)
Heft: [6]

Titelseiten

Nutzungsbedingungen

Die ETH-Bibliothek ist die Anbieterin der digitalisierten Zeitschriften auf E-Periodica. Sie besitzt keine Urheberrechte an den Zeitschriften und ist nicht verantwortlich für deren Inhalte. Die Rechte liegen in der Regel bei den Herausgebern beziehungsweise den externen Rechteinhabern. Das Veröffentlichen von Bildern in Print- und Online-Publikationen sowie auf Social Media-Kanälen oder Webseiten ist nur mit vorheriger Genehmigung der Rechteinhaber erlaubt. [Mehr erfahren](#)

Conditions d'utilisation

L'ETH Library est le fournisseur des revues numérisées. Elle ne détient aucun droit d'auteur sur les revues et n'est pas responsable de leur contenu. En règle générale, les droits sont détenus par les éditeurs ou les détenteurs de droits externes. La reproduction d'images dans des publications imprimées ou en ligne ainsi que sur des canaux de médias sociaux ou des sites web n'est autorisée qu'avec l'accord préalable des détenteurs des droits. [En savoir plus](#)

Terms of use

The ETH Library is the provider of the digitised journals. It does not own any copyrights to the journals and is not responsible for their content. The rights usually lie with the publishers or the external rights holders. Publishing images in print and online publications, as well as on social media channels or websites, is only permitted with the prior consent of the rights holders. [Find out more](#)

Download PDF: 05.04.2026

ETH-Bibliothek Zürich, E-Periodica, <https://www.e-periodica.ch>

July 2006

HELVETIA



Do you know the name of this castle ?



The Historic Market town of this City is set on the River Aare, at the northern end of the Lake with the same name as the City and the Castle.

The origins of ??? go back to 1191, when Berthold V, Duke of Zaehringen, built a castle on a hill above the river here. The Old Town spreads out beneath the castle, on the right bank of the river. Obere Hauptgasse, the main street running parallel to the river, is split into two levels. The walkway is built on the roofs of the arcaded buildings lining the street, so that pedestrians step downstairs to enter the shops below.

Stepped alleys off Obere Hauptgasse lead to the castle, from which there are impressive views of the town and the

Bernese Oberland. Inside the castle's massive turreted keep, which looms over ???, is a museum documenting the town's history. Other rooms in the castle contain collections of clocks, dolls and household objects, weapons and uniforms, glass and ceramics, coins and toys.

The huge Knight's Hall, with an imposing fireplace, is used as a concert hall. Also on the hill is the Stadtkirche, the town's church. A short walk east of the castle and down the river leads to the Kunstmuseum, which contains a collection of Swiss and international modern art. On the left bank of the river is Schadau Park. Near the lake here stand a Neo-Gothic folly and a cylindrical pavilion, whose interior walls are painted with the Wocher Panorama. This visual record of daily life in ??? was painted by Marquard Wocher in 1814, and is the oldest such panorama in the world.

Correct answer to the June Issue was:

" Frauenfeld"

The winner was:
**Fritz Scheidegger
Auckland**

The winner of this competition will receive a \$10 voucher, and will be announced in the following issue of HELVETIA. If there are a number of correct answers there will be a draw. The judges decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into. Please send your answers printed clearly together with your name and address on the back of an envelope to: HELVETIA competition, Silvia Schuler, 536 Ahipaipa Road, RD11, Hawera, by the 15th of the month.

Inside This Month

Page 2	Editorial
Page 3	President's Corner
Page 4	This and That Corner (Solothurn, town of ambassadors)
Pages 6-13	Club Happenings
Page 14	Auckland Club - 50 Years!

Notice to Secretaries
Please send in all your notices for the **Aug/Sept** edition of **HELVETIA** by **July 15, 2006**
Thank you

72nd Year