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**PERSONAL.**

We have great pleasure to announce the engagement of Captain Louis A. Chapuis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Chapuis, of "Fircroft," St. Andrews Close, Woodside Avenue, N.12, to Miss Barbara Anette Ceasar of Northampton.

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We offer best congratulations to Cynthia and Daphne Werner, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. E. Werner, of 60, Beatrice Avenue, Norbury, S.W.16, on being awarded Honours Degrees by Oxford University; Cynthia in Modern History and Daphne in Modern Greats.

Honours Degrees and three Oxford Blues between them is indeed an excellent performance.

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We extend heartiest congratulations to Mr. J. J. Schad, of 63, Cornwall Road, Cheam, who has been elected to the Board of Messrs. Pargola Ltd., 36, Fenchurch Street, London, E.C.3, as Managing-Director.

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We extend heartiest congratulations to Miss Rosemary Pfaendler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Pfaendler, of 61, Woodland Rise, Muswell Hill, N.10, on having gained the degree of Associate of the Royal College of Music for pianoforte, Miss Pfaendler is 17.

**SWISS BANK CORPORATION.**

We have much pleasure in announcing that Mr. Ch. Mayr and Mr. E. Luterbacher, hitherto Sub-Managers of the Swiss Bank Corporation, have been appointed Deputy-Managers.

Messrs. R. A. Jéquier and O. Roethlisberger have been appointed Sub-Managers, and the following gentlemen have been given the signature of the Swiss Bank Corporation: Messrs. Ritzmann, Ruthishauser, von Seyr, Tobin, Wagner, E. Weber and M. Weber.

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**FORTHCOMING EVENTS**

Saturday, January 25th, 1947 — at 1 p.m. — Nouvelle Société Helvétique — Annual General Meeting, at the Dorchester Hotel, Luncheon and Tea, and an address by Professor Bertraud of Geneva.

Sunday, January 26th, 1947 — from 4 to 10 p.m. — Unione Ticinese — Thé Dansant, in aid of the Swiss Benevolent Society, at the Dorchester Hotel, Park Lane, W.1.

February 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th, 1947, at 7 p.m. — Swiss Male Choir — Rehearsals, at Swiss Club, 74, Charlotte Street, W.1.

Thursday, February 13th, 1947, at 7 p.m. — Swiss Mercantile Society — Annual General Meeting — preceded by Supper (6/6 p. person) at the Swiss Club, 74, Charlotte Street, W.1.