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PERSONAL.

We express deep sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. M. Schönholzer, of "Helvetia", 17, Haydn Avenue, Purley, Surrey, on the death of their eldest son, J. J. Schönholzer, at the age of twenty-five, which occurred on New Year's eve in an air disaster in Italy.

The air-liner which he commanded and which was on its way from Greece to the Riviera crashed into a mountain side near Orbetello (Italy), due to unfavourable weather conditions, with the loss of life of all occupants.

Of dual nationality, the deceased served as an officer in the R.A.F. during the last war, and afterwards entered the services of a South African air charter company, who soon promoted him to Captain of one of their air-liners.

CONCERT NEWS.

An Orchestral Concert will be held at the Royal College of Music, on Thursday, February 10th, 1949, at 5.30 p.m.

The soloist in the violoncello concerto by Dvorak, will be Rosemary Pfaendler.

Admission is free, by ticket only, which may be obtained from the Secretary, Royal College of Music, Prince Consort Road, S.W.7.

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FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, February 2nd, 1949, at 6 p.m. sharp — Société de Secours Mutuels — Annual General Meeting — at "Schweizerbund" (Swiss Club), 74, Charlotte Street, W.1.

Sunday, February 6th, 1949, at 3.30 p.m. — Unione Ticinese — First General Meeting of 1949 — at "Swiss House," 35, Fitzroy Square, W.1.

Sunday, February 6th, 1949, at 4 p.m. — Unione Ticinese (Sezione Femminile, 1st General Meeting of 1949 — at Swiss House, 35, Fitzroy Square, W.1.

Tuesday, February 8th, 1949, at 6.30 to 7 o'clock — City Swiss Club — Monthly Meeting, followed by an address by Mr. Edward Ellul, at the Dorchester Hotel, Park Lane, W.1. (See Advert.)

Fridays, February 4th, 11th, 18th and 25th, 1949, at 7 o'clock — Swiss Male Choir — Rehearsals at "Schweizerbund" (Swiss Club), Charlotte Street, W.1.

Tuesday, February 15th, 1949, at 7 p.m. — Nouvelle Société Helvétique — Lantern Slide Lecture, on Contemporary Swiss Architecture, by Mr. Alfred Roth, at the Vienna Café, Berkeley Arcade, opposite Baker Street Station. (See Advert.)

Wednesday, February 16th, 1949, at 6.30 p.m. — Swiss Mercantile Society — Annual General Meeting — preceded by dinner — at "Schweizerbund" (Swiss Club), 74, Charlotte Street, W.1. (See Advert.)

Friday, February 18th, 1949, from 7 to 11.30 p.m. — The Rütli Club — Dance — at Seymour Hall, Seymour Place, Bryanston Square, W.1. (See Advert.)

Sunday, February 20th, 1949, from 4 to 10 p.m. — Unione Ticinese — Thé Dansant — at the Dorchester Hotel, Park Lane, W.1.

Tuesday, March 15th, 1949, at 7 p.m. — Nouvelle Société Helvétique — Open Meeting — lecture on "Swiss Social Problems" by M. Theo Chopard, Swiss Trade Unionist (in French), at the Vienna Café, Berkeley Arcade, opposite Baker Street Station.

Friday, March 25th, 1949, at 7.30 p.m. — Concert given by the Swiss Male Choir, the Swiss Orchestral Society and the Swiss Accordion Group, at Conway Hall, Red Lion Square, W.C.1.

Tuesday, April 5th, 1949, at 7 p.m. — Nouvelle Société Helvétique — Open Meeting — Prof. Dr. Karl Schmid, will talk on "Military Position of Switzerland in Europe" (in German), at the Vienna Café, Berkeley Arcade, opposite Baker Street Station.