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PERSONAL.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the Swiss Minister and Madame Henry de Torrenté, on the passing away of their little son Henry, aged nineteen months, after an attack of meningitis.

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We regret to announce the death of Monsieur Eric Barbey, which occurred at Cairo (Egypt).

Monsieur Barbey was, during the last war, special Courier of the Swiss Legation, between Lisbon and London, and afterwards was a member of the Commercial Division of the Swiss Legation.

Some time ago, the deceased was appointed Commercial Attaché in Cairo, where after a short illness he has died at the age of 42.

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The Swiss Club Manchester regrets to report the death of Mr. Heinrich Alfred Bosshardt, its oldest member, who passed peacefully away on the 4th inst., in Manchester, at the age of 88.

Mr. Bosshardt, a native of Töss (Zurich), was the last surviving founders member of the Club since its foundation in 1883 and in his younger days was a very active and enthusiastic member of the Gymnastic Section of the Club until the dissolution of that Section in 1914.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS

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Address of Chaplain: Rev. A. Lanfranchi,
 91, St. George's Drive, S.W.1. VICToria 7863.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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. (See Advertisement.)

Wednesday, March 16th, 1949, at 7 p.m. — Swiss Mercantile Society — Monthly Meeting at Swiss House, 35, Fitzroy Square, W.1.

Friday, March 18th, 1949, at 7 p.m. — Swiss Male Choir — Rehearsal — at "Schweizerbund," 74, Charlotte Street, W.1.

Tuesday, March 22nd, 1949, at 6 p.m. — Nouvelle Société Helvétique — Council Meeting — at "Swiss House, 35, Fitzroy Square, W.1.

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. (See Advert.)

Fridays, April 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th, 1949, at 7 p.m. — Swiss Male Choir — Rehearsals — at "Schweizerbund," 74, Charlotte Street, W.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.

Saturday, April 23rd, 1949 — La Confrérie Vaudoise — Thé Dansant — at the Dorchester Hotel, Park Lane, W.1. (Particulars to follow.)

Thursday, June 9th, 1949 — Fête Suisse — Particulars to follow.

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