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THE COLONY

For our Compatriots in need

As is usual at this time of the year, the Swiss Benevolent Society and the Swiss Churches in London appeal to all their Swiss friends for gifts in kind or in cash to provide for a little extra cheer at Christmas for our compatriots in need. New articles of clothing, or old ones in clean and good ready-to-wear condition, and household goods are always greatly appreciated.

Parcels should be sent, preferably not later than the middle of November, to the Swiss Benevolent Society, 31 Conway Street, Fitzroy Square, London W.1, whilst gifts in cash may be forwarded to any of the following addresses:

Swiss Benevolent Society, 31 Conway Street, London W.1.

Rev. Ph. Nicole, 7 Park View Road, Finchley, London N.3.

Rev. P. Wipf, 1 Womersley Road, London N.8.

Rev. J. Scherer, St. Ann's Church, Abbey Orchard Street, London S.W.1.

CONGRATULATIONS

— to Mr. and Mrs. Renaud Thomas, of 34 Barrie House, Lancaster Gate, W.2, on the occasion of the birth of a son, Benjamin Louis.

PERSONAL

To celebrate the 25th anniversary of Acrow, company chairman and general manager Mr. W. A. de Vigier gave a huge dinner and dance at Grosvenor House Hotel on 6th October.

Over two thousand guests came along to dine, wine and dance in a sumptuous hall brilliantly decorated by flags of all the countries where Mr. de Vigier has introduced the now world-famous name of " Acrow ".

Xmas Greetings

Following former years, practice we propose to publish again in our December issue a collective greeting.

The high costs of Xmas cards should induce many of our subscribers to make use of this facility to extend to their friends the compliments of the season.

Those of our readers and friends wishing to be included should forward name and address to our office not later than Friday, 25th November 1960, together with remittance for £1.

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96th Annual Banquet and Ball

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