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# NEWS FROM THE COLONY

## CITY SWISS CLUB NEWS

After the summer break, the Club resumed its activities with a first meeting on Tuesday, 19th September 1967 at the Dorchester.

The forthcoming events of the coming months will be as follows: 18th October, Club Meeting (Dr. T. F. Gaskell, Scientific Adviser of the Information Department of BP will be talking about North Sea Gas). 24th November: 102nd Annual Banquet and Ball. (A date well worth keeping in mind). 11th December: Christmas Dinner. 23rd January 1968: Card Evening. 19th March: Club evening with Speaker. 19th March: Soirée Familiale. 30th April: Annual General Meeting. 21st May: Card Evening. 5th July: Provisional date of Dinner-Dance.

Members will, as is customary, be sent details in good time before each event.

We are very fortunate in having Dr. T. F. Gaskell of the British Petroleum Company as our guest speaker in October, and we hope that a great number of members will make this an unusually successful evening. The subject is extremely topical and we shall have the chance, no doubt, to ask some interesting questions.

R.M.

## "EGYPTE — TERRE ETERNELLE"

### Prospect of an interesting evening with the N.S.H.

The London Group of the Nouvelle Société Helvétique will resume activities on Thursday, 28th September, with an Open Meeting at the Swiss Hostel for Girls in Hampstead. It promises to be an interesting evening, and the Council hope that a large number of members will come, especially French-speaking ones, for the Talk will be in French. It will be given by Madame Marguerite Déboeuf, and it will be richly illustrated with slides. (See advertisement.)

## BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

The following amongst our older readers will be celebrating their birthdays within the next few weeks: Mr. C. Chapuis (86) on 24th, Mr. M. Rothlisberger (68) on 25th September, Mr. W. Burren (60) on 4th, Mrs. Germaine Chapuis on 7th, Mrs. Helena Jenne (Andeer/Grisons) on 9th and Madame M. de Fischer (Berne) on 10th October.

Mr. P. Lehrian will be 70 on 9th October. A write-up will follow in the next issue.

We have just heard that Mr. J. A. Steiner will be 82 on 1st October.

On 4th October, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gysin (Basle) will be looking back on 54 years of married life, and on 11th October, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Streit will be celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary.

Best wishes and many happy returns to all concerned as well as to any other readers whose birthdays fall within the next three weeks.

## Nouvelle Société Helvétique London Group

### OPEN MEETING

Thursday, 28th September, at 7.45 p.m.  
at Swiss Hostel for Girls  
9 Belsize Grove, N.W.3

Madame Marguerite DEBOEUF, wife of Monsieur Jean-Marie Déboeuf, senior Consular officer at the Swiss Embassy, will talk in French on

**"EGYPTE — terre éternelle"**

profusely illustrated with photographic slides.

## "SWISS OBSERVER" PUBLISHING DATES

The "Swiss Observer" is published every second and fourth Friday of the month. Our next issue will appear on 13th October. We shall be glad to receive articles and reports not later than Tuesday, 3rd October. Short news items only can be accepted after that date.

Our next issue but one will be published on Friday, 27th October. All contributions for that issue should be to hand not later than Tuesday, 17th October.

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