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#### FORTHCOMING EVENTS

- Every Thursday from 6 to 7.30 p.m. Discussion Circle in English. Young men especially invited. Tea from 6 to 6.15 p.m. Swiss Room, YMCA, Gt. Russell St., W.C.1.
- Secours Mutuels des Suisses à Londres. No meeting until October.
- Friday, 28th to Sunday, 30th August— ASSEMBLY OF THE SWISS ABROAD at Zofingen.
- SWISS RIFLE ASSOCIATION:
  Shooting at the Siberia Range on Sunday, 13th September, Sunday, 27th September and Sunday, 11th October (Gruempelschiessen).
- THE SWISS CHURCH BAZAAR will be held on Saturday, 31st October, in the WESTMINSTER CENTRAL HALL.

## **CITY SWISS CLUB**

Will Members please note that NO MONTHLY MEETINGS will be held until 23rd September

### THE NATIONAL DAY IN BOURNEMOUTH

The Anglo-Continental School of English has as usual celebrated the 1st August in grand style. Two years ago the Ambassador had come to speak to the school on the same occasion, last year it was the Consul, and this year it was the First Secretary at the Em-bassy, Dr. Jürg Iselin. Having been introduced by the Principal Director, Mr. F. Schillig, he addressed the youthful assembly of 500 and spoke to them on the meaning which the National Day should have for all compatriots away from home. In addition to the speeches of Mr. F. Schillig, Dr. Iselin and the Mayor of Bournemouth, the celebrations featured a welcome in the four languages by colourfully dressed students of the school, music in plenty, sketches and dancing, all of which took place in the modern ACSE refectory. The show was conducted as in former years by the students, thus highlighting the spirit of friendship and co-operation ruling in this major language institution. Students also helped to stage the "Cave Valaisane," which reeked of raclette all night.. This year is a highlight for ACSE, as the school will be celebrating its 20th birthday in two months' time. We shall be taking a later opportunity of commenting on this most important Anglo-Swiss event.

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#### ENGLAND v. SWITZERLAND

Land hockey, is not, to be sure, a very widespread sport. It is fairly well known in countries like Pakistan, who earn their unique gold medals in this discipline at the Olympic Games. Switzerland also has a worthy record and will soon be able to show what she can do in an England v. Switzerland match to be fought at Clarence Park, St. Albans, on Saturday, 15th August, at 3.30 p.m.

Mr. N. Strofton, the Publicity Officer for the event, has sent us the following explanatory release:

This match has been arranged as part of the preparations for the European Cup Competition in Brussels from 19th September to 27th September, 1970. Both countries have been entered for this Competition. The

above match will be the first time that these two countries have met.

Shortly after this match the England Party will be leaving for a tour of Europe to play a series of matches against other European countries.

"Hockey surre Terre" as it is called in Switzerland, was first introduced in their country in about 1910 by English College students in the French part of Switzerland. The first

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