

**Zeitschrift:** The Swiss observer : the journal of the Federation of Swiss Societies in the UK  
**Herausgeber:** Federation of Swiss Societies in the United Kingdom  
**Band:** - (1972)  
**Heft:** 1639  
  
**Rubrik:** Tourist news

### **Nutzungsbedingungen**

Die ETH-Bibliothek ist die Anbieterin der digitalisierten Zeitschriften auf E-Periodica. Sie besitzt keine Urheberrechte an den Zeitschriften und ist nicht verantwortlich für deren Inhalte. Die Rechte liegen in der Regel bei den Herausgebern beziehungsweise den externen Rechteinhabern. Das Veröffentlichen von Bildern in Print- und Online-Publikationen sowie auf Social Media-Kanälen oder Webseiten ist nur mit vorheriger Genehmigung der Rechteinhaber erlaubt. [Mehr erfahren](#)

### **Conditions d'utilisation**

L'ETH Library est le fournisseur des revues numérisées. Elle ne détient aucun droit d'auteur sur les revues et n'est pas responsable de leur contenu. En règle générale, les droits sont détenus par les éditeurs ou les détenteurs de droits externes. La reproduction d'images dans des publications imprimées ou en ligne ainsi que sur des canaux de médias sociaux ou des sites web n'est autorisée qu'avec l'accord préalable des détenteurs des droits. [En savoir plus](#)

### **Terms of use**

The ETH Library is the provider of the digitised journals. It does not own any copyrights to the journals and is not responsible for their content. The rights usually lie with the publishers or the external rights holders. Publishing images in print and online publications, as well as on social media channels or websites, is only permitted with the prior consent of the rights holders. [Find out more](#)

**Download PDF:** 13.08.2025

**ETH-Bibliothek Zürich, E-Periodica, <https://www.e-periodica.ch>**

once again on Formula 1 cars taking part in the Drivers' World Cup, and on prototypes entered for the Manufacturers' World Championships as well as, this year for the first time, on all vehicles belonging to the BRM-

Marlboro stable. Continuing its policy of conspicuous presence at motor racing events, the Swiss watch firm has succeeded in engaging three of the world's leading racers for the coming season: Clay Regazzoni, Jacky Ickx

and Ronnie Peterson, who will thus be sporting the colours of the specialised firm from Bienne and at the same time publicising the precision of Swiss timekeeping on all the biggest circuits throughout 1972.

---

## TOURIST NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL

### A 50 year Tradition of Musical Concerts in Berne's Cathedral

For more than 50 years, evening concerts have been taking place in the historic surroundings of Berne Cathedral (Münster), built 550 years ago. This summer is no exception. The programme runs from 6th June-5th September, every Tuesday evening. Soloists, choirs and orchestras of note from Switzerland and abroad will once again be taking part. Just one example: on 6th June, the Netherlands Vocal Ensemble from Hilversum presents works by Dufay and Papa, among others. On 13th June, the Berne Kantorei (Choir) of the Evangelical Singing Community joins with the Radio Berne Chamber Ensemble for a programme of Bach and Mozart. Berne's Symphony Orchestra and the Berne Chamber Choir present large choral work by Anton Bruckner on 27th June, while on 15th August the Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of A.

Heiller, plays works by Haydn, Hindemith and the conductor. The full programme can be obtained from the Tourist Office of the City of Berne.

Internationale des Clubs de Lévrieriers) is holding its yearly conference in Berne.

### 13 cubs in Berne's Bearpits

It's a nice old tradition that the inhabitant's of Berne's Bearpits faithfully each year take care of the survival of their species. This year was especially blessed for the federal capital's world famous tourist attraction: the six mother bears gave birth to no fewer than 13 cubs in all. Since then, the cubs have made their public debut, on Easter Monday. Only the male bears cannot be happy with the lucky number of 13 offspring. Their living quarters have been taken over as a result of the unexpected arrivals. Good-humoured Tony spends his nights in the spare den, and Gody has to be content with the corridor. As for the rest: the newcomers frisk about in the open each day from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

### Rare dog breed makes a debut in Berne

Berne's Exhibition Centre in the Allmend is once again host to an international canine exhibition on 8th and 9th June, 1972. The fifth show of its sort to take place in the federal capital, it has now become almost a Bernese tradition. No fewer than 1,200 dogs are expected for the exhibition, among them rare and even unique breeds that have never been shown before. For the first time in the West, the Ovtcharka sheepdog from Southern Russia will be on view. Greyhounds will be especially numerous at this year's Dog Show: the International Union of Greyhound Clubs (Union

---

# ACME TRANSPORT CO., LTD.

***The Specialists in Transports to and from The Continent***

CITY WALL HOUSE

84-89 CHISWELL STREET, LONDON, E.C.1

Cables: Acmetrans London EC1.

Telex: 884005

Phone: 01-606 5721

ALSO AT: LONDON AIRPORT, MANCHESTER AND HARWICH

***We Operate Direct Train Ferry and Container Services***