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**BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES**

We have just heard that a loyal old subscriber of the "Swiss Observer" has recently celebrated his 80th birthday. It is Monsieur Walter A. de Bourg, former Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Ireland. Monsieur de Bourg lives at 3, Chemin de Grande Rive, 1000 Lausanne, and many readers will remember him from the days he was in London (1925-1936), whence he left for Munich and posts in Vienna, Bratislava, Washington and finally Dublin. We send him congratulations and best wishes for the future.

This we do also to any other readers whose birthdays or special anniversaries fall within the next fortnight, especially to Mr. N. H. Leuzinger who will be 71 on 31st October, Mr. J. J. Boos, K.S.G., whose 81st birthday will take place on 6th November, to Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Egli who will celebrate their 32nd wedding anniversary on the same day, and to Mr. J. Oertli on his 72nd Birthday on 10th November. *Ad multos annos!*

**"SWISS OBSERVER" PUBLICATION DATES**

The "Swiss Observer" is published every second and fourth Friday of the month. Our next issue will come out on 8th November. We shall be glad to receive all articles and reports not later than Tuesday, 29th October. Short news items only can be accepted after that date.

Our next issue but one will be published on Friday, 22nd November. All contributions should be to hand not later than Tuesday, 12th November.

Owing to retirement of **Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Leuzinger**, late proprietors of The Webb Condenser Co. Ltd., Jubilee House, Denmark Street, Maidenhead, Berks, they wish to inform all Swiss Societies and members of the Swiss Colony that their only address will be: 3 Pollardrow Avenue, Roundhill, Bracknell, Berks. Telephone: Bracknell 3609.

**CHRISTMAS APPEAL**

With Christmas approaching, the SWISS BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, the two Communities of the SWISS CHURCH in LONDON and the SWISS CATHOLIC MISSION appeal, as in years past, to their many friends in the Swiss Colony. It is your gifts in kind and cash that help them to add some extra cheer to their Christmas Action in favour of the less fortunate of our compatriots.

Articles of clothing are needed, either new or used, provided they are cleaned and in good repair, also household goods which are always much appreciated.

Gifts in kind should be sent, if possible not later than by the first week in November, to the Swiss Benevolent Society, whilst donations in cash, postal orders and cheques may be forwarded to any one of the following addresses:

SWISS BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, 31 Conway Street, London W.1;

The Rev. A. NICOD, 7 Park View Road, London N.3;

The Rev. M. DIETLER, 1 Womersley Road, London N.8;

The Rev. P. BOSSARD, St. Ann's Church, Abbey Orchard Street, London S.W.1.

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