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Mailbag

Better Connections

I think Mr.P.J.Weaver's letter in the December issue of Swiss Express a little unfair on the Regionalzug service between Spiez and Interlaken. Like him I also take holidays on that branch, but at Faulensee rather than Darligen. Perhaps at Faulensee one is more aware of the splendid connections the Regionalzug makes at Spiez with trains on all routes, including the Schnellzug to Interlaken that makes the connections that Mr.Weaver misses

At Interlaken Ost the Regionalzug does make reasonable connections with Brunig Schnellzug and BOB services at certain hours.

Further in support of Faulensee as a holiday base, it has advantages over Darligen of a far more intensive lake service and a somewhat distant view of traffic on the Lotschberg route.

Sadly, if the Notepad in the same issue is correct, there will no longer be a Regionalzug to

discuss. One can only hope, as has been suggested, that the replacement bus service is more substantial and permanent than has often been the case in this country.

John Weaver
Milford

RhB Containers

Does anyone have details, photos etc. of what containers work on the RhB. I know CTI boxes do as I've seen them but I'm not sure about others. All the books seem to have photographs of passenger trains. I wish there was more on freight traffic which I find more interesting.

Mike Polglaze
Shipton Bellinger

Could such information be channeled through the Editor?

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