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December was the result of her re-newed activities, another mile stone on the way of many great achievements. Did she overtax her strength? Soon after she had to take to bed with a severe attack of influenza and with it symptoms of the old disease appeared again; and from this last illness she never really recovered, and last Thursday at 3 o'clock in the morning this noble heart ceased to beat.

Up to the last moment she fought bravely, her faith never faltered, although she was loath to leave those dear to her, she looked forward to meet her Saviour, who has richly blessed her life, and at her bier are mourning not only her husband and children, but many who have received untold blessings from her. Our hearts go out to the bereaved family, and they will undoubtedly find consolation in the last words of the dear departed: "Tout est bien, tout est très bien. Je ne puis que remercier Dieu."

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LITERARY AND MUSICAL EVENING.

ALFRED HUGGENBERGER.
and
SWISS INSTITUTE ORCHESTRA.

We wish again to direct the attention of our readers and their friends, to the above event, which will take place on Friday, November 4th, at Conway Hall, Red Lion Square, W.C.

M. Huggenberger is one of the foremost Swiss authors, at the present time, and he enjoys in our homeland an indisputable reputation; it is therefore almost a patriotic duty of every member of the Swiss Colony to honour our distinguished countryman by attending this Literary evening.

A further attraction will no doubt be, the collaboration of the Swiss Institute Orchestral Society.

This Society has given their help in a commendable manner to many of the functions in the Colony; and the Colony owes them a large debt of gratitude, for their unswerving devotion in upholding the cause of music in our midst. Is it too much to ask that they should now reap the benefit of their unselfish collaboration, given so often without the slightest pecuniary gain?

A very attractive programme of altogether six numbers has been arranged by the orchestra, amongst them an item of various Swiss Marches, which will not fail, we are sure, to find a patriotic response amongst the audience.

The coming recital of M. Huggenberger, will consist of readings from his books, which will be obviously in German, and will therefore particularly attract the German speaking section of the Colony; but there should be no reason why all our countrymen without distinction of speech, should not be present in order to pay homage to one of our great writers, who has rendered innumerable services to our native land by picturing the various types of our countrymen in most realistic colours; all the more as the orchestra will talk to them in a language which will be understood by all.

We particularly wish to congratulate the London Group of the Nouvelle Société Helvétique on their happy initiative, and we sincerely hope, that their efforts will be appreciated and that the result will be a "Full House" at Conway Hall, they richly deserve it.

PERSONAL.

A son, Roland-Alfred, was born on the 24th of this month at Lausanne, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Maeder, of 5, York Mansions, Earl's Court Road, S.W.5, and we take this opportunity of congratulating the parents to this happy event.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN.

H.H. The Ex Khedive of Egypt, Abbas Hilmy Pacha, accompanied by Lt.-Col. Watson Pacha, paid a visit to A. Wild Bey, our compatriot, at the Royal Court Hotel, prior to his departure for the Continent. Mr. Wild was Court Caterer in Egypt during the reign of H.H. Abbas Hilmy, and had the honour of entertaining, at Abdin Palace, T. M. King George (then Prince of Wales) and Queen Mary, and received a beautiful pair of cuff links, with the Arms of His Majesty, as a souvenir of what he then had occasion to do for him.

CITY SWISS CLUB.

Messieurs les membres sont avisés que
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- Saturday, October 29th at 2 and 4 o'clock p.m. — Nouvelle Société Helvétique — Film Show at King George's Hall, Caroline Street, Tottenham Court Road: The art and technique of skiing.
- Sunday, October 30th, at 8 p.m. — Swiss Club (Schweizerbund)—Concert followed by Dance at 74, Charlotte Street. W.1.
- Sunday, October 30th at 4 p.m. — Union Helvetia Annual Memorial Service at Hendon Park Cemetery. Service conducted by Pasteur R. Hoffmann-de Visme and Pfarrer C. Th. Hahn. (Buss will leave 1, Gerrard Place, W.1 at 3 pm. Fare 1/6 return, half price for children).
- Sunday, October 30th — Swiss Rifle Association — "Grümpelschiessen" — at the Shooting Range, opposite the "Old Welsh Harp," Hendon, N.W.9.
- Monday, October 31st — Société Culinaire Suisse — Grand Ball at the Union Helvetia Club, 1, Gerrard Place, W. Extension until 2 a.m. (Tickets 2/-).
- Tuesday, November 1st, at 7 o'clock — City Swiss Club — Monthly Meeting at Paganì's Restaurant, 42, Great Portland Street W.1. (See Advert).
- Wednesday, November 2nd, at 7.30 p.m. — Société de Secours Mutuels — Monthly Meeting, at 74, Charlotte Street, W.1.
- Friday, November 4th, at 8 p.m. — Conway Hall, Red Lion Square, W.C.1 — Alfred Huggenberger Vortragsabend: Aus eigenen Werken. Nouvelle Société Helvétique and Swiss Institute Orchestral Society.
- Sunday, November 6th — Swiss Rifle Association — "Grümpelschiessen" and distribution of prizes at the Shooting Range, opposite the "Old Welsh Harp," Hendon N.W.9.
- Friday, November 25th — City Swiss Club — Annual Banquet and Ball, at the May Fair Hotel, Berkeley Square, W.1.
- Friday, November 25th, at 8 o'clock — Union Chrétienne de Jennes Gens de Langue Française — Conférence sur "La Vie et la Pensée Religieuses au Moyen-Age, d'après les sculptures des Cathédrales" par M. Marcel A. Ruff, at 15, Upper Bedford Place, W.C.1.
- Tuesday, November 29th, from 8.30 p.m. to 2 a.m. — Union Helvetia Club — Le Grand Bal des 22 Cantons — at the Union Helvetia Club, 1, Gerrard Place, W.1 (Tickets 2/6; Special extension).

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7 Uhr abends, Gottesdienst.
8 Uhr, Chorprobe.
- Dienstag, den 1. November 1932.
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