

**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:** - (1957)

**Heft:** 1299

**Rubrik:** Nouvelle société helvétique

### **Nutzungsbedingungen**

Die ETH-Bibliothek ist die Anbieterin der digitalisierten Zeitschriften. 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. [Siehe Rechtliche Hinweise.](#)

### **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. [Voir Informations légales.](#)

### **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. [See Legal notice.](#)

**Download PDF:** 01.04.2025

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

**NOUVELLE SOCIÉTÉ HELVÉTIQUE.****Farewell Dinner to Consul J. J. Huber and Mrs. Huber.**

The Farewell dinner offered by the Nouvelle Société Helvétique (London Group) to Consul J. J. Huber and Mrs. Huber, on Tuesday, June 18th, at the Swiss Hostel for Girls, 9 Belsize Grove, N.W.3, was a very happy affair indeed; although it was to a certain extent an official function, it had nevertheless the character of a friendly family party.

Amongst about 60 members and friends present were the Swiss Ambassador and Madame Daeniker.

Previous to the dinner being served, Mrs. Huber was presented with a beautiful bouquet as a small token for the many services she had rendered in the past.

Towards the end of the dinner, and after the usual toasts had been proposed by the President, Mr. W. Renz, the latter, in a short address, paid a sincere tribute to both Mr. and Mrs. Huber. He mentioned the many services Consul Huber had rendered, not only to the Colony in general, but, in particular to the Nouvelle Société Helvétique, of which he was a member of the Council. Mr. Renz voiced on behalf of the company regrets that the parting hour had come, wishing them both God-speed and success for the future.

Monsieur F. Ansermoz, 1st Secretary of Embassy, mentioned the many services Mr. and Mrs. Huber had

rendered to the Swiss Hostel for Girls, services, he said, which will always be gratefully remembered.

Consul Huber, on rising to reply to the two addresses, received a hearty ovation. He spoke of the goodwill, friendliness and encouragement he had always received from the Colony during his stay in London, thanking everyone for their trust, friendship and help. "My wife and I regret to leave you", he said, "but we take with us many happy memories."

Mr. Huber continued by saying that throughout his stay here the relations with his office and the Colony had been harmonious and very friendly. He paid a warm tribute to the generosity of the Colony over a great number of years, to the aged and poor, and more recently for the creation of the Swiss Hostel for Girls, and expressed the hope that one day the history of the Colony would be written, relating the splendid efforts which had been made in the sphere of charity as a splendid example for future generations.

The address of the Consul was loudly cheered, and the company sang upstanding "For they are jolly good fellows"!

A most enjoyable evening which had an intimate *cachet* thus came to a close, and both Mr. and Mrs. Huber, on leaving us, will have witnessed once more how much they have been appreciated, and how we wish them success and happiness for their future.

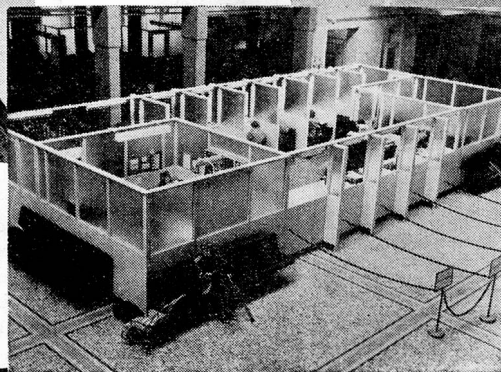
ST.

# ACROW

## STEEL PARTITIONS

### For all purposes

IN HEIGHTS  
FROM  
7ft. TO 23ft.



They can be dismantled  
and re-erected to suit  
any change of plan

Send for Full details **NOW!** to:-

ACROW (ENGINEERS) LTD.  
SOUTH WHARF, PADDINGTON,  
LONDON, W.2

Telephone: AMBassador 3456 (20 lines)

Branches at: BIRMINGHAM · LIVERPOOL  
MANCHESTER · LEEDS · BRISTOL · NEWCASTLE  
SOUTHAMPTON · SWANSEA · GLASGOW