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NEWS FROM THE COLONY

PERSONAL

Mr. Olivier Béguin, a member of the Swiss Colony in London, President of the Consistoire of the Swiss Church, recently received an honorary degree of Doctor of Humanities from St. Paul's University (Rikkyo University), Tokyo, one of the oldest Christian Universities in Japan. The degree was awarded in recognition of Mr. Béguin's services for prisoners of war during the Second World War, and of his present work as General Secretary of the United Bible Societies — the liaison body linking together all the Bible Societies throughout the world.

We should like to congratulate Mr. Béguin on this honour. It may interest readers that he has recently prepared a document on the Roman Catholic Church and the Bible which has now been published by Lutterworth Press at 5/-.

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We wish to congratulate Mr. Frank A. de Maria on his appointment as headmaster of St. Charles R.C. Primary School in North Kensington. He has been Deputy Headmaster since 1957.

MISS JEMIMA'S JOURNEY 1963

Through an unfortunate series of circumstances we are unable to publish the next instalment of Miss Jemima's Journey in this issue. We hope to include another of Mr. Derek Meakin's interesting reports on 23rd August.

OUR NEXT ISSUE

Our next issue will be published on Friday, 23rd August. We shall be glad to receive manuscripts and reports not later than 14th August, and short news items by 16th August. The Editor will be abroad until early in September.

CITY SWISS CLUB

Will Members please note that
NO MONTHLY MEETINGS
will be held until September.

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FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Every Sunday 8 to 11 p.m. — The Swiss Catholic Youth Club — Social at Westminster Ball Room, 30 Strutton Ground, S.W.1.

Every Thursday, from 6 to 7.30 p.m. — Discussion Circle in English — Young men specially invited. Tea from 6 to 6.15 p.m. Swiss Y.M.C.A., London Central Y.M.C.A. Building, Great Russell Street, W.C.1.

Every Thursday from 7.30 p.m. to 10 p.m. — Unione Ticinese — meets at the Swiss Hostel for Girls, 9 Belsize Grove, N.W.3. All Ticinesi welcome. The "Corale" rehearses from 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Every 1st Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. — Swiss Get-Together at 2 Sussex Place, Widcombe, Bath.

Every last Thursday of the Month — Swiss Club Manchester — Ordinary Monthly Meeting from 6 p.m. at the Midland Hotel, Manchester.

SECOURS MUTUELS — No meetings until 1st Wednesday in October.

16th-18th August — ASSEMBLY OF THE SWISS ABROAD — St. Moritz.

Tuesday, 3rd September — City Swiss Club — DINNER, followed by Card Games.

Sunday, 22nd September — Swiss Rifle Association — SHOOTING at Bisley (Siberia Range).

Tuesday, 8th October — City Swiss Club — DINNER — Guest Speaker — Sir Stanley Rous.

Saturday, 19th October — Swiss Mercantile Society — 75th ANNIVERSARY DINNER — Dorchester Hotel.

Friday, 15th November — City Swiss Club — ANNUAL BANQUET AND BALL.

Wednesday, 11th December — City Swiss Club — CHRISTMAS DINNER.