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The Manchester Swiss Club Reports ...

For the period March 1977 to February 1978.

Dear Friends,

The 1977 Annual General Meeting was held on Thursday, 3rd March at the Personnel Restaurant of CIBA-GEIGY (UK) Limited, Heald Green.

After a get-together with drinks and buffet the following Agenda was transacted:

1. Minutes of the last meeting.
2. President's Address.
3. Presentation of the Annual Report.
4. Inventory.
5. Election of Officers for ensuing year.
6. Accounts for 1977 and Budget for 1978.
7. Any other business.

Dr. A. V. Lang was in the Chair.

Election of Officers

Mr. B. Simon took the Chair during this part of the meeting which resulted in the following appointments:

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| Mr. F. Schaufelberger | President |
| Dr. A. V. Lang | Immediate Past President |
| Mr. H. P. Riesen | Vice-President/Secretary |
| Mrs. M. Themans | Hon. Treasurer |
| Mr. P. A. Senn | } Committee Members |
| Mrs. T. Bolliger | |
| Mrs. G. Tanner | |

CLUB ACTIVITIES 1977/78

Film Show and Buffet Supper – 5th May, 1977

A good number of members and friends attended the Film Show "How to Steal a Diamond in Four Uneasy Lessons". The main film and supporting programme chosen by our Secretary provided excellent entertainment. As usual, catering arrangements made by CIBA-GEIGY were enjoyed by all.

Spring Treasure Hunt – 19th June, 1977

We were blessed with a glorious day for our third Treasure Hunt, which did not take us too far afield but along some beautiful countryside. To top it all, our member Mrs Bolliger offered her home and beautiful gardens for a Barbecue – many thanks, Trudy.

Some of the "hunters" had the driving and the answering of questions worked out down to a fine art, especially our double champion – winner 1976 and 1977 – the Consul-General and his team. We wish them luck for a hat-trick and plenty of competition in June 1978.

National Day Celebration – 29th July, 1977

A good number of patriotically-minded members and friends attended the "Schueblig and Strawberry Tart Festival".

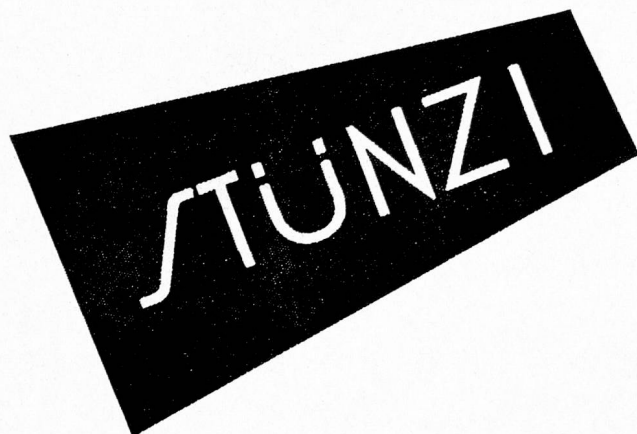
Mr. H. Jaques, the Consul-General, addressed the well-attended meeting in his usual pleasant way.

As always the sausages were supplied by the courtesy of SWISSAIR and their Manager, Mr. F. Rufer. Thanks.

Annual Dinner-Dance – 11th November, 1977

This was VIP night when we were honoured by the presence of Dr. E. Thalman, the Ambassador of Switzerland, accompanied by our Consul-General, Mr. H. Jaques and their ladies.

The Tombola was as always a huge success, thanks to the organisers and members who have contributed so generously towards it.



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Christmas Party – 10th December, 1977

Once again Father Christmas paid us a visit at the Personnel Restaurant of CIBA-GEIGY. All preparations for this very popular festive-season gathering were laid on by our lady Committee members, aided by the competent staff of CIBA-GEIGY. The children were well pleased with their presents chosen as usual by Mrs. Themans and Mrs. Bolliger.

Raclette Party – 26th January, 1978

Over a hundred attended this very popular gathering, and never before have I had so many remarks made about the quality of the cheese – which was excellent.

Could it be that our generous Consul-General who donated three of these cheeses knows a secret supplier? We shall

Cash Account

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| Balance at 31st December, 1976 | £ 347.13 |
| Subscriptions 1977 | 275.00 |
| Arrears collected | 30.00 |
| Subscriptions paid for 1978 | 18.00 |
| A.G.M. Buffet | 9.20 |
| Treasure Hunt | 12.65 |
| Donations to Tombola | 198.50 |
| Donations to Christmas Party | 127.10 |
| Interest on Investments | 61.01 |
| Premium on Investment | 12.00 |
| Interest on Deposit Account | 18.34 |
| | <u>£1,108.93</u> |

Funds of the Club, 31st December, 1977

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| Bank Current Account | £ 700.17 |
| Bank Deposit Account | 375.43 |
| 8½% and 9½% British Savings Bonds | 750.00 |
| Cash in Hand | 0.20 |
| | <u>£1,825.80</u> |

certainly look into this at Committee level in order to please you once again next year. Many thanks to all the “cooks” or should I call them “Raclettists”?

It has been a pleasure to serve you as your President for the past year, and I would like to take this opportunity to thank all members for the loyalty and generosity expressed during this term of office.

My Committee members have done some sterling work behind the scenes, especially Mrs. Themans, our Treasurer, and Mr. H. P. Riesen as Secretary. But all members of the Committee deserve a vote of confidence and therefore a good turnout for the A.G.M. would be appreciated.

F. Schaufelberger
President

Year ended 31st December, 1977

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| Raclette Party | £ 23.53 |
| Films Buffet | 5.58 |
| National Day | 7.05 |
| Dinner-Dance | 129.70 |
| Christmas Party | 127.79 |
| Subscription to Federation | 10.50 |
| Insurance for Cups of Club | 5.00 |
| Christmas Greeting <i>Swiss Observer</i> , 1976/1977 | 10.00 |
| Postage | 19.00 |
| Subscriptions 1978 c/f | 18.00 |
| Corporation Tax | 34.02 |
| Transfer to Deposit Account | 18.34 |
| Cash in Hand | 0.20 |
| Balance at 31st December, 1977 c/f | 700.17 |
| | <u>£1,108.93</u> |

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LIST OF MEMBERS DURING 1977

| <i>Date of Entry</i> | <i>Gentlemen</i> | <i>Canton of Origin</i> | <i>Date of Entry</i> | <i>Ladies</i> | <i>Canton of Origin</i> |
|----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1976 | Mr. M. Barber | British Associate | 1957 | Mrs. C. A. Curtis | Aargau |
| 1965 | Mr. W. Berner | Aargau | 1976 | Mrs. G. Dowling | Thurgau |
| 1975 | Mr. S. J. Bewers | British Associate | 1969 | Mrs. M. Easter | |
| 1969 | *Mr. R. Born | Berne | 1957 | Mrs. K. A. Evans | Zürich |
| 1968 | Mr. W. Brandle | Thurgau | 1973 | Mrs. Farrell | |
| 1958 | Mr. C. F. Brereton | British Associate | 1960 | Mrs. T. Fattorini | Zürich |
| 1932 | Dr. E. Brunner | Basle | 1969 | Mrs. D. Fisher | Thurgau |
| 1964 | *Mr. G. Brunner | Aargau | 1957 | Mrs. J. Fort | Lucerne |
| 1975 | Mr. D. Brunnschweiler | Basle | 1976 | Mrs. R. Frauchiger | Berne |
| 1976 | Mr. F. Cavalli | | 1976 | Mrs. G. Fulton | Zürich |
| 1973 | Mr. G. C. Collett | Glarus | 1957 | Mrs. A. Gachet | Freiburg |
| 1955 | *Mr. A. Daeniker | Zürich | 1972 | Mrs. S. Glauser | Berne |
| 1951 | Mr. L. Dewarratt | Freiburg | 1973 | Mrs. E. Grimmelmann | |
| 1976 | Mr. G. Dowling | British Associate | 1959 | Mrs. W. Grimshaw | Aargau |
| 1964 | Mr. J. Duerig | Berne | 1957 | Mrs. A. Habersaat | Zürich |
| 1973 | Mr. Farrell | British Associate | 1974 | Mrs. P. Hanhart | Zürich |
| 1960 | Mr. T. Fattorini | Zürich | 1958 | Mrs. G. Hardwick | Zürich |
| 1964 | *Mr. B. de Fisher | Berne | 1974 | Mrs. M. Hatton | Basle |
| 1962 | Mr. D. Fisher | British Associate | 1965 | Mrs. P. Hauser | Basle |
| 1975 | Mr. J. Fort | British Associate | 1965 | Mrs. P. M. Hauser | Basle |
| 1975 | Mr. R. Frauchiger | Berne | 1970 | Mrs. S. Hepworth | Zürich |
| 1957 | Mr. A. Gachet | Freiburg | 1962 | Mrs. T. B. Hird | Glarus |
| 1972 | Mr. H. W. Glauser | Berne | 1972 | Mrs. P. A. Immer | Berne |
| 1959 | Mr. W. Grimshaw | British Associate | 1974 | Mrs. H. Jaques | Vaud |
| 1916 | *Mr. C. Gysin | Basle | 1974 | Mrs. I. Jenny | Glarus |
| 1945 | Mr. A. Habersaat | Zürich | 1976 | Mrs. R. Jesel | Basle |
| 1974 | Mr. P. Hanhart | Zürich | 1958 | Mrs. B. Lancaster | Basle |
| 1957 | *Mr. S. Hanna | British Associate | 1970 | Mrs. A. V. Lang | Aargau |
| 1937 | Mr. P. M. Hauser | Basle | 1973 | Mrs. D. Lee | |
| 1964 | Mr. T. B. Hird | British Associate | 1975 | Mrs. L. Madoerin | Basle |
| 1974 | Mr. H. R. Hug | Zürich | 1960 | Mrs. E. Mahon | Thurgau |
| 1966 | Mr. J. A. Illi | Lucerne | 1959 | Mrs. F. Manning | St. Gallen |
| 1972 | Mr. P. A. Immer | Berne | 1960 | Mrs. D. Meakin | Vaud |
| 1949 | *Mr. J. P. Inebnit | Neuchâtel | 1976 | Miss A. Meister | Zürich |
| 1974 | *Mr. H. Jaques | Vaud | 1971 | Mrs. R. A. Miles | Berne |
| 1976 | Mr. R. Jesel | Basle | 1957 | *Mrs. I. G. Monney | Freiburg |
| 1968 | *Mr. R. Keller | Genf | 1972 | Mrs. K. Morrison | Berne |
| 1957 | *Dr. H. B. Knuchel | Basle | 1959 | *Mrs. F. C. Mueller | St. Gallen |
| 1970 | Dr. A. V. Lang | Aargau | 1974 | Mrs. A. C. Muir | St. Gallen |
| 1967 | *Mr. O. Long | | 1968 | Mrs. P. X. Neher | Basle |
| 1959 | Mr. F. Manning | British Associate | 1969 | Mrs. M. W. Pleavin | |
| 1960 | Mr. D. Meakin | British Associate | 1972 | Mrs. R. Premdas | Lucerne |
| 1913 | *Mr. K. Messmer | Zürich | 1970 | Mrs. M. Reuter | Basle |
| 1975 | Mr. B. Miller | Solothurn | 1969 | Mrs. C. Richardson | |
| 1968 | Mr. P. X. Neher | Basle | 1976 | Mrs. Hp. Riesen | |
| 1969 | Mr. M. Pleavin | British Associate | 1957 | *Miss A. Rietmann | St. Gallen |
| 1974 | Mr. C. Richardson | British Associate | 1968 | Mrs. L. Rowntree | Lucerne |
| 1970 | Mr. Hp. Riesen | Berne | 1976 | Mrs. F. Rufer | |
| 1960 | *Mr. C. R. Rosset | Vaud | 1971 | Mrs. S. Rushton | |
| 1944 | *Dr. P. Ruegger | Lucerne | 1959 | Mrs. R. Sainter | Aargau |
| 1976 | Mr. F. Rufer | | 1976 | Mrs. D. M. Salden | Berne |
| 1973 | Mr. R. Sainter | British Associate | 1970 | Mrs. T. Sanders | Obwalden |
| 1976 | Mr. D. M. Salden | Berne | 1969 | Mrs. F. Schaufelberger | Zürich |
| 1953 | Mr. F. Schaufelberger | Zürich | 1958 | Mrs. J. Scheiwiller | St. Gallen |
| 1940 | Mr. J. Scheiwiller | St. Gallen | 1977 | Mrs. D. Secretan | |
| 1977 | Mr. D. Secretan | | 1977 | Mrs. S. Secretan | |
| 1977 | Mr. S. Secretan | | 1972 | Mrs. P. A. Senn | Basle |
| 1949 | Mr. P. A. Senn | Basle | 1973 | Mrs. P. D. Senn | Basle |
| 1969 | Mr. P. D. Senn | Basle | 1968 | Mrs. M. Shirt | Aargau |
| 1957 | *Mr. B. Simon | St. Gallen | 1957 | Mrs. M. Shuttleworth | Lucerne |
| 1976 | Mr. W. Ulrich | Lucerne | 1966 | Mrs. B. Simon | St. Gallen |
| 1965 | Mr. W. Wanger | Zürich | 1976 | Mrs. E. Simon | |
| 1976 | Mr. J.-P. Weber | Basle-Stadt | 1957 | Mrs. L. Sohm | Basle |
| 1961 | Mr. R. Widtmann | Schaffhausen | 1977 | Mrs. R. Suter | Zürich |
| 1975 | Mr. A. Wild | British Associate | 1970 | Mrs. M. Tang | Appenzell |
| 1977 | Mr. T. F. Wood | British Associate | 1957 | Mrs. G. Tanner | St. Gallen |
| 1960 | Mr. H. Wuest | Basle | 1972 | Mrs. E. Telford | Zürich |
| 1970 | Mr. P. Zollinger | Zürich | 1971 | Mrs. S. Terry | Genf |
| 1976 | Mr. M. Zwicky | | 1957 | *Mrs. M. Themans | Zürich |
| 1976 | Mrs. M. Barber | | 1969 | Mrs. E. Tredwell | Aargau |
| 1957 | Mrs. E. Berner | Aargau | 1976 | Mrs. W. Ulrich | Lucerne |
| 1965 | Mrs. W. Berner | Aargau | 1976 | Mrs. J.-P. Weber | Basle-Stadt |
| 1975 | Mrs. S. J. Bewers | British Associate | 1972 | Mrs. R. Whaley | Graubuenden |
| 1959 | Mrs. G. Bolliger | Basle | 1961 | Mrs. R. Widtmann | Schaffhausen |
| 1969 | Mrs. W. Brandle | Thurgau | 1975 | Mrs. A. Wild | British Associate |
| 1957 | Mrs. C. F. Brereton | St. Gallen | 1971 | Mrs. H. Wuest | Basle |
| 1973 | Mrs. A. P. Brot | | 1970 | Mrs. P. Zollinger | Zürich |
| 1975 | Mrs. R. Brown | Zürich | | | |
| 1976 | Mrs. F. Cavalli | | | | |
| 1965 | Mrs. L. Cheetham | Basle | | | |
| 1973 | Mrs. G. C. Collett | Glarus | | | |

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