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SWISS RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

Annual General Meeting.

The Annual General Meeting of the Swiss Rifle Association was held on Friday, April 2nd, 1954, at the Glendower Hotel, Glendower Place, S.W.7. Mr. A. Schmid was in the Chair, and there were 33 members present. Amongst the invited guests were: Colonel P. Gygli, Air & Military Attaché, M. F. Ansermoz, Swiss Legation and Mr. A. Stauffer, Editor of the "Swiss Observer".

After the reading of the Minutes by the Hon. Secretary, Mr. F. Magnin, and the presentation of the accounts by Mr. F. Suter, the President gave a short account of the activities of the Association during the past year. He reported that the membership had increased from 52-57, and that altogether ten meetings were held at the shooting range at Bisley. Referring to the attendance, Mr. Schmid said, that it was not so good as expected, which was principally due to bad weather conditions. The President warmly thanked his colleagues on the committee for their collaboration.

The outgoing committee was then re-elected *en bloc*, with one addition (Mr. Bucherer as Assistant Range Officer), and consists of the following: President: A. Schmid, Vice-President: J. C. Wetter, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer: F. Magnin, Range Officers: W. Fischer, J. Odermatt, Ernst Brullhard, Auditor: F. Suter.

On taking the Chair again, Mr. Schmid thanked the Meeting for the confidence shown, and extended hearty congratulations to Colonel Gygli on his promotion from Lieut.-Colonel to Colonel. He also voiced his appreciation for the continued interest, the Swiss Minister, Monsieur Henry de Torrenté, Hon. President of the Association, is showing in their work.

The President acquainted the members, that the committee had purchased a prize to be presented at

Lausanne for the Tir Fédéral, taking place from July 8th-25th, consisting of a beautiful cutlery canteen (which was shown). Various items in connection with the afore said Festival were then discussed, and before closing the Meeting, Mr. Schmid expressed the hope that the team which will go to Lausanne will be successful and that, if not first amongst the many competing Swiss sections from abroad, will at least rank high on the score board.

After the conclusion of the Meeting an excellent dinner was served, followed by a game of "Jass". If the members of the Swiss Rifle Association are as good shots as they are "Jassers" then I have not the slightest doubt that they will win with flying colours, and now

BEST OF LUCK FOR LAUSANNE.!

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CITY SWISS CLUB

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

on Tuesday, April 27th, 1954, at 6.30 for 7 p.m., at Dorchester Hotel, W.1.

Agenda: Minutes of last meeting.
Admissions.
Resignations.
President's Report.
Treasurer's Report.
Elections.

Members wishing to be present should send their card to the Manager of Dorchester Hotel, W.1, to reach him not later than, Monday, April 26th, 1954.

THE COMMITTEE.

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