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**SWISS CLUB DUNFERMLINE.**

The annual Whist Drive was held on the 29th November, and was attended by thirty-odd Members in the newly decorated Canteen of Messrs. Winterthur Silks Ltd.

Everyone was very eager to win some of the lovely prizes which were exhibited. The final result however, proved that only the best players can win prizes! The lucky winners were:—

*Ladies*: 1st — Mrs. Lewis 183 points, 2nd — Mrs. Burgisser 181, 3rd — Mrs. Tanner 179, Booby prize — Mrs. Vogel 132.

*Gents*: 1st — Mr. Kessler 169 points, 2nd — Mr. Bosshardt 168, 3rd — Mr. Dobbie 167, Booby prize Mr. R. Kessler 137.

The Tombola prizes were drawn by the following:—

1st — Mrs. Dobbie  
2nd — Mr. Kessler, Snr.  
3rd — Mr. Ramsay Kessler.

A delicious supper was served by Mr. Schoenberger "Chef de Cuisine".

Mr. Frick expressed his sincere thanks to all the generous Donors of the lovely prizes and announced at the same time that our next gathering would be held on January 10th, 1956, when we would have the pleasure of seeing some very interesting films. He further expressed his appreciation to our Entertainments Committee who had made all the arrangements for this most enjoyable evening.

May we also say many thanks to Mrs. Frick who presented the prizes.

We take this opportunity of conveying to all members our very best wishes for the festive season. May the coming year bring you all Health, Happiness and Prosperity.

The Committee.

**NOUVELLE SOCIÉTÉ HELVÉTIQUE  
Film Show.**

The film show for the Colony by the above Society took place on Saturday, December 17th, 1955, at the Conway Hall, Red Lion Square, W.C.2.

Owing to the close proximity of Christmas the date chosen was perhaps a mistake, and, no doubt, accounted for the small attendance, which was a great pity, as the films shown were excellent and most interesting. Those, who, for one reason or another, were unable to attend missed a really fine performance, the coloured film featuring the "Fête des Vignerons" in Vevey, was superb.

No less interesting were the News Films (Journal Pathés) portraying various topical events which had happened in Switzerland during the year 1955, such as the visit of the Emperor of Ethiopia, the 80th birthday celebration of General Guisan, the funeral of the late Federal Councillor Dr. Escher, sports events, etc., etc.

Most amusing was the film "Meet my family", portraying the life of a numerous Bernese family.

We congratulate the Nouvelle Société Helvétique for having given us an opportunity of seeing these excellent films, and only regret that the attendance was not more substantial.

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