

THE ASSOCIATION OF
BRITISH MEMBERS
OF THE
SWISS ALPINE CLUB
(ESTABLISHED 1909)

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Association of British Members of the Swiss Alpine Club

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*The Annual Report, Accounts and Balance Sheet
for 1941.*

THE OBJECTS OF THE ASSOCIATION, &c.

The Association of British Members of the Swiss Alpine Club was founded in 1909, with the main object of encouraging climbers and walkers in this country to join that Club. The S.A.C. (to give it its usual abbreviation) is nearly as old as the Alpine Club itself, and for over half a century has gone on steadily with its work of making the Alps accessible to climbers and others, in particular by building the 90 or more Club Huts which now exist. Before this Association came into being there had been many British members of the Club. But these were the exceptions rather than the rule, partly because the average British climber had no idea how to join, and partly because it did not occur to him that there was any point in doing so. But among those who were members, there were some who felt that such a state of affairs ought not to continue; that if our climbers used the huts, they should do something to help to maintain them, and that by some means it should be made easy to join the S.A.C. The energy of the late Mr. J. A. B. Bruce created a strong Committee, which undertook this matter and brought this Association into being under the late Mr. Clinton Dent, as President. Within two years of the start there were 300 members and their number has continued to grow. The result of our activities is that the proportion of our countrymen who climb in the Alps and are now members of the S.A.C. is very large, and most of them are also members of this Association.

At the same time it was felt that there was need for a rallying point over here for these "clubbists," and as it is

not possible, by the rules of the S.A.C., for a section to be formed outside Switzerland, as was the case with the D.Oe.A.V. (which had a section at Manchester at one time), the Association acquired a room in which its members could meet together, and took upon itself something of the functions of a Club. All these arrangements were only undertaken after consultation with the Central Committee of the S.A.C., and the latter cordially welcomed the enterprise. In addition, as it was felt that we British climbers owed Switzerland something for past remissness, the fund to build the Britannia Hut was started and the building successfully carried through by 1912.

The Association has been able, in many ways, to co-operate with our Swiss colleagues, and at times to represent to them our views on mountaineering matters. On the other hand, the Central Committee has always looked on us with the greatest favour and has dealt very cordially with anything we have put before it.

The number of members is now 400 and in size is, with the exception of the Alpine Club, probably the largest club interested mainly in mountaineering in these islands.

An analysis of the list of members shows their distribution among the various sections to be as follows :—

| | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----------------|----|
| Altels - - - - | 7 | Grindelwald - - | 17 |
| Bern - - - - | 3 | Interlaken - - | 17 |
| Diablerets - - | 43 | Monte Rosa - - | 37 |
| Geneva - - - - | 141 | Oberhasli - - | 12 |
| Other Sections | | 22 | |

The membership of the Swiss Alpine Club itself is now over 30,000 in about 80 sections.

NEW MEMBERS.

2 new members have joined during the past year, but 10 have resigned or died. It is hoped that members will make every effort to secure *new candidates* for the S.A.C. and the Association.

The numbers are now :—

| | | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|---|------------|
| December 31st, 1941 | - | - | - | - | 410 |
| Less Resignations, Deaths, etc., during 1941 | - | | | | <u>10</u> |
| Total, January 1st, 1942 | - | - | - | - | <u>400</u> |

Of these, 106 are Life Members, 9 Honorary Members, 182 Ordinary Members, 70 on the Retired List, and 33 on the Temporary Retired List.

PROGRESS OF THE ASSOCIATION.

| June, | 1909 | .. | Members | 26 |
|------------|------|----|---------|-----------|
| Dec. 31st, | 1909 | .. | „ | 120 |
| „ | 1910 | .. | „ | 250 |
| „ | 1911 | .. | „ | 330 |
| „ | 1912 | .. | „ | 386 |
| „ | 1913 | .. | „ | 426 |
| „ | 1914 | .. | „ | 451 (War) |
| „ | 1915 | .. | „ | 440 „ |
| „ | 1916 | .. | „ | 423 „ |
| „ | 1917 | .. | „ | 410 „ |
| „ | 1918 | .. | „ | 408 „ |
| „ | 1919 | .. | „ | 412 „ |
| „ | 1920 | .. | „ | 423 |
| „ | 1921 | .. | „ | 441 |
| „ | 1922 | .. | „ | 454 |
| „ | 1923 | .. | „ | 496 |
| „ | 1924 | .. | „ | 531 |
| „ | 1925 | .. | „ | 582 |
| „ | 1926 | .. | „ | 620 |
| „ | 1927 | .. | „ | 644 |
| „ | 1928 | .. | „ | 643 |
| „ | 1929 | .. | „ | 673 |
| „ | 1930 | .. | „ | 702 |
| „ | 1931 | .. | „ | 686 |
| „ | 1932 | .. | „ | 621 |
| „ | 1933 | .. | „ | 575 |
| „ | 1934 | .. | „ | 577 |
| „ | 1935 | .. | „ | 530 |
| „ | 1936 | .. | „ | 532 |

Progress of the Association—*continued*.

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|------------|------|----|---------|-----|-------|
| Dec. 31st, | 1937 | .. | Members | 535 | |
| „ | 1938 | .. | „ | 558 | |
| „ | 1939 | .. | „ | 551 | (War) |
| „ | 1940 | .. | „ | 496 | „ |
| „ | 1941 | .. | „ | 410 | „ |

LIST OF THE PRESIDENTS
SINCE THE FORMATION OF THE ASSOCIATION

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| 1909-1911 | Clinton Dent. |
| 1912-1922 | A. E. W. Mason. |
| 1923-1926 | Dr. H. L. R. Dent. |
| 1927-1930 | Brigadier-General The Hon. C. G. Bruce, C.B., M.V.O. |
| 1931-1933 | W. M. Roberts, O.B.E. |
| 1934-1936 | A. N. Andrews. |
| 1937 | C. T. Lehmann. |

THE ADVANTAGES OF BELONGING TO THE SWISS ALPINE CLUB.

Quite apart from the sentimental feeling that a member of the S.A.C. is helping mountaineers in the country in which he is a guest to add to the amenities of the sport, the definite material advantages are set out below.

RIGHTS IN THE S.A.C. HUTS.

Members of the Club, together with their wives, have priority of right to the sleeping places and in many huts there is a room for members only; next after members comes the ladies' Swiss Club, and then the kindred clubs, such as the French A.C. Anyone else is really in a club hut on sufferance. In addition a member pays, in most huts, only 1 franc per night, and a non-member 3 francs. Those who intend to climb have priority over others in the same category. A member may introduce his wife and children (under 20 years of age) on the same terms as himself.

It is worth remembering, in connection with projected visits to huts that while a Section may reserve a hut for its members to the extent of three-quarters of its capacity only, one-quarter is always available for others of the S.A.C. It is generally worth the trouble before going to a hut to ascertain from a local hotel-keeper whether a hut is so reserved, and if it is, to go up there early in the day. As a rule these reservations may not be made on Saturdays and Sundays. It is when one comes down to a hut on a day when it has been reserved, that the advantages of membership are most precious.

A few of the huts in Switzerland do not belong to the S.A.C., but as a rule these are run in close alliance with that Club and the special regulations make little difference to members of the S.A.C.

REDUCTIONS ON RAILWAYS.

But the matter which, perhaps, makes the greatest appeal to many people is the advantages due to the large reductions made to members on the mountain railways (except in the Engadine). In taking a holiday in some

districts a member saves, in these reductions, considerably more than his subscription to the Club.

For convenience we publish the official list of the reductions, somewhat abbreviated, from "Die Alpen," February, 1941.

These reductions, as a rule, apply only to a member, and *do not* include his wife and children.

50% Aigle-Leysin (33 $\frac{1}{3}$ % only on 2nd class tickets); Brunnen-Morschach-Axenstein; Chantarella-Corviglia; Furka-Oberalp; Gerschnialp (33% only on return tickets and no reduction on the descent); Gornergrat; Interlaken-Heimwehfluh; Martigny-Châtelard; Oberalp (see Furka); Ritom; Visp-Zermatt.

42% Arth-Rigi (includes wife and children).

40% Aigle-Sépey-Diablerets; Monthey-Champéry-Morgins; Montreux-Glion, Territet-Glion, and Glion-Rochers de Naye (no reduction on intermediate stages); Sierre-Montana-Vermala.

33% Schöllenen.

31% Nyon-St. Cergue-Morez.

30% Jungfrau; Leukerbad; Niesen; Salève-Schwebelbahn (25% only on single tickets); Schwyz-Stoos Drahtseilbahn.

25% Berner Oberland; Bex-Gryon-Villars and Villars-Chésier-Bretaye (Chamossaire); Chamonix-Montanvers; Lauterbrunnen-Murren-Allmendhubel (Seilbahn); Muottas-Muraigl; Rechtsufrige Lake of Thun Railway (for the complete circuit Thun-Interlaken); Schynige Platte; Wengernalp.

20% Beckenried-Klewenalp (Luftseilbahn); Braunwald; Brienz - Rothorn - Bahn; Martigny - Orsières; Mont Blanc (15% only on single tickets); Pilatus; Stanserhorn; Stansstad - Engelberg; Lake of Thun to Beatenberg.

There are also minor reductions in connection with motor-cars in one or two places.

To obtain these reductions it is absolutely necessary to present the card of membership when booking.

It is worth noting that the reductions are mostly available to members of the corresponding Ladies' Swiss Alpine Club, so that the old feminine grievance that only the men got any reductions is now a thing of the past, if ladies will join their Swiss Club. In this connection, the Hon. Secretaries may be able to advise members how their friends of the other sex may join the ladies' club, which does not seem to be so well known as it might be. We may add that the badge of the ladies club is a particularly attractive one.

HOW TO JOIN THE SWISS ALPINE CLUB.

It is often thought by non-members that some qualification is necessary to join the S.A.C. This is not the case. Anyone can join who can find a proposer and a seconder. The following is the procedure for anyone who wishes to join :—

Write to the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. C. T. Lehmann, 35, Mattock Lane, Ealing, W.5, or to one of the Hon. Secretaries (letters should be marked S.A.C. on the envelope); in this letter the writer should state whether he wishes to join a French, German, or Italian-speaking section.

Arrangements will then be made for the joining of a particular section, and an entrance form will be sent. If the aspirant has no one to propose or second him, suitable arrangements will be made to obviate this difficulty. The entrance form, when filled in, must be returned in all cases to Mr. Lehmann, together with a small photograph, passport size, and the necessary subscription and entrance fee.

For the benefit of those who leave things until the last moment, we would point out that arrangements have been made whereby members of the Geneva, Diablerets and Interlaken Sections (the first two being French-speaking and the third German-speaking) can be enrolled at *this* end. This takes a week or ten days. Normally it takes about two months, as in the case of all other sections it is necessary to communicate with the local Committees.

A list of the principal sections, together with their subscriptions, will be found at the end of this report.

In addition, the subscription to the Association is £1 for Town members and 10s. for Country members. A Country member is defined under the Rules as being a member who resides outside a radius of 50 miles of Charing Cross. There is no entrance fee. Anyone who joins the Association may pay through Mr. Lehmann by sending him a Banker's Order, which is the most convenient way, or by remitting him each January the necessary subscription. The Association is willing to arrange for anyone to join the S.A.C., but only continues the remittances to Switzerland for those who join the Association as well. Life membership of the Association costs £8 8s. for Town members and £4 4s. for Country members.

CARDS OF MEMBERSHIP OF THE S.A.C.

The Swiss Alpine Club Membership Card (the buff card with the member's photograph inside) is usually issued every three years, but the Central Committee has decided that the old cards shall continue to be available until further notice, *provided the gummed slip (for 1942) with the signature of the President of the Central Committee, which will shortly be issued, is affixed to the lower half of the inside cover.* It is very necessary for all members to be careful about this.

Instead of the coloured cards issued by the various Sections as receipt for the current year's subscription, membership cards have to be provided with the gummed slip (measuring about $3\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$ inches), bearing the date of year of issue. This gummed slip must be affixed to the inside of the card over the 1941 slip, and members are earnestly requested to stick it in as soon as they receive it. In the past quite a number of members forgot to do so and only noticed the imperfection of their membership card when about to go to Switzerland, and then hastily appealed for assistance to the Hon. Treasurer, who has not always a stock of these receipt slips, seeing

that each Section only sends him as many slips as there are members.

Loss of Membership Card or Badge.—It is inevitable that someone or other should lose his card or badge, and this is most likely to be discovered at holiday times. If such a loss occur, it is best for the member concerned to write direct to his Section Treasurer, as our own officials are quite likely to be away at such a time, and in any case can only refer the matter to Switzerland. To avoid delay a photograph should be sent at the same time if it be the membership card that has been lost. Members of the Geneva, Diablerets and Interlaken Sections, however, can obtain new membership cards and badges straight away from the Hon. Treasurer's office. Price for new membership card is 1/—.

The price of a new badge is 2/6.

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE.

All the officers were re-elected. The following members of the Committee retired, having completed their term of office : Messrs. F. R. Crepin, H. D. Greenwood, B. G. R. Holloway and B. L. Richards. The resulting vacancies were filled by the election of Messrs. A. A. Galloway (Monte Rosa), C. G. Markbreiter, C.B.E. (Geneva), R. H. Sennett (Geneva), and E. L. Theobald (Monte Rosa). The casual vacancy resulting from the death of Dr. O. K. Williamson was filled by the election of Mr. A. U. Sarpy (Diablerets) in accordance with the provisions of Rule 9.

FINANCE.

The accounts for the year 1941 show that the balance of Income over Revenue amounts to £70 12s. 10d. as compared with £6 6s. 5d. for 1940. The difference is almost entirely due to the fact that no expenses were incurred for rent of premises and that such as were incurred were for the meetings held at either the Café Royal or the Alpine Club.

The financial situation remains very strong. Our investments at cost represent £1,600 and to-day stand at a considerably higher figure.

The amount due to Sections has not been remitted as permission for this has been refused by the Treasury; but the amount has been placed on deposit with our Bankers, this with the approval of the Central Committee.

The Geneva and Diablerets sections have both continued to allow us respectively £20 and £5 towards the rent of the Club rooms, and although this has not been incurred in the financial year, as explained above, we nevertheless feel justified in accepting this in as much as none of our members have been able to make any use of the club rooms of these Sections and even in normal years the number of our Members who visit the headquarters of these Sections at Geneva and Lausanne is so small as to be practically negligible.

SIR WILLIAM ELLIS TRUST FOR GUIDES OF SWISS NATIONALITY.

The Trustees are very glad to report that the Treasury have not put any obstacle in the way of remitting to beneficiaries the sums which, though they seem small to us, are to them of considerable importance, and it is hoped that there will be no difficulty either in 1942.

Income has been slightly larger than Disbursements, and the small sum thus available is being carried forward to 1942 Income Account in accordance with the terms of the Trust, which forbids any such excess being carried to Capital Account.

The Trustees have received a few letters of thanks from the beneficiaries, and those sent to Sir William Ellis are couched in such terms as to make him feel what a boon his generous gift is to these humble folk.

ANNUAL DONATION FROM GENEVA AND DIABLERETS SECTIONS.

The Geneva Section has contributed £20 towards the expenses of the Association so that members of the S.A.C. resident in this country may obtain, out of the subscriptions paid by them, some of the advantages which their Swiss colleagues enjoy, but from which we are debarred by living in this country. The Diablerets Section has contributed 100 francs for the same purpose.

THE HONORARY SECRETARIES.

All communications concerning the Association Meetings should be sent to Mr. M. N. Clarke ; other communications may be made to either Secretary.

The addresses of the Hon. Secretaries will be found inside the cover.

THE HONORARY TREASURER.

All communications concerning Subscriptions should be sent to the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. C. T. Lehmann, 35, Mattock Lane, Ealing, W.5. Telephone : Ealing 5682.

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

The Association undertakes to collect and forward members' subscriptions to Switzerland, but it is a very great convenience and saving of trouble to the Honorary Treasurer if members give him a Banker's Order for whatever is due to their section. Those who do not do so should take care to send their subscriptions in *promptly on January 1st*, as the sections expect early payment and are apt to strike late payers out of their lists early in the year.

Resignations must be sent in before December 31st.

THE CLUB ROOM AND LIBRARY.

It has been deemed advisable not to rent another Club Room until conditions become more settled, but in the meantime the business of the Association will be transacted by the Officers from their respective addresses.

Following the example of the Alpine Club, arrangements are being made to house the Library in the Country for greater safety, and it is therefore much regretted that members cannot have access to it for the time being. We shall certainly, however, take other quarters as soon as circumstances permit us to do so.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR 1942.

Meetings will be held (by kind permission) at the Alpine Club, 74, South Audley Street, W.1., at 6.30 p.m. on the following dates :

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|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Wednesday, April 22nd. | Wednesday, July 22nd. |
| Wednesday, May 27th. | Wednesday, August 26th. |
| Wednesday, June 24th. | |

At these meetings it is hoped to have Papers illustrated by lantern slides. Further details will be announced later, but in the meantime offers of assistance will be very greatly welcomed by the Hon. Secretaries. Committee Meetings will be held on these evenings at 6 p.m.

Members are requested to note that no meetings will be held this year in February, March or September.

A Meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 28th, at 12.30 p.m.—probably at the Comedy Restaurant.

The Annual Luncheon (or Dinner) will be held in November, and further details will be circulated later.



LIST OF MEMBERS SERVING IN H.M. FORCES

The list set out below—which has been compiled from such information as has reached the officers of the Association—does not pretend to be comprehensive, and additions and corrections will be welcomed. Regiments have been given where known, but ranks have been for the most part omitted—especially junior ranks as these are so liable to alteration. All the undermentioned members hold commissions :

- Major A. N. Andrews.
 Captain L. St. C. Bartholomew, A.M.P.C.
 Wing-Commander E. B. Beauman, R.A.F.
 Dr. G. N. Carrell, Surgeon-Lieutenant, R.N.V.R.
 V. O. Cohen, R.A.
 Lieut.-Colonel E. R. Culverwell, M.C., R.E.
 G. L. Densham, R.N.
 M. L. Dix Hamilton.
 W. J. Everitt.
 Lieut.-Colonel E. Gueterbock, R.E.
 Hon. Quentin Hogg, Rifle Brigade.
 B. G. R. Holloway, R.N.V.R.
 G. H. Hovey.
 Major H. C. J. Hunt.
 W. B. Johnston, R.N.V.R.
 J. S. Joly (Junior), Surgeon-Lieutenant, R.N.
 Rev. S. J. L. Lawry, Chaplain, R.N.V.R.
 Dr. T. G. Longstaff, K.R.R.C.
 Graham Mackinnon, R.A.F.
 W. Dugald Macpherson, R.A.F.
 J. P. Mead, C.B.E., R.A.
 Rev. W. A. Meyjes, R.C. Chaplain, R.N.

Captain N. E. Odell, R.E.
 Major T. A. H. Peacocke.
 Captain David Pennant.
 B. L. Richards, G.M.
 J. M. S. Roberts, R.A.F.
 J. O. M. Roberts, Indian Army.
 Anthony M. Robinson.
 R. W. Rodwell.
 Captain T. W. Sallitt.
 A. R. A. Seacome.
 C. Scott Lindsay, R.E.
 Major A. E. Tydeman, Royal Marine Engineers.
 Captain Denis B. Topham.
 A. D. Williamson.

We wish them all good luck, and a safe and speedy return.

Roll of Honour.

M. R. C. Overton, R.A.
 K. W. Graham, R.A.F.
 J. Carr. (*Reported "Missing" January, 1941.*)

TWO ATTEMPTS AT MOUNT KENYA.

By D. T. F. MUNSEY.

After ten days in Nairobi, I joined my Khartoum friends, R. A. Hodgkin and L. W. Brown, on June 16th at Nyeri, which lies on the western side of Mount Kenya at an altitude of 6,000 feet.

Planning a trip of this nature from the middle of a desert in war-time was very tricky as none of us had any of the vital climbing gear. However, boots and ice axes were duly made locally, which would pain Messrs. Lawrie and Simond. The rope was also a local product, and it supported us all right on the numerous rappels on the descent of the difficult rocks on Mount Kenya.

By dint of further improvisations, assistance from lady friends and some cold-blooded borrowing, we got together the bulk of our personal gear before leaving for Kenya. A certain amount of camp equipment was obtainable in Nairobi, and all stores were bought at Nyeri. The district commissioner at Nyeri, to whom we had written for help over porters, turned out to be P. Wyn Harris. A colossal stroke of luck, and we had a splendid nucleus of men for the tougher work above 13,000 feet. Wyn Harris also lent us some extra sleeping bags and porters' tents. Altogether we owe a great deal of the pleasure and success of the trip to him.

On the afternoon of the 18th we moved up to Ragati forest station (6,500 feet) on the south side of the mountain, with all our stores by lorry. The following morning we started off with twenty-seven porters on the safari through the forest and over the moors to the peaks.

It was the height of the rainy season in Kenya, and we had considerable doubts on the score of the weather. The track through the bamboo forest was in a boggy state, and we did not press the porters too hard. By the second evening we had reached the moorland above

11,000 feet, and we seemed to be getting above the thick layers of cloud which were giving overcast days in the plains.

On the third day we had a fairly hard march. After a bright morning, with cumulus clouds and cheerful views of the peaks ahead, the weather declined rapidly. We pushed on and reached the intended site for our base camp beside Lake Hohrel (13,600 feet). After getting up the tents it snowed hard for an hour. We were now in a position to send back sixteen of the porters, retaining the eleven toughest for the work between Lake Hohnel and the hut at 15,800 feet.

The weather cleared up in the night and there was a sharp ground frost. At dawn the sea of clouds lay far below us and the sky was brilliant. On the ridge above the camp we had our first near view of the magnificent south face of the peaks, across the Teleki valley. The sight of the steep ridges and hanging glaciers confirmed all that we had read about the difficulties of Mount Kenya.

A steep and awkward descent for the porters into the Teleki valley, and after following up the bed for some distance, we began the final 2,000 feet grind to the hut. This was truly Alpine in character. The snout of the Lewis glacier lay ahead and we were soon on scree and moraines. The porters, who went bare foot, were in great form, and the British element in the party, who were suffering from an overdose of the Sudan, found the pace very stiff. We were not sure of the exact position of the hut, and as a result we gained it much sooner than expected. There was plenty of time for the porters to return to their camp by nightfall and for us to sort ourselves out for our stay in the hut.

Mount Kenya is usually tackled in January and February or after the rains in September, when the rocks on the Wyn Harris-Shipton route are in a fair condition as regards snow and ice. The hut is in a splendid position for the climb. A walk of three-quarters of an hour straight across the easy Lewis Glacier leads to the foot of the rocks of the south-east face of Nelion, which is the

lower of the twin peaks. To the summit of Nelion (17,000 feet) there is a 1,200 feet rise from the foot of the climb, which goes up the south-east face for about 600 feet to the crest of the south-west ridge. The route then follows this ridge up to 16,700 feet, where it merges into the final bastion of the peak.

From the summit of Nelion, the route continued across a gap, called the Gate of the Mist, to the highest peak Batian (17,040 feet). Owing to the short tropical day and the continuously difficult climbing, a large proportion of parties, who had reached Nelion, have had to forego continuing the traverse to Batian. The latter has been climbed six times and Nelion over a dozen times.

The precipices of Nelion are a formidable sight from the hut and we decided to devote the first day to a general reconnaissance. So we ascended to the head of the Lewis glacier and climbed a satellite, called the Point Lanana (16,300 feet). An adjacent aiguille then provided us with some boulder problems, after which we descended the far side of the glacier and located the start of the climb on Nelion. We went up the first two hundred feet and the rocks on the lower part of the face were clear of ice. The weather had been good all day and everything promised well.

We made two attempts on Nelion on June 24th and 26th. On the first occasion we were a party of three and climbed rather slowly. In addition, the upper half of the south-east face was badly iced in several exposed stretches, which gave the leader a lot of trouble. After reaching the crest of the south-west ridge, a gendarme has to be traversed on the far side, and this passage, which was cluttered up with loose powdery snow, consumed a good deal of time. We regained the ridge in a narrow brèche just below the "mauvais pas" called the "Rickety Crack." Under good conditions, there was not sufficient time left to reach the summit and return before dusk, so we abandoned the climb for the day.

For our second attempt, it was deemed essential to attack the peak with a party of only two. Hodgkin and I made a very early start and we were at the foot of

the rocks by dawn. The climbing on the face is continuously exposed with a high proportion of difficult pitches. We made all the pace we could, consistent with safe climbing, and reached the crest of the ridge just before 8.30 a.m. We had ascended about 600 feet in two and a quarter hours (this will give you a vague idea of the standard of the climbing).

The traverse round the gendarme was much easier, as we knew the exact line, and the old steps helped for part of the way. To gain the brèche there is a very stiff crack, which is not at all exposed. The next problem was the "Rickety Crack." Hodgkin led up a steep slab with small holds, and then followed an awkward move round a corner on to a snow-covered horizontal ledge. At the far end of this, out of sight of the second man, is the crack itself. A few murmurs and apparent pauses in progress were the only comments from the leader, until he regained the ridge fifty feet above me. It was a thrilling pitch and luckily clear of ice. The view below the ledge is of a continuous sweep of precipice. Above the crack is a delicate business. Just as the small holds are petering out, one is able to grasp a shaky jammed block which is secure enough and which gives the name to the pitch. After that the worst is over.

A section of ridge of the Cuillin variety next provided some relief and hopes began to rise, as under dry conditions we had got over the hardest parts of the climb, although there were still one or two exposed and difficult pitches.

At the foot of the final rise to the summit we found however that the rocks were covered with snow on top of ice. This was unpleasant and not entirely unexpected after the traverse of the gendarme lower down. Hodgkin descended some steep snow-covered rocks into the bed of a gully, and his uncomfortable progress up the far side of this was a clear indication of the dangerous nature of the passage.

After reaching a poor belay we had a shouted conference, and I was against following across the traverse over the icy rocks. Hodgkin didn't encourage it, but I

suggested that he should examine the rocks higher up and try and make the summit alone. He actually climbed another sixty feet and then felt he had had enough. His subsequent return to my position was very tricky.

Our efforts, therefore, again came to an early conclusion, but on this occasion we went all out and were beaten by the defences of this grand mountain. A little disappointment at the time, but it was such a splendid trip in every other way that I have no lasting regrets. The rock-climbing was engrossing and the descent involved a good deal of exciting moves on the doubled rope. The weather during the four days at the hut was continuously fine with a little cloud capping the peaks in the afternoons.

We got back to Nyeri at the end of June and soon afterwards I had to return to Khartoum. My friends went on to Fort Portal in Uganda and tackled the Ruwenzori group. At the critical period of the trip they had a clear morning which enabled them to reach the summit of the Punta Margherita of Mount Stanley, the highest point in the Mountains of the Moon.

CLUB NOTES.

In spite of the difficulties of the past year the activities of the Association have, on the whole, been well maintained. All the ordinary meetings were held, as well as an additional one in August. During the shorter days we had, perforce, to hold them at lunch time. Although the attendances were generally satisfactory, members found it difficult to get along; further, the service at lunch left much to be desired, and this proved a source of considerable annoyance to those who were in a hurry to get back to their work. The Committee have therefore decided during the coming year to hold lunch-time meetings on January 28th and October 28th only, and to cut out the meetings which would normally be held in February, March and September.

The evening meetings, on the other hand, were an unqualified success, and the Committee have therefore decided to repeat the experiment this year, except that these meetings will commence in April instead of May. We would like to take this opportunity of expressing to the Alpine Club our great appreciation of their kindness in allowing us to hold our meetings in such attractive surroundings.

A small but very successful Easter Meet was held at Coniston, and was attended by Mr. and Mrs. George Starkey and Messrs. M. N. Clarke, J. E. L. Clements, A. A. Galloway, R. L. Greg, J. Knox Taylor, A. U. Sarpy and E. L. Theobald. The party stayed at the Crown Hotel, where they were most comfortable and had a very enjoyable holiday in spite of the wet weather. The 1942 Easter Meet will take place, circumstances permitting, at the Old Dungeon Ghyll Hotel, Langdale.

A formal luncheon was held at Brown's Hotel on November 22nd, and was attended by no less than seventy-one people. Details of this will be found on another page.

We have lost through death five distinguished members of the Association this year—Dr. O. K. Williamson, H. G. Pulling, J. J. Hoddinott, W. T. Kirkpatrick and Dr. Charles Slater. The last two were distinguished mountaineers, but were better known as members of the Alpine Club.

DR. O. K. WILLIAMSON was a Vice-President of the Association from its foundation until he went out to South Africa to take up a professorial appointment at Witwatersrand University. When he returned to England he again became a very keen attendant at all our meetings, and only a few weeks before his death he gave us a most interesting paper on "The Breithorn Ridge."

H. G. PULLING was a Vice-President of the Association from 1914 up to the time of his death. He was a very regular attendant at all our meetings. He was a great friend of the late Dr. H. L. R. Dent, who died two years ago, with whom he did most of his climbing.

J. J. HODDINOTT, although he did not hold office, served on the committee on more than one occasion. Prior to the last war he did a lot of pioneering in Norway which was where he did most of his climbing. Subsequently he paid visits to Switzerland, where his favourite haunts were Binn and the Loetschental. Many of us still have very happy recollections of the slides which he used to show us of these delightful valleys before the war.

All these men belonged to an older generation who did their climbing when mountaineering (at least in the Alps) was not such a simple matter as it was in 1939. They had come to be looked upon as "elder statesmen" in the mountaineering world, and they will not be mourned any the less because they had fully reached the allotted span. Their passing leaves a gap which it will be hard to fill.

We very much regret to have to report the death on active service of one of our younger members—K. W. Graham. He was reported "missing" in Belgium in May, 1940, whilst serving as an Air Gunner with the R.A.F., but it was not until some months later that he was officially presumed to have been killed. He was

a very keen member of the Association and a very regular attendant both at our London Meetings and at our Easter Meets. He will be a great loss, and we wish to tender our heartfelt sympathy to his relations and friends on their sad bereavement.

Evening Meetings were held at the Alpine Club in May, June, July and August, and the following papers—all of which were illustrated by lantern slides—were read :—

May 28th—"Some Oberland Climbs" (Major T. A. H. Peacocke).

June 25th—"The Fextal for a Family Holiday" (J. E. Montgomery).

July 23rd—"The Breithorn Ridge" (Dr. O. K. Williamson).

On August 27th Mr. F. R. Crepin showed a very attractive set of slides illustrative of climbing in the Lake District, Wales and Scotland.

We are very much indebted to these four members for making these meetings such a success, and the Hon. Secretaries would be very grateful for offers of assistance for the five evening meetings which we hope to hold this year.

The attention of members is drawn to the List of Meetings for 1942 which was issued in January and is reprinted elsewhere in this report.

The question was again raised last summer of organising a Summer Meet, and Members were circularised, but not sufficient support was forthcoming. The difficulty was the same as it always has been—namely that of fixing on a suitable date. June is, of course, the best month for Scotland, and many members tend to take an early summer holiday, but there are others who prefer August, especially if they have had a break at Easter. It is true that the Alpine Club have set us a noble example and shown us what can be done in the way of an August

Meet—but then they do not hold an Easter Meet. In the circumstances it is proposed to leave the matter in abeyance—unless we are prevented at the last moment from holding our Easter Meet.

One word of advice to those who may be thinking of going up to Scotland in June—DON'T FORGET TO TAKE SNOW GLASSES. Mr. Clarke visited the Cairngorms in the middle of June; he found that snow was still lying about in large quantities, and the glare was terrific.

We should like to offer our heartiest congratulations to Lieutenant B. L. Richards on being awarded the George Medal, in connection with his Bomb Disposal activities. He is very modest about his achievement, but his friends well know that he richly deserved this honour.

The Honorary Librarian deeply regrets that during the year 1941 the Library was so little available to members. He is most grateful for the patience and forbearance they have shown. His principal duty is to report the three fresh moves which became necessary in consequence of war-time conditions. The Committee and the Hon. Librarian greatly appreciated the hospitality given to our Library by the Alpine Club, where our books, maps and pictures received every possible care. Even so the fortunes of war might have caused their utter destruction, for one of the houses next to the Club was very seriously damaged structurally, and the margin of safety for our possessions was one of literally only a few yards.

It was therefore considered safer to move our books, etc., entirely out of London. This was accomplished on February 24th. For some time our Library found accommodation in a school building at Guildford, where it remained until the Government commandeered the house. Here, too, our books were well housed and cared for.

The second move was from Guildford to Ceylon Wharf, London, S.E., where the Library remained a certain time, thanks to the kindness of our President.

Finally, at the friendly suggestion of Sir William Ellis, our books, etc., were sent to the Rotherham Main Colliery, near Sheffield, where they are to stay for the duration of the war. The slightly reduced Library list for 1942 shows the harm done to our possessions by air-raid blast in December, 1940 (at the Langham Hotel). These minor losses will undoubtedly be made more than good when more settled conditions are reached. Meanwhile our former President, Major W. M. Roberts, has very kindly informed us that Lady Perceval, niece of our first President, Clinton Thomas Dent, will give us Whymper's *Great Andes of the Equator*.

A formal luncheon was held in place of the Annual Dinner at Brown's Hotel on Saturday, November 22nd. The President was in the chair and no less than seventy-one members and guests were present—a very gratifying attendance.

The Guests of the Association were Monsieur Charles de Jenner, Counsellor of the Swiss Legation; Mr. Bryan Donkin, who represented the Alpine Club in the absence of the President, who was laid up with a chill, and also the Climbers' Club; Miss Dolling, who represented the Ladies' Alpine Club; Mr. E. W. Hodge, who represented the Fell and Rock Club; and Monsieur Chapuis, who represented the City Swiss Club. We were also very pleased to see our old friend Miss McAndrew there as a private guest.

Major W. M. Roberts proposed the toast of the Swiss Confederation, to which Monsieur de Jenner replied, in the absence of the Minister who was in Switzerland; and Monsieur de Jenner concluded his speech by proposing the health of the Association. The President replied, and in the course of his speech gave a resumé of the activities of the Association during the past year. Monsieur Chapuis also spoke. Mr. Clarke proposed the health of the chairman, and this concluded the proceedings.

SUMMER HOLIDAYS, 1942

The question of summer holidays this year is extremely problematical, although most of us will probably feel the need of them more than ever before.

Although Switzerland, alas, is out of the question, the Hon. Secretaries will be very glad to assist members wherever possible with regard to plans. The question of holding a Summer Meet in this country might even be considered at a later date—especially if through force of circumstances we are obliged to abandon the Easter Meet.

Members are reminded that the Insurance against Accidents specifically covers risks in England, Scotland and Wales, but that only those members are protected who have continued their subscriptions to the S.A.C. Those members, therefore, who have availed themselves of the New Rule and have temporarily resigned from the S.A.C. are no longer covered.

SUNDAY WALKS.—If members are desirous of arranging a training walk at any time, the Hon. Secretaries will always be very glad to put them in touch with others similarly inclined, whenever possible. Such members should communicate with one of the Hon. Secretaries not later than the previous Wednesday.

INSURANCE AGAINST ACCIDENTS.

The Swiss Alpine Club have renewed their contract with a number of Swiss Insurance Companies for three years from the 1st January, 1942, with a few slight modifications as compared with the 1936-38 contract. The sum assured varies according to the sections. With some it is 10,000 francs, with others 8,000 francs, payable at death, or proportionately for permanent or temporary disablement.

The Insurance covers accidents in the Central European Alps, the Jura, Pyrenees, Apennines, Carpathians, Vosges, Black Forest, **England, Scotland and Wales**, but it does not cover Norway, Himalayas, etc.

The benefit of the insurance can now only be paid to wife and children, grandchildren, parents, and brothers or sisters, and the benefits cannot be assigned to, or claimed by, any other parties.

Additional policies can be obtained :

(a) For payment of 3 francs, to bring up the insurance for death or permanent disablement from 8,000 to 10,000 francs for climbing accidents only.

(b) 3 francs to secure the same benefits as above for ski accidents.

It should be noted that ski accidents in the first place do not cover jumping, or accidents occurring while the insured is taking part in any sporting event, and that the accident must be part of a genuine ski run, *i.e.* when skis are used as a means of transport in what may be considered a mountaineering expedition.

Additional premiums of :

8.20 francs will cover 3 francs daily during temporary disablement, starting from the eighth day and up to one year, but the amount will depend on the degree of disablement and not exceed 3 francs.

9.40 francs will cover medical expenses up to 3 francs per day, limited to 300 francs.

14.60 francs will cover medical expenses and a daily allowance on the above scales.

There may be various combinations of the above, or even doubling or trebling of one particular form of insurance.

All these various combinations are set forth in the issue of "Die Alpen," November, 1938.

In no case are expenses of a rescue party or transport covered by insurance.

Neither the Association nor individual members can accept any liability for the above brief particulars of insurance. For full terms of the contract of insurance members should also refer to the same issue.



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Association of British Members ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR

RECEIPTS.

| 1940 £ s. d. | | Section £ s. d. | Association £ s. d. | Total, £ s. d. |
|-----------------|--|--------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| 3 0 2 | Subscriptions forward, 1940.. .. | 1 19 6 | | |
| 537 1 2 | Subscriptions collected, 1941 .. | 470 5 9 | | 472 5 3 |
| 150 12 0 | Subscriptions collected, 1941 .. | — | 135 5 0 | 135 5 0 |
| 1 19 6 | Subscriptions in advance, 1942 .. | 1 5 0 | 10 0 | 1 15 0 |
| 38 17 1 | Dividends received | — | 35 2 0 | |
| — | Sale of Lantern | — | 5 5 0 | |
| 20 0 0 | Donation: Geneva | — | 20 0 0 | |
| 5 0 0 | Donation: Diablerets | — | 5 0 0 | 65 7 0 |
| | | 473 10 3 | 201 2 0 | 674 12 3 |
| 919 0 6 | Accumulated Revenue | — | 925 6 11 | 925 6 11 |
| | <i>Contingent Liabilities.</i> —The Club sanctioned the payment of £65 for the purchase of an Epidiascope in July, 1940. This has not yet been secured, but is a contingent liability. | | | |
| | | £473 10 3 | £1,126 8 11 | £1,599 19 2 |

of the Swiss Alpine Club

ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1941

EXPENDITURE.

| 1940. | | | Section. | Association. | Total. | | | | | | | |
|-------|----|----|----------------------------------|--------------|--------|---|--------|----|----|--------|----|----|
| £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | | |
| 534 | 6 | 7 | Due to Sections | 456 | 8 | 9 | 456 | 8 | 9 | | | |
| 2 | 15 | 6 | Subscriptions returned | 2 | 4 | 3 | | | 2 | 4 | 3 | |
| 100 | 0 | 0 | Clubroom Expenses | — | | | 15 | 4 | 0 | | | |
| 14 | 15 | 0 | Clerical Expenses | — | | | 16 | 17 | 0 | | | |
| 3 | 0 | 6 | Corporation Duty | — | | | 6 | 8 | 0 | | | |
| 12 | 2 | 10 | Removal Expenses | — | | | 25 | 15 | 3 | | | |
| 1 | 0 | 9 | Insurance | — | | | 8 | 1 | 6 | | | |
| 32 | 13 | 0 | Annual Report | — | | | 34 | 9 | 5 | | | |
| 21 | 3 | 2 | Postages | — | | | 13 | 15 | 4 | | | |
| 16 | 3 | 6 | Printing and Stationery | — | | | 16 | 19 | 4 | | | |
| 4 | 1 | 5 | Sundries | — | | | 6 | 1 | 7 | 143 | 11 | 5 |
| | | | | 458 | 13 | 0 | 143 | 11 | 5 | 602 | 4 | 5 |
| 919 | 0 | 6 | Accumulated Revenue | — | | | 925 | 6 | 11 | 925 | 6 | 11 |
| 1 | 19 | 6 | Subscriptions in Advance | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 0 |
| | | | | £459 | 18 | 0 | £1,069 | 8 | 4 | £1,529 | 6 | 4 |
| 6 | 6 | 5 | Balance—Revenue | — | | | 70 | 12 | 10 | 70 | 12 | 10 |
| | | | | £459 | 18 | 0 | £1,140 | 1 | 2 | £1,599 | 19 | 2 |

Certified correct: J. MARSDEN NEYE, *Hon. Auditor.*
21st January 1942.

BALANCE SHEET, 31st December, 1941

| 1940. | | LIABILITIES. | | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | |
|-------|-------|--|-----------|---------|-------|------------|-------|
| £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| 800 | 13 0 | Life Membership Account .. | | 800 | 13 0 | | |
| 1 | 19 6 | Subscriptions in advance .. | 1 15 0 | | | | |
| 919 | 0 6 | Accumulated Revenue .. | 925 6 11 | | | | |
| — | | Due to Sections .. | 401 1 7 | | | | |
| 9 | 11 3 | Sundry Creditors (unpaid cheques) | 14 0 0 | | | | |
| | | | 1,342 3 6 | | | | |
| 6 | 6 5 | Balance—Revenue | | | | 70 | 12 10 |
| | | | | | | £2,213 9 4 | |

| 1940. | | ASSETS. | | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | |
|-------|-------|--|-------|---------|----------|------------|-------|
| £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| 236 | 16 11 | Current Account at Bank, 31/12/41 | | 311 | 7 4 | | |
| — | | Deposit Account at Bank, 31/12/41 | | 431 | 8 9 | | |
| 0 | 8 11 | Cash in hand | | 0 | 15 7 | | |
| | | | | | 743 11 8 | | |
| 1,469 | 17 8 | Investments at Cost .. | | | | 1,469 | 17 8 |
| | | £100 3½% Conversion Loan. | | | | | |
| | | £400 3½% Conversion Loan. | | | | | |
| | | £450 5% Conversion Loan. | | | | | |
| | | £450 4% Victory Bonds. | | | | | |
| | | £200 3% Local Loans. | | | | | |
| | | | | | | £2,213 9 4 | |

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACCOUNT.

| 1940. | | LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACCOUNT. | | £ s. d. | |
|-------|-------|--------------------------|-------|---------|-------|
| £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| 800 | 13 0 | Balance—31/12/40 | | 800 | 13 0 |
| | | | | 800 | 13 0 |

Certified correct : J. MARSDEN NEYE, *Hon. Auditor.*

21st January, 1942.

THE
ASSOCIATION OF BRITISH MEMBERS
OF THE
SWISS ALPINE CLUB

RULES

1. NAME.

The name of the Association shall be "THE ASSOCIATION OF BRITISH MEMBERS OF THE SWISS ALPINE CLUB."

2. OBJECTS.

The objects of the Association shall be:—

- (a) To encourage British Alpinists to support the Swiss Alpine Club in all its work by becoming members of a Section of that body.
- (b) To collect funds for the building or maintenance of S.A.C. Huts, and for such other purposes as the Committee may from time to time determine.
- (c) To form a body able to present a collective opinion to the S.A.C. on any question of Alpine interest.
- (d) To promote among British climbers a spirit of sociability, and in particular to provide a common meeting ground in London or elsewhere.
- (e) To initiate and co-operate in any movement that may tend to increase the membership of the S.A.C. and of this Association.

3. CONSTITUTION.

The Association shall consist of (1) Ordinary Members and (2) Honorary Members.

Ordinary Members shall be divided into two classes (a) Town and (b) Country. Town Members shall be those who reside within a radius of 50 miles of Charing Cross. Country Members shall be those who reside outside that radius.

The qualification for ordinary membership shall be membership of some section of the S.A.C. The election of Ordinary Members shall be absolutely under the control of the Committee. Honorary Members shall be elected by the Committee at their discretion.

4. SUBSCRIPTION.

The subscription to the Association shall be £1 per annum for Town Members and 10/- per annum for Country Members, the first subscription to be payable at election and subsequent subscriptions on the 1st January in each year. Any Member whose subscription shall not have been paid on or before the 1st March shall cease to be a Member of the Association, but may be reinstated on payment of arrears at the discretion of the Committee. Any Member joining after the 1st November shall not be required to pay his subscription for the ensuing year.

The payment of £8 8s. 0d. in the case of Town Members and £4 4s. 0d. in the case of Country Members shall constitute Life Membership.

For those elected BEFORE 1921 it shall be optional whether they pay 5/-, 10/- or £1 subscription, or £2 2s. 0d., £4 4s. 0d. or £8 8s. 0d. for Life Membership. For those elected AFTER 31st December, 1920, but BEFORE the 1st of January, 1930, it shall be optional whether they pay 10/- or £1 subscription or £4 4s. 0d. or £8 8s. 0d. for Life Membership.

5. MEETINGS.

- (a) An Annual General Meeting and Dinner shall be held in November or December. Other meetings may be held as the Committee think fit.
- (b) The Committee, on the requisition of twelve members, shall at any time call a Special General Meeting, provided that seven clear days' notice be given to all Members of such a Special General Meeting, together with full information as to the place, time, and business to be transacted.

6. COMMITTEE.

The Management of the Association shall be vested in a Committee to be elected at the Annual General Meeting and to hold office from the 1st January following. The Committee shall consist of *ex-officio* members, Ordinary Members, and such extra Members, not exceeding three, as may be co-opted in the manner hereinafter provided.

- (a) The *ex-officio* Members shall be the officers of the Association for the time being, viz. :

President,
Vice-Presidents,
Two Hon. Secretaries,
Hon. Treasurer,
Hon. Librarian,
Hon. Solicitor ;

who shall be elected at the Annual General Meeting, provided that the President shall not serve for longer than three years in succession.

- (b) The Ordinary Members of the Committee shall be twelve in number. One-third of them shall retire annually, and shall not be eligible for re-election until after one year has elapsed. The Committee may co-opt not more than three additional Members, one of whom must retire yearly; the mode of election and manner of retirement to rest with the Committee. Five Members shall constitute a quorum. The Committee may suggest names for Officers and Committee, but this is not to be taken as precluding any two Members from nominating candidates, whose consent, however, must be previously obtained.

At least three weeks' notice of the Annual Meeting shall be given to every Member; and nominations for Officers and Committee must be sent in to the Secretaries at least ten days before the Annual Meeting. In the event of more candidates being nominated than there are vacancies the election shall be by ballot.

7. POWERS OF THE COMMITTEE.

- (a) The Committee may, by a two-thirds majority of those present, remove the name of any Member from the list of Members if they consider his conduct to be incompatible with membership of the Association; but such person shall have the right of appeal to the next Annual or Special General Meeting, which shall have the power of annulling, by a two-thirds majority of those present and voting, the decision of the Committee.
- (b) The Committee shall have power to submit any proposal affecting the Association to an Annual or Special General Meeting of the Members of the Association.
- (c) The Committee shall have power to increase the number of Officers by two.

8. ACCOUNTS.

The Accounts of the Association shall be audited in January and presented by the Hon. Treasurer at the next General Meeting of the Association, and shall be published with the Annual Report.

9. CASUAL VACANCIES.

The Committee shall have power to fill up casual vacancies amongst the Officers or Committee; and those chosen shall serve for the unexpired period of office for which the Members whom they succeed were respectively elected.

10. ROOM FOR MEETINGS AND LIBRARY.

The Committee shall have power to hire premises for the purposes of the Association.

11. PUBLICATIONS.

The Committee shall have power to publish an Annual Report and other publications.

12. ALTERATIONS OF RULES.

A General Meeting shall have power, by a majority of not less than two-thirds of the Members present and voting, to alter or add to the existing Rules of the Association.

13. REGULATIONS.

The Committee shall have power to make such regulations, not being inconsistent with these Rules, as they think to be for the well-being of the Association.

14. THE CHAIRMAN.

The Chair, whether at a General Meeting or at a Meeting of the Committee, shall be taken by the President of the Association, or in his absence by one of the Vice-Presidents. In the absence of the President and Vice-Presidents, the Meeting shall elect a Chairman from among the Members present. The Chairman shall, in case of an equality of votes, have a second or casting vote.

15. RETIRED LIFE MEMBERS.

Life Members of the Association who have ceased to be Members of the Swiss Alpine Club may enjoy the privileges of the Association except that they shall not be eligible to fill any office of the Association or to serve on the Committee or to vote at any of the meetings.

TEMPORARY RULES

- (a) During the continuance of the present war, members who find themselves unable to continue their membership of the Swiss Alpine Club may still remain members of the Association for the time being on payment of the usual rates of subscription, notwithstanding the provisions of Rule 3 but subject to the provisions of Rule 15.
- (b) During the continuance of the present war, the words "provided that the President shall not serve for longer than three years in succession" in Rule 6 shall be deemed to be of no effect.

LIST OF MEMBERS

OF THE

Association of British Members

OF THE

Swiss Alpine Club

(Corrected up to January 31st, 1942.)

* Indicates Life Member.

Italics, Hon. Member ; 'AC.' Alpine Club.

Sections of S.A.C. in brackets.

† Indicates S.A.C. Veteran.

Ordinary members who are not shown as belonging to any Section have temporarily resigned from the Swiss Alpine Club under the new rule.

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- †Adams, W., D.L. (*Geneva*), Orchard House, Saffron Walden.
Aitchison, Irvine G., 'AC'. (*Prättigau*), Riverside, Hunton Bridge, King's Langley, Herts.
- *Allen, B. M., 'AC.', c/o Barclays Bank, High Street, Hampstead, N.W.3. (*Retired List.*)
Anderson, G., 'AC.' (*Diablerets*), Bleak House, Kendal, Westmorland.
- *Anderson, J. G., National Liberal Club, S.W.1. (*Retired List.*)
†Andrews, Major A. N., 'AC.' (*Grindelwald*), 5, Elenor's Grove, Quarr, near Ryde, Isle of Wight (Hon. Secretary, 1912-1928 ; Hon. Librarian, 1929-1932 ; President, 1934-1936), V.P.
- Anstie, E. L. (*Geneva*), Shore House, Edington, Westbury, Wilts.
Ashby, D. F. (*Geneva*), Geological Department, University of Bristol.

- Baker, A. (*Oberhasli*), Yews, New Barn, Longfield, Kent.
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- †*Barrow, Harrison, 40, Weoley Park Road, Selly Oak, Birmingham.
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 Bax, C. E. O., Beckworth, Otlands Drive, Weybridge, Surrey.
- †Beauman, Wing-Commander E. B., R.A.F., 'AC.' (*Geneva*), c/o
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 (*Retired List.*)
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 Bennett, M. (*Diablerets*), Red Cedar House, Colgate, Horsham, Sussex.
- Besant, A. D. (*Geneva*), 9, Hampstead Hill Gardens, N.W.3.
 *Bezenenet, M. Steinmann (*Geneva*), Sentinel House, Southampton Row, W.C.1.
- †Bird, Major L. W., D.S.O., O.B.E., 'AC.' (*Monte Rosa*), Cowslips, Mickleham, Surrey.
- *Blakeney, T. S., 'AC.', Injipara Estate, Valparai P.O., South India. (*Retired List.*)
- *Blandy, Edward, 'AC.' Uppercross, Christchurch Gardens, Reading.
 (*Retired List.*)
- †*Blunt, Lieut.-Col. W. S., R.E., M.C. (*Monte Rosa*), Pear Tree Cottage, Shorne, near Gravesend, Kent.
- *Bourdillon, Lieut.-Col. R. B., M.C., A.F.C., The National Institute for Medical Research, Hampstead, N.W.3.
- *Bowdoin, H. W. C., 'AC.' (*Geneva*), c/o Messrs. Baring & Son, Bishopsgate Street, E.C.2.
 Bramley, G. C. (*Interlaken*), 34, Bishopsgate, E.C.2.
 Brearley, R. H. (*Monte Rosa*), 8, North Pallant, Chichester, Sussex.
 Brend, G. C. (*Geneva*), 104, Haverstock Hill, N.W.3.
- †*Brigg, J. J., 'AC.' (*Geneva*), Kildwick Hall, Keighley (*Life, Geneva*).
- *Brocklehurst, Professor R. J., M.D., 'AC.' (*Geneva*), 11, Avon Grove, Sneyd Park, Bristol 9.
 Brown, Alan W., 'AC.' (*Geneva*), 30, John Street, Bedford Row, W.C.1.
- *Brown, Eric (*Lagern*), Baden, Switzerland.
 Brown, Professor T. Graham, F.R.S., 'AC.' (*Geneva*), Physiology Institute, Newport Road, Cardiff.
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