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## Helvetia Calendar

- Dec. 13 -- Annual Christmas Party, Homestead Restaurant, 307 Terrace Ave., Hasbrouck Heights, N. J., 7:30 p.m., \$6.50 per prime ribs dinner including tax and tip. All reservations must reach George H. Wettach by Dec. 6. Make checks payable to him rather than the society. His address is 17-20 Well Dr., Fair Lawn, N. J. 07410, and his phone is 796-0799. See attached map for location of restaurant (several blocks southwest of intersection of Routes 17 and 46).
- Dec. 16 -- Monthly meeting, 8 p.m., Fair Lawn Arts Center, 12-56 River Rd., Fair Lawn, N. J. Program: 1960 definitive series (Postal History and Architectural Monuments). Bring stamps, covers, literature and duplicates. Guests welcome.
- Mar. 12-14 -- BEPEX, including club competition.
- May 6 --- Helvetia program at Collectors Club of New York.

## Helvetia to Sponsor 1970 NOJEX

At its November meeting the Helvetia Society voted to co-sponsor the 1970 NOJEX at Newark, N. J. As a co-sponsor its membership will have the following obligations: to submit as many exhibits as possible, to staff a society lounge, to hold a society meeting and to publicize NOJEX in any society news releases. Successful participation will require active involvement by every member in at least one of these four areas. The society has reported its decision to NOJEX and requested more information as the 1970 plans develop.

## News Briefs

At its November meeting the Helvetia Society voted not to join the American Academy of Philately.

Last month two members painted some more frames to be used at BEPEX in March. They were Frederick Schumacher and Ben Wood.

Jacques and Millicent Simpson of Helvetic Stamp Company, the speakers at our October meeting, are the society's newest members.

At the November meeting Ronald Lowden, Aaron Rosenberg and Harlan Stone showed Swiss official stamps, including perforated cross officials used on covers.



