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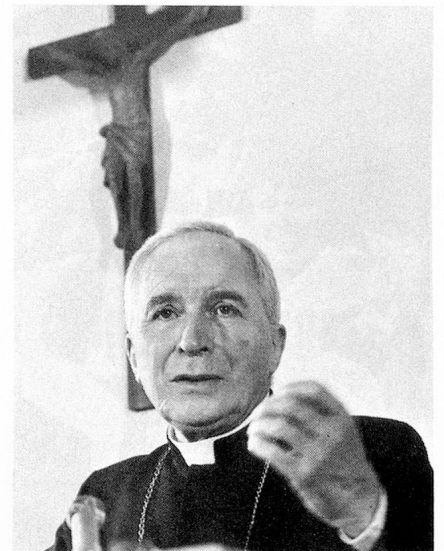
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Looking back on 1976



The new one hundred-franc note, presented by Mr Leo Schürmann, Director of the Swiss National Bank.



Bishop Lefèbvre of Ecône dismissed by a papal decree.



An unusual picture for Switzerland – the recession is responsible for much.



The Gotthard Tunnel is beginning to take shape – the last blasting.



What happens to radio-active atomic waste?



The devastation caused by the drought – the corn does not ripen.



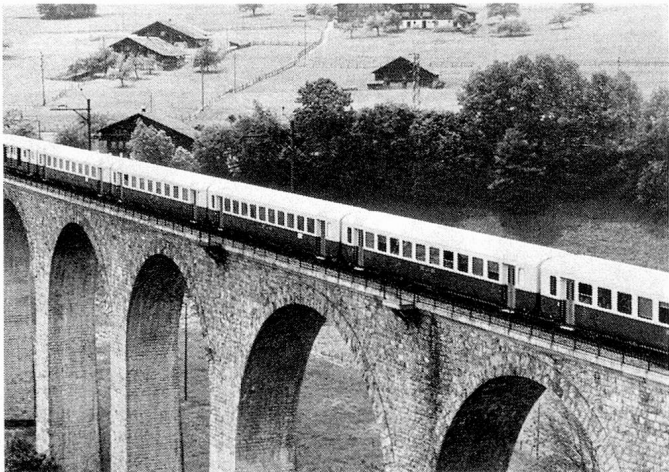
Jean-Louis Jeanmaire, brigadier and spy.



The bearded Heini Hemmi, a gold medal in the giant slalom at Innsbruck ahead of his colleague Ernst Good who got a silver medal.



Christine Stückelberger on Granat winning the gold medal for dressage in Montreal.



620 million have been approved for the construction of a double-line track for the Berne-Lotschberg-Simplon Railway.



1976 was «The Year of the Town of Morat» which celebrated the foundation of the town 800years ago and the 500th anniversary of the famous battle of Morat.



Laying hens are released on the Bundesplatz – a spectacular demonstration against massive egg imports.



The artificial monster «Brunnie» confused more than one person when it suddenly emerged from the Lake of Lucerne. (photos Keystone)