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### Swiss Holiday

A SUMMER TO REMEMBER. By Erna M. Karolyi. Illustrated by the author. 128 pp. New York: Whittlesey House. \$2.

**T**EN-AND-A-HALF-YEAR-OLD Margitka sat in her fourth-grade classroom and drew a big apple on her slate because she was hungry. A minute later she was sent for by the pastor of the little Hungarian village in which she lived and told that it had been arranged for her to spend the summer with a foster family in Switzerland. There would be food and laughter and new clothes almost as Margitka remembered them before the war. From here on the story is the tale of a little girl's release from constant want, from sad sights and memories, and her growing love for her summertime Swiss family. Margitka more than repays her Swiss foster family by helping their little girl in a surprising fashion. A very tender, lovely story for little girls of 8 to 11.

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