

so we got strawberries (two pence a pound) and some sweets, and admired the ruins of three old castles.

Next day we sent our baggage through the Tunnel and ourselves walked over the St. Gotthard Pass (7000 feet). The scene at the top is one of great desolation and there are several small lakes full of floating floes of ice. On this pass a hundred years ago fierce fighting took place between the French and Austrians. Descending on the Swiss side of the pass, we at length came to a wild gorge in which the turbulent waters of the Rhens are crossed by the Teufels brücke (Devil's Bridge) — the scene of another sanguinary conflict. Passing Bospenthal and Andermatt we at length arrived at Goeschenen, got into the train and were carried to the South end of the Lake of Lucerne, from which we had a delightful sail to Weggis at the other end. From Weggis we walked up the Rigi and enjoyed the

panorama from its summit. Then back to Paris, where we stopped another day — spent in rambling through the gardens of the Palace of Versailles, and the noble picture galleries of the Palace. On to Boulogne, across the Channel to Folkestone, and on up to London and dinner. A sixteen days honeymoon as delightful as could be wished, and both of us much invigorated and tanned by our travels, ready to face the future hopefully and to put shoulder to the wheel.

W. W. Griffin.

## THE LADY

parents. At 5-30 the newly-married couple started to spend their honeymoon in the New Forest. The bride went away in a fawn canvas skirt, with a black satin bodice, trimmed with guipure lace and cut steel.

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\* WATSON-GRIFFIN — DINWIDDIE.

On the 4th inst., Miss Annie Hamilton Dinwiddie, daughter of the late Commissary-General Gilbert Hamilton Dinwiddie, was married to Mr. W. Watson-Griffin, M.B., F.R.C.S., late of Christchurch, New Zealand, at the Church of All Souls', Langham Place, by the Rev. the Master of St. Katherine's, and Chaplain to the Queen, assisted by the Rev. John Geare, Rector of Farnham, Essex. The bridesmaids were the Misses Alice and Edith King (cousins of the bride) and Miss Daisy Baker. Mr. George Fletcher Bridge, B.A., late of New Zealand, was the best man. General G. F. Hogg, C.B., gave his cousin away. A reception was afterwards held at the Queen's Hall, Langham Place. The bride's dress was of cream brocade silk, with Honiton lace veil, cream ostrich feathers, and orange-blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of mixed white flowers. The bridesmaids wore biscuit-coloured crepon skirts and sleeves, the bodices being of white silk, trimmed with white lace, shower bouquets of dark red roses, and crescent brooches of pearls (the gifts of the bridegroom). The happy pair left at five o'clock for Folkestone, en route for Switzerland, where the honeymoon will be spent. The bride's travelling dress was of dove-coloured grey cashmere, trimmed with white silk.

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