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—Mr. George Callan is at Oil Springs spending a few days with friends.

—Miss Nellie White, of Courtwright, is the guest of friends in this city.

—Mrs. Darville, of this city, is the guest of Mrs. Robert Haverstock, of Brigidon.

—Mrs. Tracy, Mrs. J. P. Lewis, and Miss Tracy left on Wednesday morning for Chicago.

—Mrs. John Tracy announces the engagement of her daughter, Cora, to Mr. C. E. Morris, of Montana.

—Mr. Ellwood Harris, of King street, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Manness at St. Thomas.

—Letters of administration in the estate of the late O. M. Mabey, of

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—Mrs. Lizzie Rigney, wife of John E. Rigney, storekeeper and postmaster at Develizes, died yesterday. Deceased was 44 years of age, and was highly respected throughout the community.

She is survived by her husband and one son. The funeral will be conducted on Friday afternoon from the family residence at Develizes to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

The regular meeting of the Colborne Street Mission Band was held in the lecture-room. The president, Miss Myrtle Hicks, was in the chair.

The programme was given by the male members. Master Ernest Merkley gave a Bible reading, and Master Willie Davis presided at the piano.

The membership is increasing, there being about 30 now enrolled.

—Mr. Wm. Nicholson, who died at Kimball, Moore Township, on Monday, had been a resident of that section for upwards of 40 years, and for the last twelve years occupied the position of postmaster. He was a native of England, and during the first rush to the gold fields, he went to Australia, remaining there for a considerable period.

Mr. Nicholson was 82 years of age, and he is survived by his wife, three sons and five daughters, all of whom reside in Lambton County. He was the oldest brother of the late Mrs. Allan Goodburne, of East London. The funeral was held yesterday, among those in attendance being a nephew of the deceased, Mr. Wm. Goodburne, of this city.

A THRILLING LECTURE.

Rev. A. J. Bowen, recently delivered his thrilling illustrated lecture in the Egerton Street Baptist Church, entitled "My Life and Adventures in Savage Central Africa." The lecture was a rare treat, and was listened to with great interest by a very appreciative audience. The highlight views were excellent, thanks to the efforts of the Rev. T. B. Clarke, and they added greatly to the interest of the lecture.

Mr. Bowen spent ten years as a missionary amongst the cannibals of Central Africa, and he was in a position to give much interesting information about the people, climate and country. He said that the Congo River was one of the largest in the world. With its tributaries it was 15,000 miles long, and a short distance from its outlet was 15 to 20 miles in width. The people among whom he worked dwelt along its banks, and they were of the negro race, and the tribe, possessing large mental faculties which could easily be developed if the means were available. One of the saddest features of the address was a description of the atrocities being perpetrated by the Belgium traders. The rubber trade is proving a curse, he said, as the human agents of the despicable King Leopold slaughter the people in large numbers. Thus the country is being depopulated, and the people are becoming listless, hopeless and degraded. A common punishment for failure to bring in the required amount of rubber is to cut off the hand, or to beat the victim until he is unconscious, with a twisted whip made of hippopotamus hide. After the lecture Mr. Bowen exhibited a large number of his curios. The lecture throughout was a decided success.

A PRETTY WEDDING

Mr. Joseph Hulbert and Miss Lily Patrick United By Rev. D. S. Hamilton.

A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. Kennedy, No. 133 Wellington street, last evening, when Miss Lily, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patrick, of this city, was married to Mr. Joseph Hulbert, of Ottaway avenue. The bride was attired in a handsome gown of fine white lawn and entered the drawing-room on the arm of her father. She was supported by her sister, Miss Florence Patrick, of Toronto, who was attired in a gown of pale green and white, trimmed with pale green and lace. The wedding March was played by Miss Lottie Bryan.

The groom was supported by his nephew, Mr. Wm. Hulbert, Rev. D. S. Hamilton, pastor of the First Congregational Church, officiated.

After the ceremony a large number of guests sat down to a dainty wedding spread, Miss Matze, Miss Lottie Ker, and Misses J. E. and M. W. Walcott assisting Mrs. Kennedy in the entertainment of the guests.

Congratulations were extended and good wishes expressed in a number of bright speeches, Messrs. Hulbert, Wilson, Kennedy and Hamilton responding to toasts.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Hulbert left on a wedding trip to Toronto and other points east. On their return they will reside at 388 Ottaway avenue. The bride's going-away gown was of navy blue serge, with hat to match.

BOOSTING THE PICNIC

British Lion Lodge to Help in Making Englishmen's Outing a Success.

The British Lion Lodge, Sons of England, held an enthusiastic meeting in the Foresters' Hall, East London, last night, at which plans for the Englishmen's picnic, on June 18, at Port Stanley, were discussed.

Ex-Mayor Essery was in the chair, and delivered an address, in which he urged activity on the part of the members in making the coming picnic the most successful yet held.

It was decided to engage the Seventh Regiment Band for the occasion, and further arrangements will be made at meetings to be held in West London next Wednesday evening, and South London the following week.

George Comper has come back from China with a parasite that will speedily destroy the red scale that has been such a pest in the citrus orchards of California. The discovery of this parasite is of inestimable value to horticulture in that state. No orchard pest in the southern counties has been so persistently bad as the red scale, and no enemy of the fruit growers has cost them more money in the efforts that have been put forth to save the trees and fruit from this blight.

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GIGANTIC TASK AT ST. CLAIR BORE

Eyes of Railway World on Electrifying of the Great Tunnel.

Port Huron, Mich., April 25. — Perhaps one of the undertakings that is exciting the most interest in the railroad and electrical world at the present time is the equipping of the St. Clair tunnel with electric motor power. The tunnel is owned by the St. Clair Tunnel Company, of which the Grand Trunk is the largest stockholder, and is built under the St. Clair River, between Sarnia, Ont., and Port Huron, Mich. It thus forms a commercial link of no small advantage by bringing into direct communication the trunk lines of the east with those of the west.

In 1886 the company was formed to build the tunnel. The excavation consisted of an open cutting on the American side 2,500 feet long, a tunnel 6,000 feet long under the river, and an opening on the Canadian side 3,100 feet long, making the entire excavation 11,600 feet long. This subterranean passageway is level in the center and graded at both ends, the descent averaging 33-100 feet to the rod.

Tunnel Finished in 1890.

The tunnel proper is a continuous iron tube, nineteen feet ten inches inside diameter, put together in sections and firmly bolted. Each ring of lining is eighteen inches long, measured on the line of the tunnel, and is composed of thirteen segments and a key piece. Each segment weighs 1,050 pounds and the entire weight of the cast iron in the lining aggregates 27,000 tons. This enormous thoroughfare was completed with difficulty, but without serious delay or accident in 1890 at a cost of \$2,700,000.

From 800 to 1,000 cars are handled through this hole daily. Four monster engines are employed at present to handle the freight and passenger trains. The engines are in a class by themselves, being the only ones of simple, consolidated, and built with five pairs of driving wheels, these giving great hauling power. Each tunnel engine weighs nearly 200,000 pounds.

Completed This Year.

The contract for the electrification of the tunnel is let to the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company. The work is to be completed by July, 1907.

Overhead wires will be used in place of a third rail, as a third rail imperils the lives of switchmen and others in the yards. Steel towers with concrete foundations, braced with steel rods imbedded in a concrete anchor, and spanned with bridge work, will support the wires and cables. Forty arc lights and innumerable incandescent lights will be distributed at regular intervals through the yards.

Six monster motor engines are now being constructed for the Grand Trunk and these will take the place of the locomotives now in use. Electricity and the motor engine will have the advantage of being a safer and more effective power for transporting trains through the tunnel than the steam power now in use. Coal gas is very dangerous, not only to the lives of the passengers, but also to the lives of the train crews. The engines are fed with hard coal, as no fires can be thrown while in the tube.

Trainmen Lose Lives by Gas.

Several lives have been lost since the completion of the tunnel by trains parting while going up the grade before coming out of the tunnel. Trains were overrunning with gas before help could reach them, and in several instances the rescuers were killed in the attempt to reach the unfortunate ones. With the use of electricity all this will be overcome.

The Grand Trunk is also building a power house and motor hostelry. The power house is being constructed entirely of concrete, three stories high, and covers 11,000 square feet of ground. Within the power house will be placed two turbine engines and a battery of boilers of 2,000 capacity. As the power house is built on the St. Clair River, an intake pipe has been sunk in the river to furnish the immense volume of water that is required by the plant.

The tunnel proper will be cleaned and the interior painted white, and furnished with electric lights to give the passengers a view of the advance situation of being hurled under the river at the rate of 30 miles an hour by the great force, electricity.

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