

GAYNOR PASSES GOOD NIGHT DOCTORS SAY OUTLOOK HOPEFUL

Condition, However, Holds Serious Possibilities and Surgeons Will Today Have a Consultation With a View to Removing the Bullets.

New York, Aug. 10.—A consultation of physicians over Mayor Wm. J. Gaynor, who was shot by a discharged employee of the city yesterday, was held this morning after the ten o'clock bulletin was issued.

The mayor's condition is improving. It is the unanimous opinion of the surgeons that no operation is necessary at this time.

(Sed.) W. J. Arltz, M. D., George E. Brewer, M. D., Charles N. Dowd, M. D., Dr. John Wagner, who visited St. Mary's Hospital this morning, said that he had learned that Mayor Gaynor's temperature during the night was 102, and that at 6 o'clock it was 100 1-5.

New York, Aug. 10.—Mayor Gaynor was resting comfortably at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, and there was no appreciable change in his condition. His physicians hope that an operation may not be necessary. Dr. Parrish, the family physician, is constantly in attendance.

[Associated Press.] New York, Aug. 10.—The following bulletin on the condition of Mayor Wm. J. Gaynor, who was shot and dangerously wounded yesterday, by James J. Gallagher, on the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, was issued at 7:30 o'clock this morning:

"The mayor has rested comfortably since 5 o'clock. He has taken nourishment, and at the present time his condition in the opinion of the attending physicians is satisfactory." (Signed) Ernest J. Lederle.

Encouraging Symptom.

An encouraging symptom displayed by the stricken executive was the development of a pronounced appetite. The nourishment mentioned in the official bulletin was chicken broth, which the mayor took about 7:15 o'clock. The mayor's secretary, Robert Adamson, who was with him at the time, said that the mayor relished greatly the limited quantity of the broth which the doctors allowed him, saying that it tasted fine.

"I am going to have more of that later, because I am hungry," the mayor said to his secretary. The patient had some difficulty in swallowing the broth owing to soreness of the muscles of the deglutition near the point where the bullet entered, but this seemed to interfere little with his enjoyment of the food.

While the mayor's condition is admittedly still very serious and the physicians would not commit themselves on any statement, Secretary Adamson, who remained with the mayor all night, said that he considered the outlook very hopeful. Mr. Adamson, however, was careful to impress the possibility of danger from infection of the wound which will remain until the bullet is removed. There was also the danger, it was indicated, by those who had watched the case closely, that the shot from Gallagher's revolver had passed so close to an artery that hemorrhages might be brought on from an attenuated artery wall. The passage of this, however, Mayor Gaynor has not been afflicted with an attack of hemorrhage.

FLIES ACROSS THE IRISH SEA ACTOR LORRAINE'S GREAT FLIGHT

Sails From Blackpool to a Point On the North Coast of Wales a Distance of Fifty Miles.

[Associated Press Cable.] London, Aug. 10.—Robert Lorraine, the actor, quitted as a star aviator today by making a splendid flight across the Irish Sea, a distance of more than fifty miles, from Blackpool, Eng., to Llandudno on the coast of North Wales.

Lorraine had already attracted some attention by daring exploits in the air and last spring at Pau fell from a height of thirty feet and was painfully out of a hitch.

Injured. In July he attempted a flight from Bournemouth to the Needles and return when he was caught in a storm today by making a splendid flight across the Irish Sea, a distance of more than fifty miles, from Blackpool, Eng., to Llandudno on the coast of North Wales.

POLICE NOW HAVE A REAL CLUE AS TO ESCAPED PRISONERS

It is understood that Sheriff Cameron, through the city police, has been given a clue to the whereabouts of Jack Roberts, who escaped with Joseph Steadman by climbing over a twenty-five-foot wall around the exercise yard at the county jail a week ago.

The message came shortly before noon today, and the sheriff immediately made arrangements to investigate. Stories of Steadman and Roberts being captured by police in outside towns are being received by the authorities almost daily, but thus far only unfending hoboes are being taken in.

ABEL WAS ACQUITTED OF STEALING BICYCLE

Proved That He Purchased Bike in Good Faith From a Boy.

Ethelbert Abel, a young man charged some days ago with the theft of a bicycle belonging to Mr. A. Tillmann, was acquitted this morning when he appeared before Magistrate Love. Abel said that he purchased the bicycle about three weeks ago from a youth whom he only knew by the name of "Jack." He had seen "Jack" a number of times about the streets, and on the night he bought the wheel met him coming out of the Tractor Company's station, and he wanted to buy a wheel, and sold it to him for \$8. He said he was going to Detroit and did not need it any more.

This story was corroborated by W. Carrothers, a friend of Abel's, who was with him at the time the deal took place.

The wheel was changed considerably since it was taken from Mr. Tillmann, and had new pedals, a new saddle and the nickel steel rims had been painted blue. It was, however, positively identified as Mr. Tillmann's wheel.

POWER LINES FOR THE MANUFACTURERS

City's Electrical Department Will Soon Begin Construction.

Power lines for manufacturers will be laid in a short time. This morning Engineer Roberts, Manager Dark and Superintendent Alfred took a walk about the manufacturing part of the city to discover the best routes, and a report will be prepared to be submitted to the water commissioners at as early a date as possible.

"Everything is going ahead splendidly," said Manager Dark. "We have not heard when the Hydro-Electric Commission will start the high tension line to Springbank, but it will probably be within a short time. Our construction work is proceeding rapidly."

CONSPIRACY CHARGE FOR BANK MANAGER

Said to Have Induced Depositors Illegally to Transfer Money.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Lindsay, Aug. 10.—A. B. McGILL, manager of the new branch of the Home Bank here, and formerly manager of the Farmers' Bank in this town, along with J. J. Fleury and J. L. Coulter, also ex-employees of the Farmers' Bank, were committed for trial this morning by the police magistrate on a charge of conspiracy. They are accused of having conspired to induce depositors to withdraw their accounts from the Farmers' Bank and put them in the Home Bank, saying that the Farmers' Bank was not safe. As a result large numbers of deposits were actually withdrawn.

INSPECTOR M'CALLUM SEES BREAKERS AHEAD

Is Afraid That County Will Try to Shift Certain Patients to City.

Two new patients were taken to the Alexandra sanatorium today from the city. This brings the number now in the institution up to 13. It is expected that others will be added in a short time.

Inspector McCallum is of the opinion that the refusal of the County of Middlesex to come into the agreement with the other municipalities in connection with the maintenance of the hospital will not make it any easier for him. "The county ships a large number of its indigents into the city, and we have to take care of them," the inspector stated today. "That is true of Victoria Hospital, and will be more true of the sanatorium. People suffering from the disease will come to the city from whence they came. The County of Middlesex certainly should support their own patients."

Notable Assassinations in the Last 50 Years

Abraham Lincoln, by John Wilkes Booth, April 14, 1865.
Earl Mayo, Governor-General of India, by a convict, Feb. 8, 1885.
James A. Garfield, by Charles J. Guiteau, July 2, 1881.
Carter Harrison, mayor of Chicago, by W. Prendergast, October, 1882.
President Carnot, of France, by Cesare Sante, June 24, 1894.
Empress Elizabeth of Austria, by an anarchist, Sept. 10, 1898.
Humbert, King of Italy, by Bresci, July 30, 1900.
William McKinley, by Czolgosz, Sept. 6, 1901.
Alexander, King of Serbia, and Queen Draga, by conspirators, Feb. 1, 1903.
Sergius, Grand Duke of Russia, Feb. 17, 1905.
King of Portugal, and the Crown Prince, by conspirators, Feb. 1, 1908.
Prince Ito of Japan, by Korean conspirators, Oct. 26, 1909.

FAUGH-A-BALLAGH FOR THE IRISHMEN

All Is Ready for the Big Picnic Which Will Be Held at Port Stanley Tomorrow.

FOUR BANDS ENGAGED

There Will Be Music Galore and Good Time for Everybody—Prices for All.

Everything is in readiness for the big Irishmen's picnic on Thursday. At a meeting of the society held last night in the board of trade rooms, the reports of the different committees were received, and from present indications the affair will be the best ever. There will be four bands at the picnic, the Seventh Regiment, the 26th Regiment, the bugle band and Day's string band.

If that array will not provide plenty of music everybody will be greatly surprised. Chairman John M. Daly, of the music committee, presented a programme that will be hard to duplicate. The Seventh band will go down on the 9:30 train, and will play at St. Thomas, going later to Port Stanley. The 26th Regiment band and the bugle band will leave at 1:20 p. m. on the Pere Marquette.

All members of the society are expected to meet at the corner of Wellington and Dundas at 9 o'clock and march to the station.

The Sports. The different committees reported to the society. Mr. Geo. H. O'Neill continued on Page Four.

HEAVY GALE ON LAKE

Craft Have Great Trouble Reaching Wharf at Kingston. [G. N. W. Dispatch.] Kingston, Aug. 10.—Heavy gales swept the lake last night, but so far no damage is reported. It was a hard work to make Kingston wharves as the southwest was sweeping across the water. When the steamer Toronto reached its berth it had hard work to get out of the wind hugging it hard against the wharf.

MALLEN LEAVES LONDON

Raymond Mallen, the crack rover of last year's intermediate hockey team, has left the city for his home in Prescott, and will not return. A week or so ago he left on his holidays. He expected that he would return, but word was received that he would not be back this year. He will play hockey somewhere in the east, but it is not known where.

This will seriously cripple the hockey team this winter. Both Rodgers and Mallen, two of the mainstays of the forward line, have left, and no first players have come to take their places.

THE WEATHER

Tomorrow—Fair. FORECASTS. Toronto, Aug. 10—8 a. m. Today—Moderate; wind to north-west; clear tonight. Tomorrow—Moderate winds; fine and moderately warm.

TEMPERATURES. Stations. Max. Min. Weather. Victoria. 60. 50. Cloudy. Calgary. 60. 50. Fair. Winnipeg. 60. 50. Clear. Port Arthur. 56. 46. Fair. Parry Sound. 70. 52. Cloudy. Toronto. 74. 50. Fair. Ottawa. 80. 62. Fair. Montreal. 80. 62. Cloudy. Quebec. 72. 58. Cloudy. Father Point. 68. 54. Cloudy.

WEATHER NOTES. The depression mentioned yesterday morning has now reached the Ottawa Valley. It has given rain throughout Ontario, attended by some heavy thunderstorms. A few scattered thunderstorms have also occurred in Alberta. Otherwise the weather in Canada has been everywhere fine. TUESDAY'S WEATHER. Showers and thunderstorms have occurred yesterday in the lake region, but elsewhere the weather was fair and in the west quite warm. Minimum and maximum temperatures: London, 54-61; Prince Rupert, 44-60; Victoria, 50-70; Vancouver, 56-75; Kamloops, 58-81; Edmonton, 48-52; Calgary, 48-50; Banff, 46-54; Winnipeg, 64-70; Moose Jaw, 41-50; Qu'Appelle, 42-54; Regina, 54-70; Parry Sound, 50-70; Toronto, 52-75; Ottawa, 56-80; Montreal, 60-80; Quebec, 66-72; St. John, 58-78; Halifax, 52-74.

TODAY'S PROBS. Maritime Provinces—Fresh easterly to southerly winds; fair at first, then showery by night. Manitoba and Saskatchewan—Fine and decidedly warm today; local showers by Thursday.

JOHN R. MINHINNICK NAMED AS MANAGER OF THE GRAND

Former Chief Accountant of the Carling B. and M. Company and a Well-Known London Boy Will Direct the Affairs of the Popular Playhouse.

Mr. John R. Minhinnick will be the manager of the Grand Opera House.

Some time ago it was announced that Mr. George Moorhead, of New York, a former Londoner, was offered the place, but that gentleman decided to remain in New York. Since then Mr. Minhinnick has been prominently mentioned as the man for the position, and it was announced today that he would take over the house at the opening of the season.

His resignation as chief accountant for the Carling Brewing and Malting Company has been received and accepted.

Mr. Minhinnick will be the first London man to be manager of the new Grand Opera House. This in itself is a tribute to the worth of Mr. Minhinnick.

Close to Mr. Small. For many years he has taken a deep interest in theatricals. He has been confidential agent for Mr. Small for many years, and is in close touch with the business. The friends of the new manager are confident that he will fill the position most satisfactorily. He has many wishers who will take a deep interest in his progress in the theatrical profession.

ASSESSMENT INCREASE WILL BE OVER A MILLION DOLLARS

Three Wards Show a Jump of \$887,000 for the Year—Figures Given Out by Assessment Commissioner Grant.

With three of the four wards completed, the increase in assessment for the city of London for 1911 amounts to \$887,192. When all are completed it will run quite a bit more than a million dollars.

Assessment Commissioner Grant and his staff have just completed ward No. 2, the total increase amounts to \$360,913, the most of which is in increase value of houses and land.

The land in this ward is assessed at \$159,552 more than last year. The total reaches \$2,411,469, as compared with \$2,251,617 last year.

There is an increase in buildings amounting to \$169,160. The assessment for the three wards, No. 4, No. 3 and No. 2, amounts to \$887,192, a good increase. The income tax shows a falling off because of the increase in the exemption for householders from \$1,000 to \$1,200.

\$57 on the previous assessment, an increase of \$329,012.

The business values seem to be growing also. For next year the rate will be struck on an assessment of \$88,138, as compared with \$84,095 last year, an increase of \$3,043.

There is a falling off in income assessments. This year taxes were paid on the sum of \$456,169, but next year the taxes will be paid on \$450,977, a decrease of \$5,192.

"We are well satisfied with the returns," said Assessment Commissioner Grant. "We have had a reserve for some years, and we could increase rather than reduce. The total increase for the three wards, No. 4, No. 3 and No. 2, amounts to \$887,192, a good increase. The income tax shows a falling off because of the increase in the exemption for householders from \$1,000 to \$1,200."

MALICIOUS ATTEMPT WAS MADE TO WRECK AUTO AT LAMBETH

Car Carrying Mr. S. Stevely and Party Crashed Over Obstruction in the Dark—Passengers Escaped But Machine Suffered Damage.

Mrs. Samuel Stevely, Miss Florence Stevely and Mr. Harry E. Buttery, of London, had a narrow escape from a serious accident near Lambeth last evening, and it would appear as if some evil-minded person or persons made a deliberate attempt to wreck automobiles and perhaps kill autoists.

The party were enjoying a run to Lambeth and when nearing the corner at the mill the automobile was slowed down to 8 or 10 miles an hour turning the corner.

Just as they reached the turn Mrs. Stevely spoke to the chauffeur. He turned to answer, and as he did so the machine crashed over a telegraph pole.

A Malicious Deed. The party were almost thrown out of the car by the sudden stop, and the machine stuck fast for the time on the telegraph pole.

They jumped out, and on examination found that a telegraph pole had been placed across the road by some person.

The auto was quite badly wrecked. One of the wheels was considerably smashed and the frame was twisted. "It was a narrow escape," said Mr. Buttery. "We were going quite slowly at the time, or we would have been fortunate to escape as well as we did."

The case has been reported to the police.

SIX MONTHS SENTENCE FOR ALEXANDER M'LEOD

Convicted of Robbing a London Township Farmer Some Days Ago.

Alexander McLeod, who was yesterday convicted before Judge Elliot at the court house of stealing \$25 worth of clothing and other articles from a London Township man, was sentenced this morning to serve a six months' term in the Central Prison.

McLeod acknowledged that he had just finished a term in the prison at Ionia, Mich., in September last for a similar offence. He was born in Scotland, and has resided for a number of years in Canada and the States, and unless the government authorities take the matter up he will not be deported.

He said that he was never naturalized in the States, but that he voted there as his father was a civil war veteran.

Judge Elliot, in sentencing him, warned him that if he ever appears again he will go down for a term of years. The prisoner pleaded that the theft was committed on the impulse of the moment, and that he thought to even up with his employer, who he claimed refused to pay him for work he had done.

BISHOP FALLON ADDRESSES CONVENTION

Annual Gathering of C. M. B. A. Opened Today at Ottawa.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Aug. 10.—The Grand Council of the C. M. B. A. of Canada opened at Ottawa this morning with almost a thousand delegates in attendance from all parts of Canada, and at nine o'clock formed a procession headed by two bands, and marched to the Basilica, where mass was celebrated by Archbishop Gauthier, of Kingston. The English sermon was preached by Bishop Fallon, of London, and the French sermon by Father Albert, of Ottawa. The convention was afterwards formally opened in the Russell Theatre, an address of welcome to Ottawa being made by Controller Hinchey. Reports will be made this afternoon. The convention will continue three days.

FIRE DISCOVERED IN GASOLINE LAUNCH

Occupants Dumped the Boat and Soon Extinguished the Flames.

While Chancey Smith, Jun., and a party of friends were enjoying a ride in their gasoline launch on the Thames on Monday night last, fire was discovered among the cushions and sides of the boat when opposite P. J. Webb's residence.

The craft was in shallow water there, and the boys jumped out and upsetting the boat were able to put the fire out. She was then righted and towed to the dock.

The damage was not serious. The origin of the fire is not known, although it is supposed to have started from a match.

CONSTABLES FINED FOR BLACKMAILING

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Aug. 10.—Francis Walters and Albert Tomley, two C. P. R. constables, arrested a man named H. R. Webb, and accused him of assault and trespass. They said they heard a woman scream, and Webb was near her at the time, so they took him into custody as he was on or near the C. P. R. property. Webb denied the allegation. He declared it was a case of blackmail, and that as he had refused to settle with the constables he was badly beaten up by them and arrested. The magistrate believed him and dismissed the case. Then Webb laid a charge against the constables, who were convicted and fined. Walters \$5 and Tomley \$10 and costs, or thirty days.

NEW WOODSTOCK CONCERN.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Woodstock, Aug. 10.—Yet another industry has been secured for Woodstock by the industrial committee, headed by the Canadian Linderman Machine Company of Muskegon, Michigan, with capital of a hundred and fifty thousand. The company will manufacture boretail glue and jointing machine for making boards out of scraps, etc., which have formerly been burned. This is the third industry secured within two weeks.

LIGHTNING BOLT HIT HOUSE CHIMNEY WAS DEMOLISHED

Inmates of the Home of Mr. George Dowling, 583 Central Avenue, Had a Narrow Escape From Death in the Storm.

The family of C. P. R. Engineer George Dowling, of 583 Central Avenue, had a terrifying experience during the heavy electrical storm that raged over the city at midnight last night.

They were sitting in the house when there was a terrific crash, and a bolt of lightning came down the chimney and went through several of the rooms, tearing things about generally, and scattering things about generally. A large mantle in one room was torn out and hurled across the room. Miss Kerr, a sister of Mrs. Dowling, was in a room upstairs, and the bolt came down the side of the wall and

threw a number of pictures to the floor. It was discovered afterwards that the chimney was shattered, and a big hole torn in the roof. Citizens throughout the neighborhood were startled by the crash.

Felt the Shock. At the home of Mrs. Dunlevy, a few doors away, the effects were felt. Mrs. Dunlevy was just turning out the electric lights, and when the bolt struck she sustained a severe shock from which she has not yet recovered fully. Her arm remained numb for some hours, and she was unable to use it. Electric light wires and telephones throughout the vicinity were burned out.

WATER COMMISSIONERS WILL STAND PAT ON APPOINTMENT

Hydro-Electric Commission Appears To Be Equally as Firm—The Beginning of the Battle.

The water commissioners will, it is understood, stand pat on the appointment of Assistant Engineer McCormick, who was placed in charge of the Horton street plant at a recent meeting of the board.

The hydro-electric commission, if reports are to be relied on, is just as certain that Mr. McCormick will be removed. So there the situation stands.

Neither party will discuss the matter, each waiting for the other to make a definite move. "The appointment is a great mistake," said one of the engineers of the hydro-electric commission. "You do not think for a minute that the commission will allow an inexperienced man to take charge of such a large amount of machinery as will be placed in the Horton street plant? The act passed last session had this in mind

when it was promulgated. The commission is determined that the enterprise will not be prejudiced by bad management. That is the reason it has exercised a supervision over practically every detail of local construction and management. It certainly will not stand for this appointment."

Question of Salaries. On the other hand, the commissioners claim that the city cannot pay big salaries to many men.

"I think the commissioners made a good appointment," said Manager Dark. "In Detroit and other cities where I have been I did not see \$2,000 a year men in charge of their stations. They were paid considerably less than that, and they were not any more experienced in the beginning than Mr. McCormick will be."

Acting Chairman Philip Pocock would not discuss the question.

OFFICERS RE-ELECTED FOR RIFLE ASSOCIATION

Sir John Carling Is Again Named Honorary President.

Last night at their annual meeting the Seventh Regiment Rifle Association re-elected the following officers for another year: Honorary presidents, Sir John Carling, Col. Smith and Col. Little; president, Lieut.-Col. Campbell; vice-president, Lieut. McCrimmon; treasurer, Captain Bentley; secretary, Lieut. Ware. The executive committee includes Captain Murphy, Captain Taylor, Q. M.-Sergeant Insley and Sergeant Butler. After other routine business was gone through it was decided to hold a regimental prize meet on Labor Day at the Cove ranges, the executive committee being entrusted with the preparation of the prize list and a programme of events. After some discussion for and against it was decided that no form of rear apertures was to be allowed at the meet, in order to be fair to those who may not possess them.

SEWER CAVE-IN ON MAIN STREET

A Hole Twenty Feet Square Resulted From the Flood.

The box drain connection from Graham Bros.' store on Richmond street caved in during the night, and an excavation twenty feet square was washed away.

A hole of considerable size was broken in the pavement, and street cars have to go rather gingerly over the spot.

Workmen have been put on the job, and the drain will be repaired at the earliest possible moment. "An old box drain connecting with the main sewer collapsed," said Engineer Wright. "We have had several of them of late, the one on Ridout street being the worst. I had in hand a report to the board of works on these box sewers as a result of my inspection some days ago, and I recommended to the board that these box drains, of which there are many down town, be either plugged up or replaced with tile sewers. They will collapse from time to time, and the cost of replacing them will be greater than if it were done now, and not nearly so dangerous."

THOS. MURRAY ARRESTED

Failed to Pay a Fine Imposed for Non-Support.

Thomas Murray, of Pottersburg, who was given until Saturday last to pay a fine when convicted of non-support, defaulted and was arrested last night and will appear at the next twenty-one days in Castle Car' r. The charge was laid by his wife some time ago, and Murray was allowed time to pay the fine by Squire Chittick.

ARRESTED VAGRANT HE THOUGHT STEADMAN

Woodstock, Aug. 10.—An Ottawa constable brought a man supposed to be Steadman, the escaped convict, into the city today and lodged him in jail. The man is now declared not to be Steadman, but a common vagrant.

POLES ARE IN PLACE FOR SPRINGBANK LINE

High Tension Wires for Pumping Station Will Soon Be Strung.

The poles for the high tension Niagara power line from the Horton street plant to Springbank have been practically all set up.

For some days Manager Dark has had a large force of men at work, and they have made rapid progress. As a result, a few days more work will complete the line.

The cost is well within the estimates, and it is expected that the line complete will cost less than the \$10,000 estimated.

The hydro-electric commission will string the wire, and place the cross arms. The gang who will do this work will be in the city shortly, and they will hurry the work through.

According to local opinion, the local distribution line from end to end will be complete before the power gets to London.

As a matter of fact, it is thought that there will be no power distributed in the city before the end of the year.

MEN DENY STORY OF PENSION FUND

G. T. R. Strikers Say They Are Not Worrying About Loss of Old Pensions.

So far only five of the old passengers men on the G. T. R. are back at work, but some of the men state that inside of 30 days they expect to be all re-instated. The reason they give is that the company made 30-day contracts with a number of the strikers, and as soon as these expire they will be let out, and the old men re-engaged.

"In the meantime we are not worrying," said one man. "We are getting strike pay of \$35 a month, and are having a nice little holiday, too."

Report Denied. A report that the men were going to start a pension fund of their own is denied by officers of the Brotherhood.

"There is nothing in that story," said an officer to The Advertiser this afternoon. "If we get the increase that is scheduled, we will make more in five years than we would get out of the entire pension."

"How about the old men though who will be retired before five years, and who went out?" was asked. "They get benefits from the brotherhood," was the reply. "and it is likely that in most cases if it is really needed, the company will see that the men are looked after."

Officials, however, say that the men, who are entirely merely by going out on strike. GOVT. DOCK FOR WINDSOR Windsor, Aug. 10.—Following a short visit which Wm. Pugsley, Dominion minister of public works paid to Windsor on his way up the lakes, there probably will be a renewal of the agitation for a government dock here. The minister, on looking over the river front, admitted the need of a public dock. Plans prepared by Major Lamb, of London, Government engineer of the western district, will be discussed on the trip up the lakes.