

In as much of Monday as possible on a visit to you. Please, however, do not let anyone know that I am coming as I shall be pretty tired after the Markham picnic and will have to prepare a little for the Kent County meeting on Tuesday and another meeting at Woodstock on Wednesday. I have to be back for meetings of the Cabinet on Thursday and Friday and help to entertain officers of the British Admiralty. On Saturday and Sunday Mr. Larkin will be staying with me and on Monday I speak in Montreal. The same week I speak at Peterboro, Wharfton and Guelph so that with the exception of Monday the 18th, I see very little chance of being able to visit Berrie. However, I shall do my utmost to be with you on that day.

I do hope you will find it possible to be at the Markham picnic. In some respects it will be an historic affair, a really wonderful demonstration. If Harry could manage to get away at all, I believe it would be good business for him to do so, and I think the Bank should view it in that light. There is a possibility of as many as 10,000 people being present if the day is fine. You would be both of course afforded a prominent place on the platform and I would undertake to see that each of you are given an opportunity to speak, if either of you so desire. It would really be a misfortune for you to

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