

Ottawa, August 11, 1924

Mrs. H. M. Lay,
Barrie,
Ontario.

My dear Kinnie:

I was greatly pleased to receive your kind letter a day or two ago. I had meant to phone you when I went up to Sutton to open the Horse Fair on Friday of last week, but my stay there was so short and I was kept so busy throughout the entire time that I missed this opportunity.

I promised Sir William Mulock that I would spend Sunday night with him at his farm. He wrote me some time ago saying that he would like to arrange to have some of the people of the riding in to meet me when I come up for the Markham picnic. I have asked Mr. McGregor to find out whether I could not leave Newmarket on Monday morning the 18th and run up to Barrie for the day and possibly for the night of Monday. I have to speak in Kent County on Tuesday and it may be that to make connections to arrive there in time, I shall have to leave Toronto very early on Tuesday morning, in which event I would probably spend the night on my car at the Union Station, getting

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