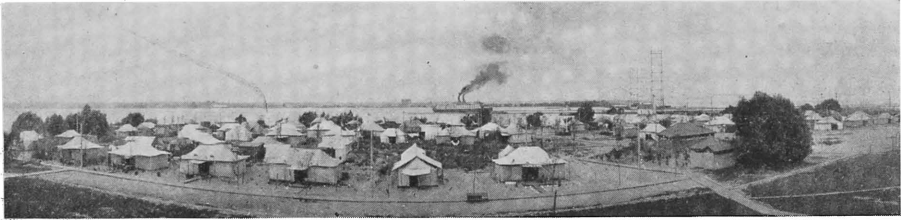


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THE WHYS AND THE WHEREFORES

The people on Ward's Island certainly do appreciate the fact that the Association are responsible for a large proportion of the pleasure and entertainment that is derived during the summer season, and have shown their appreciation by becoming members of the Association. And why not?

Is there any place in America where as much entertainment can be had for so little money? Bathing, tennis, quoits, sailing, bowling, and oh, you baseball! The hundreds of spectators who nightly fill the side lines and cheer the participants is the best evidence of the popularity of indoor baseball as played at Ward's.

Any one of these games is worth the season's membership fee, and the fact that there is no age limit even to those who take part in this sport is another good feature in its favor. Presidents, Past Presidents and Hon. Presidents can be found in the game almost any time.

The membership so far for 1919 is the largest in the history of the Association, but there is no reason why every man, woman and child on the Island should not be a member, and if you see

light in the office go in and sign up, if you have not already done so.

Each year seems to be just a little better than the last, not because of the men you elect to fill the offices, but because each year builds upon the experience of previous years, and so things will go on until summertime perfection will be reached.

The father and son repartee handed out by Chuck to Jack and *vice versa*, helps to liven things up somewhat. Too bad Chuck is too big to spank and put to bed.

The new sidewalk and enlarged space on Fifth Street is a great improvement. My, how they worked. Think of even the President working for one whole afternoon.

The Frank Ward Cup was on exhibition in Ed. Mack's window on Yonge Street for a couple of weeks. It is now in the Casino at Centre Island and later will be shown at Hanlan's Point for a few days. Here's hoping that it will rest at Ward's Island for the Winter, and why not?

BOWLING.

Say, what would you say if your team was 2 up in the 15th end and the vice-skip of the opposing team came along and in a soft smooth way just bumps that old kittle far enough away to send your "2 up" flying?

Now, here's another one. Tom Conlan converted a 2 against him at the end of the 14th to a 3 up in the last end.

Well that's the "fortunes of war" in this game. Of course if you had the marvellous luck of that hoodoo No. 13, one might pull through by using one of Sam McBride's famous fence busters.

Say, people, if you notice a number of baseball players leave the game very suddenly you will know that they are trying to keep that 8.30 date on the bowling green. The time of starting the games has improved considerably this week and the committee are going to chop a few more minutes off that over-time.

During the week of the 21st. the committee will arrange a few games for mixed pairs. Watch for the announcement.

Ladies, don't you want to bowl? If you do, why not give that list to the committee, they will then arrange a schedule. Answer requested.

The record up to and including July 16th is as follows:—

SET A.

Team.	Won.	Lost.
1 Sam McBride	2	3
2 W. Brown	3	1
3 B. Sleeth	2	3
4 W. Gregory	2	1
5 T. Conlan	2	2
Total.....	11	10

SET B.

6 Al. Inglis	2	3
7 D. Wightman	2	2
8 B. Tupper	3	2
9 C. Gowans	2	1
10 W. Hillock	2	2
Total.....	11	10

SET C.

11 N. Mills	1	4
12 A. G. Anderson	1	4
13 E. Ball	2	3
14 R. Greeniaus	4	1
15 W. Dodd	2	2
Total.....	10	14

SET D.

16 J. G. Wilson	4	1
17 F. Christman	3	2
18 H. Pierce	3	2
19 C. Jolly	1	3
20 W. Bowman	3	2
Total.....	14	10

No bowler should miss making a team this year. We still have a few vacancies. Come on in, the Bowling's fine, and bring your bowls.

There are still a few postponed games to be played off. Skips will arrange an early settlement.



WARD'S ISLAND MEN

Know that knowing where to get correct Clothes and Haberdashery is quite as important as knowing it when they see it. That is why they buy their requirements at



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INTER-ISLAND BASEBALL

The first game in the above league was played on July 12th at Ward's when Centre and the home team battled for supremacy, and for the possession of the Frank Ward Cup. The game was a real one. Centre made three runs in the first innings, and they looked like a mountain until the fourth, when Frank Wilkinson cleared the bases with two on and tied the score. Later on he repeated the operation with one on, the final score being 11 to 6 in favor of Ward's. Centre had the best team that has yet visited us, and the veteran pitcher, "Jackson," was in splendid form. Circus catches were pulled off by Jake Holman for Ward's and Co for Centre.

Robertson for Centre and Ballagh for Ward's were the umpires, and they were equally fair in their decisions.

The next game in the series will be played at Hanlan's Point on Saturday morning, July 19th.

'The Ignorance of Some People'

Say, you Tenters of Ward's Island, have you ever had such questions as these asked you by some of your city friends?

"Windows in a tent, why what do you mean?"

"Verandahs around a tent?" She raised her eyebrows an inch too when she said it.

And haven't you had some kind-hearted friend with tender solicitude as to your welfare pass such a remark as:—

"You poor dear! it's a wonder you don't get rheumatism rolling up in a blanket on the ground every night. I am sure I'd never get any sleep. Oh, horrors! Whatever do you do when it rains?"

And someone else is quite sure that that there is no such thing as standing room in a tent. But of course they are people who have never been to Ward's Island, and we'll say they don't know what they are missing.

The Ward's Island Junior Boy's Club would like to challenge any other junior ball team on the Island to a game. Any acceptors? If so, please notify Spencer Clark, President.

Welcome little Miss Staneland, jr., to Ward's Island. We hope you'll have many happy years amongst us. Is it true that that happy dad and mother of yours have decided to call you "Lucile?"

VETERANS v. HOMEBIRDS

"Sam" McBride has again started something by donating a ten-dollar bill for a series of three base ball games between the above players. The first game was played on Wednesday, July 16th, and resulted as follows:—

Islanders.... 5. Veterans.... 3

On the evening of the final game the ladies of the Red Cross and the Executive are arranging for a bumper night, when there will be something doing that will be worth while. Keep your eyes and ears open and watch for further particulars in the next issue of "The Weekly."

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ED. TOLLEY.....	<i>Dancing</i>
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C. JOLLY.....	<i>Junior Sports</i>
E. BALL.....	<i>Quoits</i>
A. KNIGHT.....	<i>Sailing</i>
JACK SWAIN.....	<i>Tennis</i>
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EDITORIAL.

Considerable credit is due to the Master of Juvenile Sports. It is wonderful to hear a crowd of boys make a noise, especially if it is a spontaneous outburst of real enjoyment. The ball games among the younger men are exciting—they are also interesting. They are teaching the boys to be fighters and at the same time lovers of clean sport. Go to it lads and never say die. Keep on trying to win and let each defeat be an incentive to work harder for victory the next time.

It is quite an inspiring sight to see the small girls enjoying their dance on Tuesday evenings. They should have a regular evening. Until such a plan has been adopted, we hope they will have their full allotted time without any interference from the older ones. Many of the young girls are extremely clever and will grow up to be light and graceful on their feet, no matter whether they are the willowy kind or the fat, jolly ones. We congratulate the young-

sters and also their fond mothers. But right here we wish to offer a criticism to the women who pay so much attention to the girls and absolutely neglect the boys. *Why* do not the mothers see to it that these boys are also on the job? Girls should not lead, and above all, when they are learning the art of dancing. The boys should be their partners. Our lads should be taught the merits of stepping to music, which will help them to overcome the natural boyish embarrassment, and at the same time enable them to escape that awkward time in their lives, when their hands and feet have no home. It's up to you, kind parents, to see that the boys enjoy the dances as well as the girls. Every one of them will thank you in later years.

There are times when too much complaining gets us in wrong. Still, we feel that sufficient pressure should be brought to bear on the right parties so that the *Luella* will never take the last trip from Ward's Island on a dance night or on a Sunday. The numbers of people returning to the city on those evenings overcrowd this ancient relic and may sometime prove disastrous. Even if the accident never happens, we do not think our friends and loved ones should be treated thus, while we can only offer prayers for their safety, and worry at the same time.

The editor of this family magazine has been absent for ten days, and the articles contained herein have not been passed upon. In his absence, why, there is no one to blame if the articles do not come up to his usual standard.

The life of a baseball umpire is no joke in a big league, and at times even in our big league it is no bed of roses. In the language of Percival Millar, Esq., "Lay off them," they are doing the best they can.

Islanders!

Do You Know, The Comedies of
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**Are Over Every Night In Ample Time
To Catch The Last Boat**

NEXT WEEK

“A VERY GOOD YOUNG MAN”

Just a summer comedy built for laughing purposes only

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

The cutting off of the Saturday night dance has caused much unfavorable comment. Most of the Islanders place the blame on the committee. This is wrong. The city grants us a permit for each Tuesday evening, other evenings the Pavilion is open for everybody and the city representative has decided that Saturday night charge dances must be stopped. It is very unfortunate, but there you are.

The Tuesday night permit is granted for Ward's Islanders and their friends, and if you have a friend you wish the dancing privilege extended to, you must introduce him at the door. Tickets will not to be sold to everyone who asks for them. By this means strangers are kept out, and the real purpose of the evening secured, viz., a pleasant social time for Islanders and their friends.

The pleasure of the dance is enhanced by the multitude of kiddies who sit around and enjoy the fun after they

have their own half-hour for dancing. But really, youngsters, you will have to make less noise, or new laws will be made. At times their juvenile merri-ment drowns the orchestra.

QUOITING

Enough names have been handed in to make up two sections of Quoitors—A and B classes. The A class comprises all the well-known Quoitors, and we will have to put George in a class by himself, and start him at minus 6—21 points is the game. The drawing resulted as follows in the A class:—

Mills v. McBride,
Bowman v. Hanger,
Inglis v. Brown,
Socket v. Wilson,
Whiteman v. Harding,
Hurst v. Woods,
Carpenter v. Jolly.

Those in B class can see the result of their drawing on the notice board.

CHURCH ITEMS

It is not to be wondered at, that the athletic sports are so successful and so thoroughly enjoyed by everyone on the Island, both young and old, when we consider the manner in which the Sabbath Day is observed. To begin with, every Sunday morning the children and young folks of all denominations meet in a Union Sunday School at 10 o'clock. The attendance is increasing weekly. Last Sunday there were 105 present. At eleven o'clock the preaching service begins with a song service conducted by our Island pastor. There is special music at every service, solos rendered by the best from Toronto and elsewhere. Last Sabbath Mr. Ben Hokea,—who is a resident of the Island, assisted in the service as he often does, with a couple of selections, playing on the guitar and singing. These were very helpful and inspiring. The services are very well attended and enjoyed by everyone.

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Visitors often express themselves in such a manner as to convince the pastor and people that their labors are not in vain in the Lord.

Next Sabbath the soloist is Mrs. Dixon, and so a treat is in store for those who attend. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good, for the Lord has spoken good concerning Israel."

J. W. W.

Two Ward's Island baseball players were together.

"Oh," said one, "my captain formerly always opposed my views, but now he agrees with me in everything."

"How do you account for it?" asked the other.

"Don't know," was the reply. "I'm not sure whether I convince him or only make him tired."

"JEFF" FORD

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Head Over Heels	Oh! Susie Behave

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MEN'S TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The following are names drawn for Men's Tennis Tournament Singles. As there is a big entry of players it will be necessary to limit the time as to when the first round must be completed, which is July 31st, players should find their opponents and play the games at once, the winner handing in the results of score, playing three sets, to the chairman, J. H. Swain, or at W. I. A. office. New tennis balls may be procured at the office of W. I. A. at cost price—two balls, \$1.35.

A list is now being made for ladies. Those interested please enter names on Tournament list at the W. I. A. office or hand to chairman, Mr. J. H. Swain.

The players are as follows:—

Douglas Ward v. Gordon Mills.
 Frank C. Ward v. Blachford Dodds.
 Herman Harding v. Charles Howard.
 H. King v. Geo. Rae.
 Chuck Christman v. G. Gray.
 Chas. Gowan v. F. L. Pogue.
 Alex. Sinclair v. Fred Sturgeon.
 W. A. Tydell v. Thos. Stegman.
 John Cambridge v. Frank Wilkinson.
 Edward Sinclair v. Fred Kirkpatrick.
 Oliver Ball v. W. T. Gregory.
 Russell Wilkinson v. J. H. Harris.
 E. Ball v. W. Wilson.
 J. H. Swain v. Harry Ballagh.
 D. Mortamer v. E. Hurst.
 W. Pierce v. H. Tasker.
 H. Saywell v. J. Rae.

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Bay	St. to Ward's Island.	Ward's Island to Bay St.
6.50 a.m.	3.40	7.05 a.m. 3.55
7.20	*4.20	7.30 4.35
7.50	5.00	8.00 5.15
8.20	*5.40	8.35 5.55
9.00	6.15	9.15 6.25
9.40	7.20	9.55 7.35
10.20	8.00	10.35 8.15
11.40	8.40	11.50 8.55
12.20 p.m.	9.20	12.30 p.m. 9.35
1.00	10.00	1.25 10.10
*1.40	10.30	1.55 10.40
2.20	11.00	2.35 11.10
*3.00		3.15

*The trips marked thus are cancelled in bad weather.

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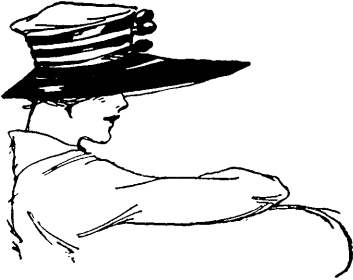
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Store closed this Saturday all day. No delivery Saturday.

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