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HOME AGAIN

If you think it is not one of the greatest pleasures in your life to find yourself back home again after three week's outing—why just try it. There are other places besides Ward's which Divine Providence has blessed with a smile, but no one spot that has received so large a portion of her favors. Such is the conclusion drawn not only from former seasons of real life on the Island, but also upon our return from an auto trip of over two thousand miles. We went through the rich grain territory of Ontario as well as her fruit belt and manufacturing centres; we flew over the rolling fields of New York as well as across the high and rugged mountains of Pennsylvania; we followed the shores of the St. Clair, Detroit and Niagara Rivers—and after admiring some of the most wonderful beauties of nature, we are frank to admit that nothing equalled the sensation of landing at our sandy home.

Our thoughts were directed towards you nearly every time we changed locations. In passing through London we could not help but feel that while our bowling greens were nil, still real friendly enjoyment of the game was mostly

ours. In watching the bathers at Port Huron and elsewhere our minds wandered back to the jolly crowd on the sandy shore at the Eastern Gap. At Detroit we sat and watched a most exciting game of professional baseball, but we had to admit that it was tame compared with one of our own thirty-some run contest. In nearly every city we found them swaying back and forth to the inspiring music, but it only made us long for the Tuesday evening when we could glide through the Shelter in our cool Island garb.

And as we have just said—we were happy to get back where the superficial side of life has been thrown aside and where everyone makes you feel that you are at least human. We found out during this wandering that there is nothing about our big family that we can justly criticize, and that some of our former remarks were wholly out of order. From now on "The King can do no Wrong," and when in conversation with each other or with our friends from across the Bay we will always convey the truth that our Island is a heavenly land inhabited with real beings who form one great big wholesome community.

PROGRAMME OF THE NINTH ANNUAL SPORTS AND REGATTA

The Annual Field Day will be held on August 16th, and Water Sports on August 23rd. There will be a dance in the Shelter on the evening of the 16th, while the presentation of prizes will take place on August 23rd.

Post entries for all events accepted.

Races start at 2 p.m. sharp.

No spiked shoes allowed.

All canoes must be of cruising patterns and must be approved of by the Clerk of the Course.

No competitor allowed to win more than 2 prizes, except that special point prizes will be awarded to the all-round champions in men's and intermediate classes. Prizes must be taken in the order in which they are won.

All contestants must be members of the Ward's Island Association in good standing.

In each event there must be at least three contestants.

LAND SPORTS, AUG. 16th

- 1. 25-yard race, girls under 5 years.
- 2. 25-yard race, boys under 5 years.
- 3. 25-yard race, girls under 7 years.
- 4. 25-yard race, boys under 7 years.5. 50-yard race, girls under 9 years.
- 6. 50-yard race, boys under 9 years.
- 7. 50-yard race, girls under 11 years.
- 8. 50-yard race, boys under 11 years.
- 9. 50-yard race, girls under 13 years. 10. 50-yard race, boys under 13 years.
- 11. 50-yard race, girls under 16 years.
- 12. 75-yard race, boys under 16 years.
- 13. 100-yard race, boys under 18 years.
- 14. 75-yard race, single ladies.
- 15. 75-yard race, married ladies.
- 16. Veterans' race, single men, 100 yards.
- 17. Veterans' race, married men, 100 yards.
 - 18. Boot race, boys under 16 years.
 - 19. 100-yard race, married men.
- 20. 100-yard race, men married 20 years or over.

- 21. Ladies' coat race.
- 22. 100-yard men's three-legged race.
- 23. 100-yard race, single men.
- 24. 50-yard race, married ladies (married 15 years or over).
 - 25. 40-yards, men's wheelbarrow race.
 - 26. Walking race.
 - 27. Balloon race, ladies.
 - 28. Throwing baseball, married men.
 - 29. Thread and needle race.
- 30. Veterans' peanut rolling race, 50 yards.
 - 31. Potato race.
 - 32. Running Broad Jump.
 - 33 Hop, step and jump.
 - 34. Running high jump.
- 35 Tug of War, Veterans (Alex. Sinclair, Capt.) vs. Islanders (Sam Clarke, Capt.). Best two out of three.

AQUATIC SPORTS, AUG. 23rd

- 1. Mixed tandem canoe, single blade.
- 2. Men's single canoe, single blade.
- 3. Veterans' single canoe race.
- 4. Men's double canoe single blade.
- 5. Mixed tandem veteran and lady, single blade.
 - 6. Men's single canoe, double blade.
 - 7. Boys under 15, row boat doubles.
 - 8. Crab race.
 - 9. Gunwale race.
- 10. Swimming race, boys under 18 years, 25 yards.
- 11. Swimming race, girls under 18 years, 50 yards.
 - 12. Swimming race, men, 100 yards.
 - 13. Ladies' swimming race, 50 yards.
- 14. Swimming race, Veterans, 100 vards.
 - 15. Duck race.
 - 16. Tilting contest
 - 17. Tub race, tubs supplied.

Starter, Jas. G. Wilson; Assistant Starter, J. Swain; Judges, Sam. Mc-Bride, E. A. Lye, E. Ball, Art Knight, Bert Adams, C. Jolly, W. T. Gregory; Scorers, A. P. Inglis, Ed. Tolley, E. Howard; Clerk of Course, Fred. Reed; Announcer, J. D. Wood.

BASEBALL NOTES

The games have been, as usual, very interesting, and the best team (on paper) does not always win. In Section 2, the Brownies are making a runaway race, and, as usual, "Bert" has got together a bunch of real players. How does he do

The standing of the clubs, up to and including August 5th, is as follows:

SECTION NO. 1.

W	on	Lost
Otazell	5	2
Tigers	4	3
Iron Dukes	3	4
Dingbats	2	5
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July 21—Iron Dukes 27, Otazell 4. July 24—Tigers 19, Iron Dukes 17. July 28—Otazell 12, Dingbats 11. July 31—Tigers 26, Iron Dukes 10.

section no. 2.

	Won	Lost
Brownies	. 7	1
Elks	. 4	4
Osoeze	. 3	5
Beavers	. 2	6
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July 18—Brownies 9, Osoeze 7. July 22-Elks 14, Osoeze 6. July 25—Elks 14, Beavers 13. July 29—Brownies 11, Osoeze 6. August 1—Elks 14, Beavers 11. August 5-Brownies 13, Beavers 4.

WARD'S AT CENTRE.

The Inter-Island games at Centre on the 2nd of August was well attended. For four innings things looked bad for Ward's when Ab. Henderson opened up a batting rally, and from then on there was nothing to it but Ward's. 11 to 5 was the final score.

The game to-day between the home team and Hanlan's means everything to If the visitors win, the both teams. championship is theirs, if we win it will mean a play off, as the two clubs will be tie. Here's hoping the cup stays at home for its first year at least.

SAILING

The great event of the season for the sailors has come and gone. Our Walter Windeyer was successful in defending the Douglas International Trophy, as we all expected, winning both of the races by a good margin. It was no walk over, however, and both he and Billie Henderson worked hard all around the course. At times the Challenger was ahead, but not at the finish. The Rochester sailors are all good sports, and all say they will be back again—keep them coming boys!

All our boys were after the Birely Cup on Monday, and though not sailing for Ward's our good old sailor, W. G. Reilly, got first place with Windeyer second and Bill Archer in the money at fourth place.

Our open races for dinghies and skiffs is to-day, when all our boys, and the sailors from the other clubs, are out after the splendid cups presented by our President, Mr. Wilson, and our chief patron of sport, Al. Inglis. Blow ye breezes, blow!

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EDITORIAL.

It might be well to keep in mind the three following dates-August 9th, 16th, 23rd-falling on the three coming Saturdays. To-day we have a decisive game of baseball with Hanlan's, the Children's Masquerade, and our Open Regatta; on the sixteenth we have our Land Sports, and on the following Saturday the Water Events. All of these occasions will be full of interest, and as enjoyable as you care to make them. It might be a splendid idea for us to have our own surroundings as attractive as possible so that the ensemble will be impressive. It makes us feel a lot better and creates an impression to our visitors that we have an eye to the artistic as well as to the physical.

Come on, boys—what's the big idea? We must always have a good time, for that is what our season means, and that is why your executive works hard during the winter months. But through it all we must remember that we are gentlemen and that others who come

among us are entitled to civil treatment. We are allowed privileges, but we have no exclusive right to the Shelter or the play grounds, and so when others are enjoying these places let us keep away.

The recent welcome given by the ladies to the returned boys was a happy one—due to the fact that the ladies made all their preparations from a spirit prompted by genuine interest, while the objects of their love were there in person. It is a question who had the better time the boys or the ladies, but there never was a doubt as to its being a fifty-fifty enjoyment. By the time you have read this these same women will have added another star in their Heaven of good work.

"The pastor suggests a curfew bell at 10.30 Saturday so that we can get up and shave in time for church Sunday a.m. Why waste time in sleep at Ward's when we can sleep all winter?

A FEW DONT'S

Don't interfere with the umpires. Some of them are Scotch.

Don't try any stunts on the pier or wharf as a shower-bath or an accident may be the result.

Don't speak above a whisper after the last boat. You don't know how unpopular you can become.

Don't treat any of the youngsters rough. The kids have their say about things on this Island.

Don't try to keep a garden near the ball field. You can't expect anybody to remember such trivial things when there may be three men on bases.

Don't expect too much, from the Association. They're doing their part, but remember they need cooperation.

In fact *Don't* do or say anything out of the ordinary unless you want to see your name in black and white on these pages.

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TENNIS NOTES

The Men's Singles in Tennis have progressed famously, the first round finished with only sixteen players putting in their appearance, and playing off, leaving eight players for the second round. All games that were not played off by July 31st have been cancelled. Players that will continue on in second, third and finals will please play their games off as quickly as possible as Men's Doubles will be started at once. Those who want to play in the Doubles please hand in your names to Chairman of Tennis, Mr. J. H. Swain, or at W.I.A. office. All names that are not in at time schedule is made up will have to be left out on account of the short time we have to play our games in.



The following teams have postponed games to play: 4 and 9, 15 and 19, 3 and 14, 6 and 19, 4 and 10, 1 and 12, 3 and 15, 8 and 17.

The schedule is now nearing completion, and as the teams are all very close together, a very interesting finish is expected.

The date for the play off of the semifinals and finals will be announced in next week's edition.

SET A.

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Team	Won	Lost
1. S. McBride	. 5	4
2. W. Brown		5
3. B. Sleeth		6
4. W. Gregory		4
5. T. Conlan		4
5. 1. Coman	. 0	-7
75 . 1	22	
Total	. 22	23
SET B.		
Team	Won	Lost
6. A. Inglis	. 3	6
7. D. Wightman	. 4	6
8. B. Tupper		4
9. C. Gowans	. 5	3
10. W. Hillock		3
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Total	22	22
SET C.		
Team	Won	Lost
11. N. Mills	. 5	5
11. N. Mills	. 5 . 4	5 5
11. N. Mills	. 5 . 4	5 5 4
11. N. Mills	5 4 6 4	5 5
11. N. Mills	5 4 6 4	5 5 4
11. N. Mills	5 4 6 4	5 5 4 5
11. N. Mills	5 4 6 4 2	5 5 4 5
11. N. Mills	5 4 6 4 2	5 5 4 5 6
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Bay St. to Ward's Island.		Ward's Is Bay	
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	5.20	8.35	5.35
9.00	*5.40	9.15	5.55
9.40	6.15	9.55	6.25
10.20	7.20	10.35	7.35
11.40	8.00	11.50	8.15
12.20 p.m.	8.40	12.30 p.m.	8.55
1.00	9.20	1.25	9.35
*1.40	10.00	1.55	10.10
2.20	10.30	2.35	10.40
*3.00	11.00	3.15	11.10

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