# WARD'S ISLAND WEEKLY



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July 1, 1920

#### -AND HE WROTE A NOTE

To the residents of Ward's Island, Greeting:

This first issue of the "Weekly" for the season of 1920 contains most of the schedules of our summer activities, and we are sure that every resident will agree that it promises much enjoyment.

It is indeed a pleasure to be permitted to assist in guiding the destinies of this real garden of Canada, and though there may be places much more elaborate in their make-up, we have the satisfaction

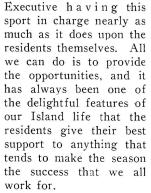
of knowing that no place in Canada affords the opportunity for healthful recreation and enjoyment that we have here.

The various sports are now well under way, the only one so far being neglected being our quoit beds. This is one of the best features we have on the Island, and under the leadership of Mr. Ball and Mr. Sockett, it deserves the hearty support of everyone interested in this sport.

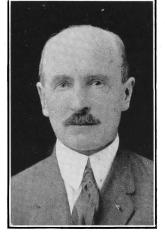
While as an Executive Committee we have no JAS. G. WILSON, Pres. W.I.A.

hope or desire to achieve the impossible and run things to suit every person on the Island, we do feel that the confidence reposed in us by the residents entitles us to their hearty support, and in any case where they do not see eye to eye with us, we are democratic enough to appreciate their kindness in telling it to us, and not to some other party or parties.

The success or failure of any feature of our Island activities does not rest on the shoulders of the member of the



For the freedom from accidents last year we are all devoutly thankful, and it is to be hoped that this year will be no exception.



In conclusion, permit me to suggest that if you have not already enrolled yourself and family as members of our Association, you are missing an opportunity to assist in the work, and every resident should consider it a duty as well as a privilege to be enrolled on our membership list. JAS. G. WILSON.

#### LAWN BOWLING SCHEDULE, SEASON 1920

It was decided that, as last season's arrangement worked out very satisfactory, we again adopt a similar plan and run the schedule off in four groups designated as A, B, C and D, with a captain appointed to look after each group, each group to consist of five teams. Schedule to commence Tuesday, June 29th, 1920.

		1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.
June	29	1-6	2-7	3-8	4-9	5-10	11-16	12-17
July	3	13-18	14-19	15-20	1-7	2-8	3-9	4-10
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	8	2-9	3-10	4-6	5-7	11-18	12-19	13-20
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	15	3-7	4-8	5-9	11-20	12-16	13-17	14-18
	17	15-19	1-11	2-12	3-13	4-14	5-15	6-16
	20	7-17	8-18	9-19	10-20	1-12	2-13	3-14
	22	4-15	5-11	6-17	7-18	8-19	9-20	10-16
	24	1-13	2-14	3-15	4-11	5-12	6-18	7-19
	27	8-20	9-16	10-17	1-14	2-15	3-11	4-12
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	7	3-19	4-20	5-16	6-12	7-13	8-14	9-15
	10	10-11	1-18	2-19	3-20	4-16	5-17	6-13
	12	7-14	8-15	9-11	10-12	1-19	2-20	3-16
	14	4-17	5-18	6-14	7-15	8-11	9-12	10-13
	17	1-20	2-16	3-17	4-18	5-19	6-15	7-11
	19	8-12	9-13	10-14				
		Set	A—Teams	No. 1-5. S	Sam McBri	de. Captaii	1.	
		Set	B—Teams	No. 6-10,	Al. Inglis,	Captain.		

Set II Teams No. 1-9, Sain McBridt, Captain. Set B—Teams No. 6-10, Al. Inglis, Captain. Set C—Teams No. 11-15, Nat Mills, Captain. Set D—Teams No. 16-20, Jas. G. Wilson, Captain.

Winners of Sets A, B, C and D will play semi-finals; winners of semi-finals to play for the championship.

		SET A		
<ol> <li>S. McBride, Skip W. Wilkinson W. A. Poole L. Lloyd J. H. Wright.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>B. Tupper, Skip W. Gregory A. Sheppard Ed. Howard H. E. Haase.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>W. F. Dodd, Skip J. M. Woods</li> <li>H. Tasker</li> <li>H. A. Unger</li> <li>R. Clewlo.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>W. Christman, Sk J. Carter</li> <li>E. Smith</li> <li>J. T. Wilson</li> <li>C. Wood.</li> </ol>	t. 5. A. Saywell, Skip T. Conlan F. Willis F. Hanger G. Tolley.
<ol> <li>N. Mills, Skip</li> <li>E. A. Lye</li> <li>A. J. Saunders</li> <li>G. Lemon</li> <li>S. Randall.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>P. Douglas, Skip W. Sleeth G. Smith J. Wolfe J. B. Tasker.</li> </ol>	SET B 8. E. Ball, Skip F. DeGuerre G. Lemon F. Rowley W. Boyce.	<ol> <li>C. Jolley, Skip</li> <li>B. Sleeth</li> <li>Abell, Sr.</li> <li>G. Dunifield</li> <li>C. Kemp.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>F. Armstrong, Sk. L. Hubbard</li> <li>H. Hughes</li> <li>J. Lawrason</li> <li>E. Tolley.</li> </ol>

<ol> <li>A. Inglis, Skip 12.</li> <li>O. Orr</li> <li>D. Haviland</li> <li>L. McDougall</li> <li>J. Lackey.</li> </ol>	D. Wightman, Sk. 13. C. Pestall C. Hillock E. Harriss B. Wright.	. B. Adams, Skip 14. F. Corin H. Fowler J. Wood F. Staneland.	D. V. Hicks	<ul><li>B. Greeniaus, Skip</li><li>A. Irwin</li><li>J. Jackson</li><li>P. Palmer</li><li>J. Cambridge.</li></ul>
<ol> <li>J. G. Wilson, Skip 17.</li> <li>W. Reilly</li> <li>C. Gowans</li> <li>D. Hamilton</li> <li>Dr. Ward.</li> </ol>	H. Pierce, Skip 18 W. G. Cameron J. Hiłłock A. E. Smith G. Scott.	SET D J. Swain, Skip 19. W. Wright T. Polkington R. Crichton A. Sinclair.	. W. Bowman, Skip 20. A. Fisher J. B. Mill G. Goulding J. Singer.	<ul> <li>E. Hurst, Skip.</li> <li>F. Cutler</li> <li>F. Sturgeon</li> <li>F. Carton</li> <li>V. Allsop.</li> </ul>

As the schedule, etc., has taken up the allotted space in this week's issue, comments re Bowling will appear in our next issue. The following Committee have agreed to act for this season:

B. ADAMS

A. BALL R. GREENIAUS

E. A. LYE, Chairman.

with power to add to their numbers.

#### JUNIOR SPORTS

All Set, Ready to go. W. I. A. Junior Baseball League opens Thursday, July 2. Colts, Cubs, Tigers and Braves constitute the teams. A very successful season is anticipated.

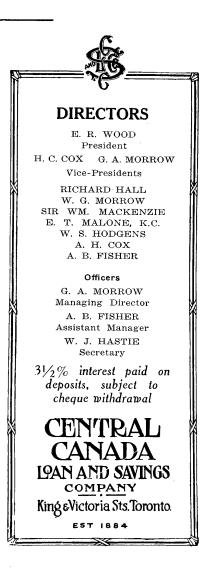
Just think, W. I. J. 18, Hanlan's Point 9.

Dominion Day, July 1st-at 10 a.m.

Boys under 14 years will have their Annual Baseball Game. Mr. A. Gay will supply the needful. Nuff Sed.

SCHEDULE FOR 1920

- July 2nd—Colts vs. Jr. Tigers.
  - " 5th—Braves vs. Cubs.
  - " 6th—Cubs vs. Colts.
  - " 8th-Jr. Tigers vs. Braves.
  - " 9th—Cubs vs. Jr. Tigers.
  - " 12th-Colts vs. Cubs.
  - " 13th-Braves vs. Colts.
  - " 14th-Jr. Tigers vs. Cubs.
  - " 16th-Colts vs. Braves.
  - " 19th-Jr. Tigers vs. Colts.
  - " 21st-Braves vs. Jr. Tigers.
  - " 22nd—Cubs vs. Colts.
  - " 23rd-Colts vs. Jr. Tigers.
  - " 26th-Cubs vs. Braves.
  - " 27th-Ir. Tigers vs. Braves.
  - " 29th-Braves vs. Cubs.
  - " 30th-Colts vs. Cubs.
- Aug. 2nd—Braves vs. Jr. Tigers.
  - " 3rd-Jr. Tigers vs. Colts.
  - " 4th-Cubs vs. Braves.
  - " 5th-Colts vs. Braves.
  - " 6th—Jr. Tigers vs. Cubs.
  - " 9th-Braves vs. Colts.
  - " 10th-Cubs vs. Jr. Tigers.



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#### AIMS AND OBJECTS OF THE ASSOCIATION

- To promote clean, healthy sports for all members.
- To provide recreation and amusements for all members irrespective of age and inclination.

For protection of and to secure such service . as will benefit all members.

To make Ward's Island the most enjoyable summer resort for all members.

#### **EDITORIAL**

We hope this is going to be for Ward Islanders the most enjoyable season they have ever spent on this Island. We should all help to make it so by the attitude we take one to another. We want a fine feeling of neighborliness to prevail. There are things which we can do to assist in making this an enjoyable summer. 'There are also things we can leave undone, which will help to make things run along smoothly.

For instance, we are all vitally interested in the appearance and condition of the Island. Let everyone then be careful and see to it that the grounds around the tents are kept in tidy condition, that broken bottles are raked up and put in the garbage tins for collection so that the children will not come to grief. If you have a lot of rubbish to get rid of and you think that possibly the City will not remove it, dig a big hole in the sand and bury it. It is far better to do so than some dark night deposit it amongst the bushes by the board-walk where it becomes an eyesore to all who pass by.

Do not let us forget that much as the average human being enjoys music there are times when he much more needs sleep. The rule of the Island is that at eleven o'clock all instruments of torture must be extinguished.

We do not want to have this summer marred by any accidents. "Safety First" is a good motto, not only for children but adults also.

As far as the little tots go let us all feel the sense of responsibility for their welfare. If you see somebody else's child practising dangerous stunts or getting beyond its depth in the water a word of caution to the children or a report of the affair to the parents will be well worth while.

#### PARAGRAPHICS

Well, it is mighty nice to be back after that long stretched out winter, during which the price of everything went up while the coal in the cellar declined, and the children had chicken pox, and if the Doctor had known it he would have called it small pox, but after all we have got lots to be thankful for in being alive to return to this delightful spot.

We must admit that when it came to getting a new tent or a fly we received somewhat of a jolt, but worse still when the ladies determined to "keep up with the Jones" it fell to the lot of some to erect palatial verandahs. Since getting the bill for the lumber it looks as though we will have to patch our old bathing suits and make them do another season.

It is said that an optimist sees the doughnut while the pessimist sees the hole in it. We prefer optimists, but must admit that the pessimist sometimes gets away with the goods. For instance, when a few of the islanders, who earn their garden truck by the sweat of their brow, were disturbing the earth in preparation for a season's crop, they were told that they were really levelling off the ground in preparation for tennis courts and quoiting beds, which the city fathers were going to lay. These fellows were pessimists and didn't believe a word of it or perhaps they were optimists and looking at it from their own particular angle we are sure they could see the onions and radishes, etc., sprouting from the ground, which of course they are to-day. It pays to take a chance.

As we previously remarked, everything is terribly high. It is consequently a great pleasure on coming to Ward's this year to find the water low.

Some of the old faces familiar on this island for many years will be missed this year. A few have given up their tent sites and others have made the final trek and crossed the Great Divide.

Ice cream cones still a nickel!

We think the Ward Island girls are growing prettier every year and we feel sure some of them will agree with us.

Have you joined the Association? We mean the Ward's Island Association, which is responsible for the handling of all sports on this Island. Fees are: Gentlemen, \$2.00; Intermediates \$1.00; Ladies 50c; Children, 25c.

There is no organization on this continent that affords so much amusement. entertainment and real value for two hundred cents as a man receives when he joins the W. I. A.

Spiked shoes are not allowed. This seems rather a pity as almost everyone needs them in getting off the ferry boat. It is some climb up the plank.

The dances are on.

It looks as though the children are going to have a good time this year and bless their hearts they are entitled to it.

#### **ENTERTAINMENTS**

July 8-Euchre. July 22-Concert. Aug. 6—Euchre. Aug. 20-Concert.

#### BASEBALL

SECTION NO. 1		
June 10-Dingbats 11, Otaz	el 7.	
" 14—Tigers 9, Iron Du		
" 17—Tigers 18, Dingba	ts 13.	
" 24—Dingbats 30, Iron	Dukes	14.
	Won	Lost
Tigers	. 2.	0
Dingbats	. 2	1
Otazel	. 0	1
Iron Dukes		2
SECTION NO. 2		
June 11-Brownies 21, Osoo	eze 7.	
" 18-Brownies 17, Beav		
" 23-Beavers 17, Elks 1		
" 25-Brownies 16, Elks		
	Won	Lost
Brownies	3	0

Brownies	3	0
Beavers	1	1
Osoeze	0	1
Elks	0	2

#### BASE HITS

"Put on your hat, you're dazzling the batter." Jack Woods says he had his hat on at the time. Biff.

Brownies are well off for managers this season; Chuck, Alex. and Bert.

Say Teddy, when you try to block a runner on 2nd, don't pick on John.

Dingbats lost. Where were you, Herbie?

Hard luck, Alf. Come right back at him.

Captains are not compelled to play 1st base.

How does it look to you. Don't you think George Scott was well Dunn?

#### OUOITS

The Quoit beds are in good condition for practice.

On the 1st we purpose having a Sweepstake doubles. We will pick out the best men we know and put the other names in a hat, and each one of them will draw for Lis partner.

Mr. Sockett and Mr. Ball will referee.

#### INTER-ISLAND BASEBALL LEAGUE

Hon. Pres., Frank Ward; Hon. Pres., W. G. Jackson; President, Al. Ingles; Vice-Pres., Geo. Williams; Secy.-Treas., Fred Reed.

Rules adopted at the General Meeting held at Centre Island

1. A batted ball alighting within the diamond between home-plate and first, or home-plate and third, then rolling into foul territory, to be declared "Foul Ball."

A muffed fly to be judged entirely by the spot the player stands in making the attempt.

2. Infield fly with runners on first and second—batter is out.

3. Runners may attempt one base only for any overthrow into foul territory.

4. Players must be Island residents for at least two weeks prior to any game in which they participate.

5. Pitching box to measure 40'; bases 60'.

6. Batter out if catcher misses third strike providing the bases are full and no more than one out.

7. Foul strike shall be called when batter is hit by batted ball while in box.

8. When runner leaves base too soon he shall be sent back, the ball considered dead and the play reverting back to the same position as before.

SCHEDULE OF GAMES

- July 10th-Hanlan's at Centre.
- July 17th—Centre at Ward's.
- July 24th-Hanlan's at Ward's.
- July 31st-Centre at Hanlan's.
- Aug. 7th-Ward's at Centre.
- Aug. 14th-Ward's at Hanlan's.

#### **TENNIS TOURNAMENT**

Men's Doubles—July 3rd and 10th. Ladies' Doubles—July 24th and 31st. Men's Singles—Aug. 7th and 14th. Ladies' Singles—Aug. 21st and 28th.

Further information will be posted at W. I. A. office at the commencement of each 'Tournament.

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#### SAILING

July 3rd. Toronto Canoe Club—Open. " 17th. 14 ft. Dinghy Club Champ-

- " 17th. 14 ft. Dinghy Club Championship (4th).
- " 24th. Ward's Island—Open.
- 30th, 31st and Aug. 2nd—L.S.S.A. Regatta and International 14 ft. Dinghy Race for James Douglas Trophy.
- Aug. 7th. National Yacht Club-Open
  - " 14th. and 15th.—Emmerson Trophy Race at Rochester for 12 ft. Dinghies (International).
  - " 21st. 14 ft. Dinghy Club Championship (5th.) Final Race
  - " 28th. Queen City Yacht Club-Open.
- Sept. 4th. Harbour Master's Cup Race for 14 ft. Dinghies.
  - " 6th. Darrell Shield for 14 ft. Dinghies.
  - " 11th. John Leckie Trophy for 14 ft. Dinghies.

Three Dinghy races for the Ward's Island Championship "Class A" and "B" have so far been sailed and the standing of the sailors is as follows

CLASS A

Archer 11 points
Reilly 7 "
Irwin 7 "
Knight 2 "
Class B
Rowley 12 points
Warde 9 "
Dodge 3 "
Purchase 2 "
In the race on June 12th for th

In the race on June 12th for the Queen City Yacht Club's Tupper Cup, standing was as follows:

1st Archer. 2nd Irwin.

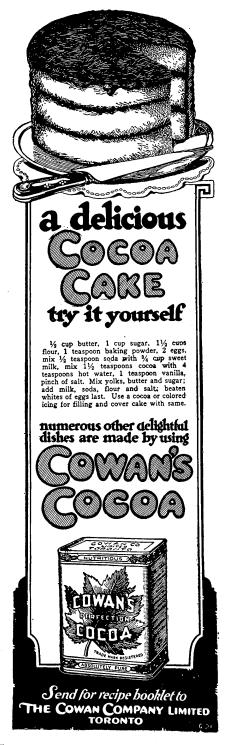
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#### TENNIS

The Tennis Courts are now available for playing on to members of the W.I.A. only. Ladies and Gentlemen.

Will the Ladies play more Tennis this season? The boys would like to play mixed doubles. Come on, girls.

Bert has been giving Bill a few lessons on Tennis; keep it up Bill, a little practice will make you as good as Bert.



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## Important Offerings to Residents of Ward's Island

The fact that we have many representatives on the Island this season makes it possible for us to give every consideration to your orders—guaranteeing absolute satisfaction. One of these representatives will call and take your order. It will be delivered the following day. No noon delivery Saturday.

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