

# Ward's Island Weekly



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## GALA DAYS—HUGE SUCCESS.

July 30 and Aug. 1st Make History.

The Gala days are over, but they will be remembered for many a year. We understand that the financial objective has been reached. Complete returns are not in time for this week's issue of the weekly. They will be published however in our issue of the 13th. No doubt there will be many surprises when the actual figures are published. A lot of fellows may even seriously contemplate entering the amusement field. Bill Sissons is reported to have already secured certain playing rights for a well-known game, at such of our local Fall Fairs as still permit wild and furious forms of amusement.

We hope there is not a spark of truth in this. In fact we do not care to try and get along without "Bill Sisson" or any of the "Bills" "Fats" "Chucks" "Bobs" or "Berts" that go to make up our band of workers.

The Gala event provided loads of fun. It also incurred a tremendous labor. Much of this work of course was planned in advance but a lot of it had to be done as late as Monday morning. The ladies for instance made their pies and cakes then for the Home Cooking Booth. They labored over stoves, in kitchens and in their booths for us.

Just as did The Boys, who rose to the occasion in a wonderful way.

President Bert Adams was mightily gratified at the co-operation, the "pulling together" of everyone to make the event a success.

But we don't want another "public" Gala Day. We need neither the notoriety nor the publicity that follows such events. It was the best possible scheme for us this year, but let us sincerely hope there will not be occasion for another.



Wards Island Eight Years Ago. Note the absence of shade trees.



The big tournament is over. Thanks is due to all participating for an exhibition of good snappy ball. Every game was keenly contested and drew large crowds, excepting the first game on Monday morning. There was a reason — the “Adanacs” with the “Turk” pitching were playing the Ward’s Girls on the north diamond.

McCormack’s southpaw is some twirler and was well supported, allowing only five runs in three games. Eighteen men “struck out” in the game with City Hall. Watch that slow ball next time, boys.

McCormack’s say they can defeat the crack “Livkerts” of Hamilton. Well, boys, what do you say about taking on a game with these “Livkerts” after you win the new series of three games to be played with McCormacks?

Saturday’s game with Hanlan’s Point was the big one. The fate of the “Ward” cup trembled in the balance in the ninth. Clinkett’s single bringing Ernie home brought the Inter Island league to a finish with Wards in possession of the cup for the second year.

Thanks, Bob, you gave us two big days.

JULY 30TH.

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Wards . . . . . 001020001—4

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City Hall . . . . 000010000—1

AUGUST 1st:

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Cable Co. . . . 140000001—6

Wards . . . . . 001000001—2

McCormacks . . 101010010—4

W. J. Gage & Co. 100001000—2

McCormacks . . . 00102000—3

Did you hear that the Elks had a new captain. They, with Captain Clewlo, trimmed the Dingbats on the 2nd. Score 7-6.

## GIRLS’ BASEBALL

Never has the north diamond drawn such a large crowd as was seen on Monday morning when the “Adanacs” of the Canada Cloak Co. came over to show our girls how to play ball. Miss Miller and her team gave a good exhibition.

Heard on the side: “I do believe the “Adanacs” could trim the “Iron Dukes” or the “Brownies.”

Wards girls did better work in the afternoon with the “Gutta Perchas”. Although defeated in both games they played well against great odds.

“Say, Elsie, you gotta throw them over. You won’t get anything from this ump. He must have a quarter up on this game.” Did you, Jim?

Jim says they are real good looking girls when out of that uniform.

Pardon mentioning names, but Wards’ battery, Miss Riddell and Miss Madeline Lye, with Miss Gladys Staughton in left field, played excellent ball. More practice and coaching will surprise our city visitors next time. Watch them.

## ENTERTAINMENT

The Euchre of Friday the 29th, we are glad to say was very well attended. The winners of the prizes were, Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Armstrong, Mr. DeGuerre and Mr. Haviland.

### ADULTS MASQUERADE

On August 12th we hope to have a great success and we want all members to take part. There will be a dance for all those in costume and the usual prizes for the different costumes. Here's hoping for a good time and a big night.

### SAM McBRIDE TAKES CHARGE

Next Sunday's Song Service will be under the direction of Ex-Controller Sam McBride and from information already received the residents of Ward's Island and their friends are in for a good evening. The following ladies and gentlemen have very kindly volunteered to take part in the evening's entertainment. Mrs. Dove Dickson, Mrs. Ralph Douglas, Dr. Donald C. MacGregor (Alderman), Mr. Geo. Counter, Mr. A. C. Chapman, Mr. Wm. Nixon, Ottawa, Ont.

The hymns will be of the most popular kind and well known to the Ward's Island residents.

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## EDITORIAL

### SOME GALA DAY GOSSIP

When Sam went wild, Wallie nearly lost a few fingers. Wallie won't play Judge no more.

Popular "Hank" Breir of the Rochester fellows is not a smoker, but he is one mean bidder at a cigar auction sale. Just as Frank would say 3.26 twice "Hank" would holler 3.30 and

the bidding would open all over again. Poor Frank Staneland, the auctioneer.

Speaking of the Rochester boys we must say that they are a fine lot of fellows. The representatives that came here from the Genesee Dinghy Club could not have been better, cleaner sportsmen. We know they were most agreeable around the house.

Mrs. Inglis was "Ma" Inglis to them all and Al. was Daddy of them all, so Ingliside was the popular rendezvous over the week-end alright.

There should be no more Ball-ing up on close decisions on the Bowling Green. See E. Lye, he has invyested in a book of rules.

## JUDGES HAVE DIFFICULTY DECIDING BEST DECORATIONS

When the Weekly came out last Friday offering 3 prizes for the best decorated residence, it was not thought that much interest could be created for two reasons. The first of course was that everybody was crowded with Gala Day work. The second reason was the short space of time at our disposal in which to prepare and put up the decorations. However, the people did decorate. The Island was aflutter with flags, pennants and Japanese lanterns. In fact the decorating was well done. After long deliberation and discussion the prizes were awarded as follows:

1st, Jas. G. Wilson, silk flag; 2nd, R. Greeniaus, hand-made pottery vase; 3rd, Miss Jefferies, hand-made pottery rose bowl.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Poole and family wish to thank the residents of Ward's Island for the kindly sympathy received by them in their recent bereavement.



## LEAGUE STANDING TO JULY 30TH.

	SET A	Won	Lost
S. McBride	4	5	
L. Hubbard	7	4	
Al. Irwin	8	3	
T. Conlin	6	5	
F. Hanger	7	5	

	SET B	Won	Lost
Al. Inglis	3	9	
W. Brown	2	9	
J. M. Woods	5	5	
N. Hughes	6	4	
W. G. Cameron	3	5	

## SET C

J. G. Wilson	6	3
Wm. Wright	6	4
E. A. Lye	2	7
F. Corin	3	5
D. Haviland	6	4

## SET D

H. R. Adams	6	5
B. Greeniaus	7	4
E. Ball	6	5
N. Mills	5	6
F. De Guerre	7	6

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	Won	Lost
Mrs. Allsop .....	2	4
Mrs. J. B. Mill .....		5
Mrs. Rowley .....	3	4
Mrs. J. M. Woods .....	4	3
Mrs. Staughton .....	6	1
Mrs. Sleeth .....	3	3
Mrs. Tupper .....	4	2
Mrs. Dodd .....	2	4
Mrs. Pocklington .....	1	5
Mrs. Howard .....	4	2
Mrs. Pierce .....	5	2
Miss Christman .....	4	2
Mrs. N. Mills .....	5	1
Mrs. Adams .....	1	5

## *A Mistake in the Bowling Schedule on August 9th.*

Teams 8 and 10 are scheduled twice. Teams 8 and 12 and 10 and 2 originally scheduled on the ninth will be played on the eleventh; and Teams 18 and 4 scheduled for the 13th will be 18 and 2 instead.

Will the ladies who did not play on the 29th get together and play off their August 26th schedule.

Did you see Shorty Haase kiss the Kitty on No. 3 rink when bowling on No. 2? It makes no difference to Shorty, he can kiss them on any old rink.

Wards Island must be a wonderful place. It seems to renew one's youth for men from 40 to 50 years of age are again taking to the spinning of the top.

Jack Randall and Dutch Fisher, the Tom Sawyer and Huck Finn of the Island, have gone away for a couple of weeks. We hope that they find things interesting on their sojourn, and that their ingenuity will see them safely through any difficulties they may encounter.

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Wm. Weir, an International champion lost to Sandy Smith by 31 to 15.

Donald McLeod the lighter certainly pleased the spectators with his "Aw Sandy, Mon Sandy, come up wi' me till a' show ye what ye've done noo."



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Bay St. to Ward's Island.		Ward's Island to Bay Street.	
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7.20	4.20	7.35	4.35
7.50	5.00	8.05	5.15
8.20	5.40	8.35	5.55
9.00	6.15	9.15	6.30
9.40	7.20	9.55	7.35
10.20	8.00	10.35	8.15
11.40	8.40	11.55	8.55
12.20 p.m.	9.20	12.35 p.m.	9.35
1.00	10.00	1.15	10.10
1.40	10.30	1.55	10.40
2.20	11.00	2.35	11.15
3.00		3.15	

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