

# Ward's Island Weekly



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Now that things are well under way and all our activities in full swing we can settle down to enjoy ourselves to the full. The executive are busy on plans for many interesting events during the season. And right here we might say that the success of these plans and the success of your summer depends largely upon your co-operation. There will be calls for volunteers at various times. Make it your ambition to be the best helper around.

## COMING EVENTS

Under this heading let us mention first the standing events of every week. There is a baseball game almost every night just after supper. No better games are seen anywhere. On Wednesday evenings there is usually an exhibition game arranged with some visiting team and then of course there are the Inter-Island games.

Friday night is as a rule reserved for some special entertainment, such as the euchre and bridge last week and the vaudeville last night.

Then there is a dance every Wednesday and Saturday night.

The bowling and tennis goes on daily, as for the former it might be more correct to say nightly, with special events and tournaments to be announced later.

## NEWCOMERS

Just a word about the Ward's Island Association. It exists purely for the benefit of Ward's Island residents. You should be a member.

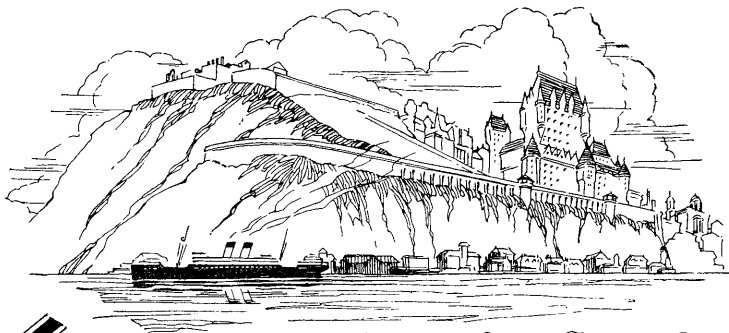
There are no formalities about joining. Just pay your fees to Charlie Blaver any old night at the club house after the ball game. Get your whole family a membership button and boost our Island and your own pleasure here in a practical way. All the amusements that you share by living with us are directed by the Association. So come along. Join up. The fees are, gentlemen \$2.00, ladies 50c. and children under 16 25c.

## WARD'S CHURCH SERVICE

Last Sunday morning the Shelter was well filled. Rev. Mr. Bartlett delivered a splendid sermon. We also had the pleasure of hearing Mrs. Dixon sing which was certainly much appreciated. Now for next Sunday, July 24th, 11 a.m., something you should not miss — the talks by Rev. Mr. Bartlett and Mr. Cameron to the junior boys of our Island and the Sun Fish Camp boys — will be short — as we have a splendid musical program, violin solos by Mr. Winnifield (pupil of Hambourg Conservatory) and selections on the harmonicas by two boy soloists of Sun Fish Camp.

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There are some outstanding annual occurrences for which the dates have already been fixed and for which the plans are already under way.

First and foremost perhaps is our almost world-famous "Gala day." It is not too soon to start and save up for it. The executive guarantee it to be bigger and better than ever. It takes place on Monday, August 1st, all day.

All parents should be busy planning costume for the children's masquerade. It has attained quite a reputation and we are in receipt of letters from many outside points, asking for the date from people who "wouldn't miss it for anything." Well the date is Friday, the 29th of July. Don't forget it. Get busy on the sewing machine.

And that naturally brings us to the Adult Masquerade. It is too well known to require comment. The date has been fixed on Friday, August 12th. Let your imagination run wild.

Keep this in mind. At the end of the season we are to have demonstrations of the work accomplished by the boys and the girls under the direction of our supervisors.

That is all we know about the future just now.

### **Supervisors' Fund**

Already several voluntary contributions have been received for this fund from parents who are grateful for the benefits their children have derived. The same opportunity is open to you. Take advantage of it.

### **Bolton Camp**

Any organization that wishes to prosper must have more than selfish aims. The man who thinks of himself alone gets no where. Those who gather at Sunday evening service have undertaken to raise a subscription for Bolton Camp. It is a fresh air camp, maintained under the

auspices of the Neighborhood Workers' Association for needy women and children residing in Toronto. It consists of 100 acres of beautiful country. Last year 515 women and 2,286 children were given a much needed holiday at this spot. It is carefully managed and those who can pay part or all of their cost, do so. The regulation holiday is twelve days.

A trip to Bolton Camp has brought courage to many an unfortunate mother and taught many a youngster that there are really kind and generous people in the world.

There is no better way for we, who have a good share in the good things of life, to show our appreciation and thankfulness than by helping this enterprise. For this purpose a special collection will be made at the evening service on Sunday, July 31st.

May Ward's Island subscription be one worthy of people enjoying the advantages that we do.

### **Boys' Department**

This work commenced on the 4th of July with a real bang. The enrollment on the first day was 43 and since has increased to 60.

The boys this season have been divided into four groups using the names Red Diamonds, Green Triangles, Blue Squares and White Circles.

**Red Diamonds**—Captain Wallace Sleeth, Sid Heves, Lawrence Bartholomew, Clem Pockington, Rob. Roy, Bruce Vale, Ion Darling, Jack Shiels, Rayburn Heves, Garry Heyes, Arthur Dedman, Bill Pockington, Bob. Cooper, Bill Troughton.

**Blue Squares** — Bud Downes, Buster Hanger, Jack Sanderson, Walter Dunsmore, Grant Pestell, Ross Dunfield, Frank Hillock, Robert Jones, Ross Mortimer, Hugh Mullinøer, Jack Knight, Ralph Sturgeon, Gerald Mohun, Blair Wright.

**Green Triangles**—Fred. Wright, Fred. Clinckett, Bill, Tasker, Reid

Vinnette, "Sonny" McDonald, Ben. Swain, Richard Davis, Bob. Atkins, Allen Bye, Stewart Lyon, Gordon Ludlow, Andrew Carrick, John Soc-kett, Allan Bartholomew.

**White Circles**—Bruce Lackey, Colin Blaver, Howie Dunsmore, Ben. Cooper, Irwin Minchin, John Swain, Herman Kirk, Jack Stewart, Don Cambridge, Evans Davis, John Carrick, Ralph Naylor, Jim. Clayton, Bruce Randall.

A council has been elected by the boys and meets every Monday morning at 9.15 at the club house. This council maps out the programme for the week and settles all disputes under the direction of the supervisor. The members elected are Clem. Pocklington, Fred. Mottram, Wallie Sleeth, Fred. Clinkett, Bud. Downes, Bruce Lackey, Colin Blaver, Rob. Roy, Bill Pocklington, Howie Dunsmore.

In this way the committee hope to teach the boys how to manage their sports and to realize some responsibility.

A Leaders' Corps has also been formed, meeting every week day except Monday at 9.15. for the purpose of directing those with the qualifications and inclinations towards leadership. They will receive special training along the lines of First Aid, physiology, leadership and prayer.

With this organization to help Mr. Davis and his committee are hoping to accomplish a few things this summer among the boys.

A list of the members of the groups will appear later.

The Islanders gave our genial president and his good wife a welcome on their return home from New York where Mr. Randall had been on a business trip; but none was more sincere than the three hearty cheers given by the Junior Boys who in this manner expressed their thanks and appreciation for the treat which our President made possible on opening day, thus showing that he was with

the boys in spirit though not in person.

Mr. N. Mills has expressed in a truly practicable way his keen interest in the work among the boys, by the gift of a target, bow and arrows for the practice of archery, and which our supervisor has been pleased to add to the programme of sports. Mr. Mills has gone further by practically guaranteeing the gift of a cup for competition in archery, of which further particulars will be given in a later issue, but in the meantime we desire to express to Mr. Mills our sincere thanks and to assure him that his thoughtfulness and generous gift have been a source of much encouragement to those interested in the work of our Junior Boys.

The Junior Boys have formed a baseball team, and while this is not under the direct control of our supervisor, it is being operated within the W.I.A. and coached by Messrs. Eddie Tolley and Jim Lackey. Any boy who is a member of our Association, and not over 16 years of age is eligible for membership and Freddie Mottram (Captain) and Wallace Sleeth (Secretary), have selected the following to date; Colin Blaver, Freddie Clinkett, Bud Downes, Howard Dunsmore, Walter Dunsmore, Sid Hayes, Bruce Lackey, Clem. Pocklington, Rob. Roy, Jack Sanderson, Billie Tasker and Harry Wright. The boys have already played and won three games. At Sunfish 12-1, St. John's at Ward's Island 8-3, Sunfish at Ward's Island 6-1. The team present a very smart appearance in their new jerseys, which the boys have purchased out of their own earnings or allowances, and they should have the encouragement and support of everyone on the Island, as they are a clean cut lot of boys, good sports, and playing heady ball

(Ed. Note)—Who wouldn't be a boy on Ward's Island.

It has been rumored around the Island that Walter Dodds was taking a cure for falling hair, because he doesn't wear a hat. We engaged the Sherlocksky detective agency to investigate and they report that upon interviewing Mrs. Dodds she explains that the reason Sir Walter wears no hat is because no lid can be found to fit. Following up this clue it was discovered that his chest measurement had also increased considerably. Just as we were about to call in the family doctor to diagnose this unusual state of affairs we discovered that the only granddaughter in the world is here on a visit. Yes, Mrs. A. L. Stewart, formerly Miss Hazel Dodds, is here from Montreal and with her is Florence Beverly, and she's "some" granddaughter. Grandpa says the Island is the place for the youngster to spend her first summer.

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### The Sunday Services

These are now in full swing and just as interesting and instructive as ever. The proper place for the boys and girls on Sunday mornings is at Sunday school in the Shelter. The Rev. Mr. Bartlett is taking the morning church service and in the evening a sing song and lantern talk under the direction of Mr. Adams. This community church is yours. Support it.

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### BOWLING NOTES

We have been bowling since June 27th and haven't had a full turn out yet. Kindly take notice and try and be with us. Don't forget the nights, Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Everybody try from now on and be with us. Don't forget your fees. They are only \$2.00.

J. MINCHIN,  
Chairman.

### CAN YOU RUN?

If so get in on the Cen. Y.M.C.A.  
Marathon for Ward's Islanders

Camp Cenymca is having a Marathon race which will be held on Gala Day, August 1st. This race will be held in conjunction with the regular Gala Day program, and will be run off at 4 p.m.

The course will be from Ward's Island along the lake shore to Centre Island, through Centre and back to Ward's Island, along the lagoon. The course is approximately three and a half miles.

Mr. R. Reade Davis has donated a beautiful trophy in the form of a cup, which will be presented to the first Islander that finishes, who is a member of the Ward's Island Association. There will also be splendid prizes for the winners.

Outsiders can enter the Marathon and there will be special prizes for them also. We have some very good runners on the list already and can promise you a fine showing of really good ones on Gala Day.

But, Islanders please don't think the outsiders can win the cup, they can't. The cup is for you, an Islanders to win, and if you can run, this cup is worth running for, go and view it for yourselves at the Club House, and give your entry to either Mr. Gordon Alexander at Cenymca, Mr. Newton Vinton at Cenymca, or myself at the Club House. We have the entry forms all ready.

Ward's Island get behind your first Marathon and make it a huge success.

Full particulars from the above named or myself

FRED. G. HICKEN,  
Boys' Supervisor.

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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 services as will benefit all members.  
To make Ward's Island the most enjoyable summer resort for all members.

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## Boys' and Girls' Supervisors

MISS LOIS FAULDS ..... *Girls*  
FRED. HICKEN ..... *Boys*

## EDITORIAL

We have always noticed that every paper contains an editorial. Just why it is necessary, or perhaps we should say customary, we have never been able to discover. This being our first attempt as "editor" of anything, we entertain mixed feelings of fear and trembling, as to the result. Our one aim is to make this weekly of interest to all. To this end we are entirely at your service.

We wish to draw your attention to our advertisements. They make this paper possible. An ad in the weekly will work wonders. Why a well known resident lost his watch recently. He advertised the loss and on the following Saturday afternoon the watch turned up in the pocket of his sports trousers

Don't hesitate, but rather be eager to get into print. Let us know all about everything that goes on. If you know a good one on your neighbour let everybody share the fun. One thing only we ask and that is, hand in your material by Tuesday night of each week.

We hope to conduct an occasional contest for the youngsters and also for the grown ups. We would appreciate suggestions.

We once read that a block of wood containing twelve cubic inches would produce enough pulp for a twelve page daily newspaper. We are informed, however, that it takes a slightly larger block to produce the editorials.

We have only been blessed with the possession of a mere chip, so to make this paper the success it should be we must have your co-operation.

This ought to be enough editorial for one issue. Perhaps if it was headed up "Crazy Words" and set to that well known tune it will sound better. Try it over on your "orthophonic," (Before 11 p.m.)

Our thanks are due to Bruce Randall and Jack Stuart, who have undertaken the delivery of "The Weekly." They are the kind of boys to have around.

This week will long be remembered as "Doughnut Week."

## DANCE NOTES

The dances are being well patronized and Al. King's orchestra are serving up music that pleases everybody. The new floor is an immense improvement and Chairman Ed. Tolley is delighted with it. Remember the big Gala Day dance with every dance a prize one. Even if you are not dancing your ticket may contain the winning number.

## JUNIOR GIRLS

Have any of you been out at 10 o'clock in the morning to see the children salute the flag? If you haven't, do so and I know you will be as impressed as I was. It really is a most impressing sight. Then while you are out just take a walk over to the Shelter and see what the Junior Girls are doing. I make it Friday morning, because that is the day Miss Faulds has set aside for exhibitions. Some of the children have some good work to show and it is encouraging to them if you will, from time to time, go over and see their progress.

Thanks for the support of our efforts in home baking. We are sorry some orders were not filled; unfortunately our supplies and also our feet gave out too soon.

The moving show given by the Junior Girls, was a great success, and thanks go to the Ward's Island Sweeties whose music so charmed us all. We have also to thank Mr. Keith Stapells, of Camp Cenymca, for his able assistance at the piano during the evening.

Our attendance shows lack on the part of the older girls. It seems such a pity that when advantages are offered they are not accepted. Remember girls to play as long as you can, you will be women all too soon, and then there is so little time for recreation. Don't forget that when you stay away your team loses one mark.

Schedule for the week will be found in the club house.

## RULES OF THE COURT

1. **FEES—**  
Men \$2.00, ladies \$1.00, payable before the end of July.
2. **SHOES—**  
Shoes with heels are forbidden.
3. **BLACKBOARD—**  
Sets to be arranged according to names on blackboard.
4. **PLAYERS WAITING—**  
When players are waiting "Short Set Rule" applies on all four courts.  
**The Rule—**First side winning 6 games, completes the set.
5. **LADIES—**  
Mixed or ladies' doubles permitted on Courts Nos. 1 and 4 during tournaments
6. **JUNIORS—**  
Juniors permitted until 5 o'clock only, daily excepting Saturdays and holidays.

7. **PARKS DEPARTMENT—**  
No interference with duties of Parks Department men.
8. **NETS—**  
All nets when put up must be tied at the bottom. Last players on courts, please put away nets.
9. **COURT**  
Four courts must be used without preference.

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# GOOFY GOSSIP

By I WANTA WALLOP

Alex. Sinclair declared himself in the big 'C.N.E. swim by doing the across the bay swim, towing a motorboat. NOTE: Anybody finding one boot for the right foot and a megaphone, kindly notify Mrs. Sinclair.

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Edith and Ab are certainly looking after the baseball to perfection. Ab keeps the boys going and Edith cheers for her Ab.

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Nat. Mills pulled a new one on the gang. He wants them trained in Cupid's art. Good work Nat. Archery is something new, and it will be much appreciated.

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Charlie Blaver, the man of the hour, you might say every minute, the way he holds down that chair in the office, always on the job and taking in the membership fees. Come on folks and help Charlie by joining up. He wants to get the odd night off.

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We miss Geo. Scott and his pipe. But Alex. Carmichael keeps the home fires burning. He never lets the cigar out.

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Vinnie Allsop has been selected as stage manager for our shows. He's the right man in the right place, and will certainly help Fat and Tom put on their shows.

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Mrs. Pocklington and her girls certainly put over "Doughnut Day" in great shape and they were good.

How about a pumpkin pie parade Mrs. Tom? We love pie.

The big bright idea boy is back on the Island. Harry Lynn Hudson just arrived, and how Harry just burns up with ideas, and he will back them up with hard work. Watch him light up that old shelter on show nights.

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It looked like old times to see Bert Wright on the Island last week. But the old right arm was not climatized and the boys took kindly to his offerings.. But the old smile was still there.

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Al Randall says Smile, even if you get beat; its great to be a good loser, anyone can be a good winner.

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The chief and his boys are certainly on the job. On Friday last they placed all the chairs, etc. in the shelter, ready for card night. Thanks. chief, thanks gang, lets go again next Friday.

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A great help to his wife, is Tom Conlon. Sure, he sits on the verandah (his day off) and gets the vegetables ready. Married men please note, particularly Jim Elder and Bill Stewart.

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Are you acquainted with our new editor, Eddie Dillon? He's the original "Mickey" and he won't back up from any one, over the railway tracks, nor on this side. Yep, he wields a wicked pen.—Ed. Note (Applesauce).

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Thursday, July 28th, something new—Amateur Night. Get your act ready.





For the first time in the history of Ward's Island Centre have beaten us twice in succession, 8-3 and 10-1, but we are hoping that next Saturday we will turn the tables and continue until we finally win out.

There seems to be a lack of enthusiasm this year in our Inter-Island games and from now on there will be an Inter-Island team practice every Tuesday and Thursday night. Will the following players please try and be out on these nights: Miller, Clinckett, Cutler, Dodd, Clarke, Clewlo, Forbes, Smith, S. Riddell, Christman, Crowley, C. Hillock, Roach, King, Henderson. Surely out of this combination of stars we can pick a winning combination.

Fat Millar's Otazells are stepping right along now having knocked off Whitecaps and Brownies during the past week.

Stan Riddell's Whitecaps are running in hard luck, owing to their players not turning out. Come on fellows back your captain up as he has given up playing ball in the city so as to help his team out here, and he deserves better support. Other players deserting their teams kindly take notice.

Osoeze are still on top but have had Lady Luck on their side on the last 2 or 3 starts the games being won by 1 run and that after an extra inning.

Art Lynn has a new kind of glue for his hands. This accounts for his sensational catches behind second base.

Sam. Clark can still play first base as good as ever, even after a year's lay off.

Ad. Hillock broke in as a pitcher for Fat the other night and sure pitched a good game.

Extra inning games seem to be in order, as no less than 3 went 11 innings this week.

### Standing

	W.	L.
Osoeze .....	6	0
Brownies .....	3	2
Otazell .....	3	3
Whitecaps .....	1	5

Box score of hits and runs, Wards at Centre, July 16, 1927.

### Centre—

	AB.	H.	R.
Weyms .....	3	0	0
Mathers .....	4	0	0
Sinclair .....	3	0	1
Rose .....	5	1	2
Smith .....	5	3	2
Grant .....	4	2	2
Miller .....	5	3	0
Dimison .....	2	1	1
Bonnell .....	2	0	0
	33	11	10

### Wards—

	AB.	H.	R.
Riddell .....	4	1	1
Christman .....	3	1	0
Smith .....	4	1	0
Clarke .....	4	1	0
King .....	4	0	0
Millar .....	3	0	0
Henderson .....	3	2	0
Roach .....	3	0	0
Cutler .....	3	0	0
	31	6	1

Tom. McClure's Kronks played fine ball last Saturday night. Miss Parker was considered the beauty of the lot, and several fellows tried to make a date with her, but had little success.

That pocket flash sure had dynamite in it.

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### GALA DAY

A meeting of the ladies was held in the club house last Monday to form a committee to take charge of the activities on Gala Day. The President of the Association presided and reports a most enthusiastic meeting. They have two objects in mind, first to make the eats and amusements worth the Islanders' money, and second to beat the men in results. If they succeed in the latter the financial position of the W.I.A. is very bright indeed. At the meeting the following committees were struck with power to add. In each case the first lady named is in charge and will fill out her committee later. Each committee will make their returns as usual direct to our treasurer, Art Gay.

**Ice Cream Booth**—Mrs. Alec. Sinclair.

**Cold Drinks and Homemade Candy**—Mrs. Pocklington.

**Home Cooking, Pickles and Preserves**—Mrs. "Dad" Lowery, Mrs. G. Tolley, E. A. Knight, Ken. Robinson.

**Special Raffles**—Mrs. Clewlo, Miss Christie Clewlo.

**Orchid Tea Room** — Mrs. Will Stuart, Al. Randall, Alec. Carmichael, Sid. Randall, Miss Evelyn Robb.

**Fortune Telling**—Madame Robbinsky, Mademoiselle Huntskevitch.

**Hot Dogs**—Mrs. Cormon, Dedman, Eddie Dillon, Willis, Downes, Fairman.

**Touch and Take Table**—Mrs. Dunsmore, Mrs. Lyons.

**Fish Pond**—Mrs. Allsop, Douglas.

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With these ladies in charge we have doubts as to whether the men, with their games of housey-housey, golf, cocoanut and all the rest of it, will be able to make a better showing.

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An added attraction this year which we are sure will be enjoyed by all will be the Toronto Police Silver Band which will present a programme during the afternoon.

The Executive Committee wish it to be generally known that in the past many of our big hearted business men have donated samples of their products for this day. The President will be glad to hear from anyone wishing to help in this way.

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### ENTERTAINMENT NOTES

#### Euchre

Ladies—1st Mrs. Jack Stewart, 2nd Mrs. Bert Adams.

Men—1st Mr. Jack Mortimer, 2nd Mr. Hunter.

Lone Hands—Art Coleman.

#### Bridge

Ladies—1st Miss Bartholomew, 2nd Miss Murray, 3rd Mrs. Hughes.

Men—1st Mr. Jim. Wilson, 2nd Alex. Sinclair, 3rd Jim. Elder.

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We surely had a bang up crowd for the bridge and euchre, and it will be repeated. It was a pleasure to see the old members mix and see the new members get acquainted

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It's a cinch to put it over when the crowd get in behind and help.

## TENNIS

The 1927 season is well under way and we are very pleased to note several new players among our splendid band of tennis enthusiasts. However, while we welcome such players as "Freddie" Clark and Winfield of "Cenymca," both possessing undoubted ability as tennis exponents, yet we do not wish to overlook the fact that Father Time cannot always rule man's agility with an iron hand, a situation amply demonstrated by two old time Islanders, Frank Willis and "Bill" Stuart. The "boys" evidently believe in the slogan, "better late than never," and that is as it should be in tennis, a game, which it is never too late to learn. It is also very pleasing to see such promising juniors as Adam Hillock, "Freddie" Carter, and Stuart Boddy. These boys bid fair to wrest the laurels from the oldtimers and uphold the honor of Ward's Island in the near future.

Every one will be glad to know that the ever genial "Wes" Hydel will be with us again this year.

The city's delay in completing improvements, not only disappointed us but set back our tournament and somewhat dampened the enthusiasm of earlier players. It is hoped however, that this condition will be offset in the near future, when the work of enclosing the courts will be completed.

It is said that tennis and music have something in common. However true this theory may be, it is a well known fact that Willard Crocker, one of Canada's foremost players, is also an expert pianist. We believe that Ward's Island is a pioneer in this new field of endeavor and offers every opportunity for fostering latent ability along this line, as music is provided daily in the form of splendid radio concerts, thanks to "Jimmie" Underwood. Keep it up Jimmie every one enjoys it.

The tournaments are being run off as expeditiously as possible in order

to allow the introduction of an inter-island series and perhaps a ladder if time permits. We do not intend to forego the exhibitions given us by some of Toronto's leading players, and trust that every one will co-operate by playing their matches as soon after posting as possible.

It is very gratifying to note that the singles tournament, although only posted one week at the time of writing is all through the first round except four sets and some of the second. Keep up the good work in the doubles.

There has not been any notable upset as yet, but Mr. Reade Davis and "Barney" Taylor have given a fine display of tennis in their undecided match of 28 games.

The ladies' singles provided two outstanding sets, Eileen Riddell winning from "Susie" Hunt 8-6 and Emily Mottram besting Christie Clewlo 7-5, after Christie had the match 5-2 and set point. Tough luck for Christie but good work for Emily.

There are several new ladies players on the Island among whom is Mrs. J. Murray who promises to give considerable opposition to the regulars. It is the committee's desire when any of these ladies arrive on the courts that our girls offer them a welcome hand and make them feel at home.

Your committee has been extremely fortunate in securing the services of Mr. "Lin." Clarke. "Lin." has been with us for several seasons and you will all agree that he has undoubted ability.

Let every one work for the good of the game, each for all and all for each.

GORD. ANDERSON.

### TWO BIG ATTRACTIONS THIS WEEK :

THURSDAY, JULY 28—AMATEUR NIGHT

FRIDAY, JULY 29—CHILDREN'S MASQUERADE



## Bounding in for a Summer of Fun

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