

RUBE DENEAU MAY NOT MANAGE LONDON'S 1914 CANADIAN LEAGUE TEAM

Disagreement With Directors Said To Have Resulted in London Club Making Negotiations With Cleveland Club For Manager Named Hamilton—Both Parties Have Little To Say About the Matter.

[BY JINX.]

According to information given out this morning, "Rube" Deneau may not manage London's 1914 Canadian League team. Rube arrived in London last evening for the purpose of taking the matter up with the local directors, and at noon today it was announced that owing to a disagreement over terms, he would not accept the position.

LONDON A FARM FOR NAPS.

For the past three weeks the London club has been negotiating with the Cleveland American League club with a view to making London a farm for the Naps. The Cleveland club offered to give London a new manager and some ball players on optional agreements, providing the London club was made into a farm. The deal has not yet been put through, but it is pending. It is said the new manager will likely be a player named Hamilton, who managed one of the New England League teams this past season. He is being turned over to the local club by Cleveland.

RUBE IS RETICENT.

Manager Deneau had little to say about the matter. He admitted that there was a difference between the local management and himself, but would not give any details about it. He says the trouble will be settled shortly, and that he will either be a free agent or be signed up again for next season as manager.

The directors were also reticent about the matter. They admit the negotiations with Cleveland, but will not say much about it. When the question of the trouble with Deneau is broached, they are absolutely mum.

DENEAU IS POPULAR HERE.

London fans will regret the departure of Rube Deneau, if it comes to that. Manager Deneau provided London with a real ball club, and made more money for the local directors than they ever dreamed of getting out of the franchise. He proved himself a real manager in handling his team, and he was always the gentleman on and off the field. He has been one of the most successful managers in the Canadian League, and the best London ever had. The local club will make a big mistake in letting him get away, and it is to be hoped that the differences that have arisen between them will soon be straightened out.

WHEN DETROIT WAS IN THE MINORS.

To the Sporting Editor of The Advertiser.

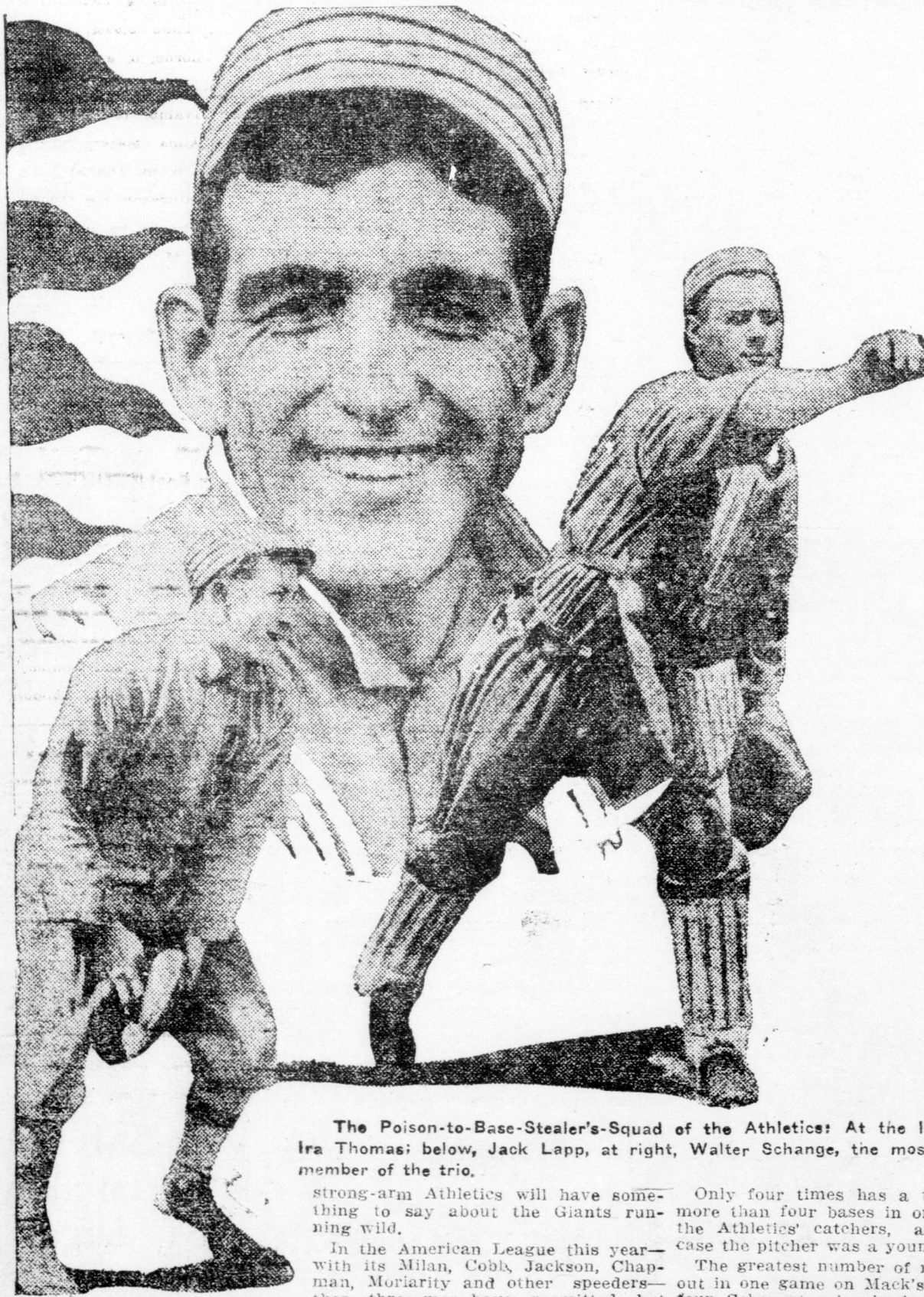
Dear Sir—Kindly answer in your valuable columns whether Detroit ever had a team in an international league, if so, when, and what other teams composed the league. By answering the above you will settle a dispute and confer a great favor. Yours truly,

A FAN.
Detroit had a team in the International League of 1889. His league was

organized in 1888, but Detroit did not enter it until the following year. This league continued in 1889 and 1890, with the following clubs: Detroit, London, Toronto, Hamilton, Syracuse, Rochester, Buffalo, Detroit had replaced Albany and Troy, who were in it the first year. In July of 1890, this league broke up.

She—Do you know Mr. Borelgh, the author? He—No, but I have a nodding acquaintance with his works.—Boston Transcript.

Mack's Catchers Death to Stealers; Have Allowed 1.24 Larcenies a Game



The Poison-to-Base-Stealer's-Squad of the Athletics: At the left above, Ira Thomas; below, Jack Lapp, at right, Walter Schang, the most brilliant member of the trio.

Pretty soon the supporters of the rival world's series teams—Giants and Athletics—will begin to tell why their favorites will win, and one of the arguments will be that the Giants will win because they are the fastest team on earth on the bases.

Remembering the fact that no short series has ever been won by base running, however good, the above trio of

strong-arm Athletics will have something to say about the Giants running wild.

In the American League this year—with its Milan, Cobb, Jackson, Chapman, Moriarity and other speedsters—these three men have permitted but 1.24 larcenies per game, which is scarcely enough to win a ball game. Schang, most brilliant young performer in Mack's estimation that ever donned wind pad and mask, permitted but 0.83 thefts per game; Thomas, 1.15, and Lapp, 1.19.

In 68 games 81 bases were stolen on earth on the bases.

Lapp, in 61 games Schang let 57 men get away; in 20 games 23 larcenies were committed on Thomas.

PRESIDENT Ray Lawson, of the Manufacturers' Hockey League, who was re-elected at last night's meeting



RAINSTORM ENDS SEASON AT BOSTON

Brooklyn and Boston National League Clubs Pack Up Grips and Steal Away.

[Canadian Press.]
Boston, Oct. 4.—A northeast rainstorm ran down the curtain for the season on major league baseball in this city today. The two games scheduled between Brooklyn and Boston of the National League were cancelled, and the players packed their bags and bats for 1914.

HARD ON THE REPORTER.

There is a well-known businessman in a certain town, who, though somewhat advanced in years, insists on superintending personally every bit of his business. He is more than a little hard on hearing—though he will not acknowledge it—and he is kindly but brusque.

The other day a situation developed in this gentleman's office which was of more or less public interest. One of the evening papers immediately despatched a representative to get a statement from him. The reporter chosen was a young man, and not so self-assertive as he might be. Having gained admission to the presence, the young man said:

"I am a reporter from the Evening Star, and I—"

"That's too bad, I can't help you out. We advertised for a porter yesterday, but we filled the place this morning. Besides, I think you are too young and under-developed for the job. Try the building across the street—I understand they need an office boy there. Good morning!"

Joe Jackson Slips Into Third Position

Official Batting Averages Show That the Cleveland Star Has Slipped Back in His Hitting—Henriksen Is Second.

[Canadian Press.]
Chicago, Oct. 4.—Joe Jackson dropped to third place among American League batters this week. Cobb still leads, but the Cleveland slugger must have found the pace too swift for Olaf Henriksen, of Boston, back in the game once more, crowded into second place, close on the heels of the Detroit man. The unofficial averages are: Cobb, .351; Henriksen, .335; Jackson, .307. Speaker, of Boston, is in fourth place with .304. The rest of the men hitting .300 or better are: Collins, Philadelphia, .249; Baker, Philadelphia, .232; Gilheoley, New York, .237; Lajoie, Cleveland, .235; Melvin, Philadelphia, .231.

ERNIE GILL, who was again elected secretary-treasurer of the Manufacturers' Hockey League last evening.



RUBE DENEAU SEES SOME EXCITEMENT

Just Landed in Town When Shooting Occurred and Fire Brigade Rushed Out.

Manager Rube Deneau, of the London baseball team, is a visitor in London today. Rube came up last night from Windsor to interview the local management in regard to baseball matters. He intends leaving tonight.

Rube had little to say about baseball. He says he will have a strong team next season, and with the addition of a couple of players he thinks he can cop the pennant. His pitching staff will be intact, and with Heck, Beebe, Bolt and Steiger to start the season he believes that London will get an early lead.

"My arrival in London seems to have stirred things up," said Rube this morning. "I just landed from the train, when a shooting occurred around the corner from the station, and I had only gone a block up the street when the fire brigade rushed out. This town is getting more like New York every day."

CHARGES AGAINST WILLARD DROPPED

No Evidence To Warrant a Prosecution on Charge of Murder in Fatal Bout With Young.

[Canadian Press.]
Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 4.—The prosecution of Joseph Willard and others on the charges of murder resulting from the fatal John Young-Willard bout at Vernon will be dropped. Information charging them with prize-fighting was filed yesterday in the superior court by W. J. Ford, assistant district attorney.

Ford, who will prosecute the cases, said the murder charge was not backed by sufficient evidence of a legal precedent to warrant a prosecution. Promoters of the Vernon boxing cards are busy preparing for another match here on Oct. 14.

HORRIBLE COMBAT.

All was silence for a moment. Then a loud, shrill shriek rent the startled air. There was the sound of a heavy body falling, a crashing of timbers, a noise as of sinful spirits wailing in despair. A chair crumpled dismally, and then parted with a dull, metallic snap. Staggering backward, he fell against the washstand. The jug and basin fell in a confused mass of broken crockery upon the floor, while the water flooded the room.

Again he advanced to the attack, and the black-browed monster bent slightly forward and cast him full length upon the floor. Blood gushed from the wounds, but he leaped forward again. With set teeth he grappled with the demon.

His garments were torn in a hundred places.

One eye was black and blue.

The other was blue and black.

But still he kept up the fearful combat.

At length, when nearly exhausted, with his life blood slowly oozing from a thousand wounds, and his breath coming in short, painful gasps, he won.

The dead monster lay wide open before him.

"There," he said as he wiped the drops of perspiration from his brow, "there it's a cold day when I can't open a folding bed."

A TURKISH "BULL."

In an article in the American Outlook on Turkish story-telling is the following specimen: "One night Narg Eddi Bodri thought he saw a burglar in his room, and shot at him. In the morning he found that he had sent an arrow through his own shirt, which hung in the window, pulling on his knees, he prayed fervently: 'I think three Allah, that I was not in that shirt!'"

Candell, Washington, .320; D. Murphy, Philadelphia, .315; Lellvelt, Cleveland, .314; Crawford, Detroit, .314; Bauman, Detroit, .303; Stovall, St. Louis, .293. Milan, Washington, and Moeller, Washington are still one-two among the base-stealers, the former with 68 and the latter with 53.

Walter Johnson tops the pitchers in games won and lost. The first five rank: Johnson, Washington, .357; Walsh, Chicago, .357; Houch, Philadelphia, .357; Wood, Boston, .357; Bender, Philadelphia, .357.

FIELD SPORTS AT INGERSOLL WERE MOST SUCCESSFUL

Collegiate Team De'cated Tillsonbug in a Very Fast Ball Game.

TUG-OF-WAR FOR GIRLS

Basketball Game Resulted in a Big Victory For the Blues.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ingersoll, Oct. 4.—Keen interest was manifested in the annual Collegiate sports held yesterday. The program was begun at the park at 10 o'clock in the morning, and was concluded at the Collegiate grounds in the afternoon. The usual rivalry existed among the students.

The attendance of pupils, ex-pupils and citizens was large. In the morning Ingersoll Collegiate defeated Tillsonburg High School at baseball by a score of 11 to 2.

The Winners.

The winners:
Crest events—
75-yard dash—Dora Thomas, Agnes Scoffin, Blanche Wills.
Throwing ball—Vivian Bodwell, Helen Neff, Florence Hutchison.

Three-legged race—Helen Neff and Mildred Heene, Bruce Currie and Blanche Wills, Dora Thomas and Ruth Vann.

Apple race—Florence Hutchison, Ruth Vann, Ruth Currie.
Hindfold race—Charles Beattie and Florence Hutchison, Edith Richardson and Hazel Kirwin, J. Richardson and Eleanor McKay.

Tug-of-war—This event was won by the upstairs girls.

The basketball game between the Blues and the Reds was won by the Blues by a score of 10 to 0.

The Boys' Games.

Boys' games—
Half-mile race, jun.—Healy, Waters, Halpin.
Mile race, sen.—Kirwin, Daniels, Richardson.

Running, hop, step and jump, jun.—Fleischer, Healey, McCarty.
Running, hop, step and jump, sen.—Ellis, Grieve, Houghton.

100-yard dash, jun.—Elliott, Fleischer, Healy.
100 yards, sen.—Ellis, Grieve, Houghton.
200 yards, jun.—Elliott, Fleischer, Healy.

200 yards, sen.—Ellis, Grieve, Bell.
Half-mile bicycle race, jun.—Dixon, McIntyre, Richardson.
One mile bicycle race, sen.—Houghton, Kirwin, Sutherland.

Standing broad jump, jun.—Fleischer, Healy, Elliott.
Standing broad jump, sen.—Elliott, Houghton, Grieve.

Putting shot, jun.—Ellis, Morrison, Healy.
Putting shot, sen.—Grieve, Houghton, Clear.

Boat race, jun.—Richardson, Sutherland, Healy.
Slow bicycle race—Sutherland, McIntyre.
Running broad jump, jun.—Elliott, Healy, Fleischer.

Running broad jump, sen.—Ellis, Grieve, Bell.
Running high jump, sen.—McCarty, Fleischer, Richardson.
Four-legged race—Fleischer, McCarty and Healy; Waters, McCarty and Spence.

Pole vault, jun.—Healy, Fleischer, Elliott and McCarty, He.
Hurdle race, jun.—McCarty, Elliott, Healy.
Hurdle race, sen.—Grieve, Beattie, Ellis.

Ex-students' event—
Running high jump—K. Williamson, J. Harris, tie for second place; Hicks third.

FALL FAIRS

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Caledonia Oct. 8, 9
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Delaware Oct. 8, 9
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Pudgerson Oct. 8, 9
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Lion's Head Oct. 8, 9
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Mount Brydges Oct. 23
Munsey Oct. 7, 8
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Ridgetown Oct. 7, 8
Rodney Oct. 6, 7
Simcoe Oct. 14-16
Tesswater Oct. 7, 8
Waterford Oct. 7
Watford Oct. 7
Windham Centre Oct. 7

"I was not always thus," said a seedy-looking agitator. "When I first opened my eyes in this dishonest world, my family circumstances were far better than are mine. Time was when I sought no luxury but I obtained it. When I was accustomed to pass this very spot in my own carriage, and my mother—bless her—"

"Used to push it," bawled an unsympathetic member of the audience who knew the speaker in other days.

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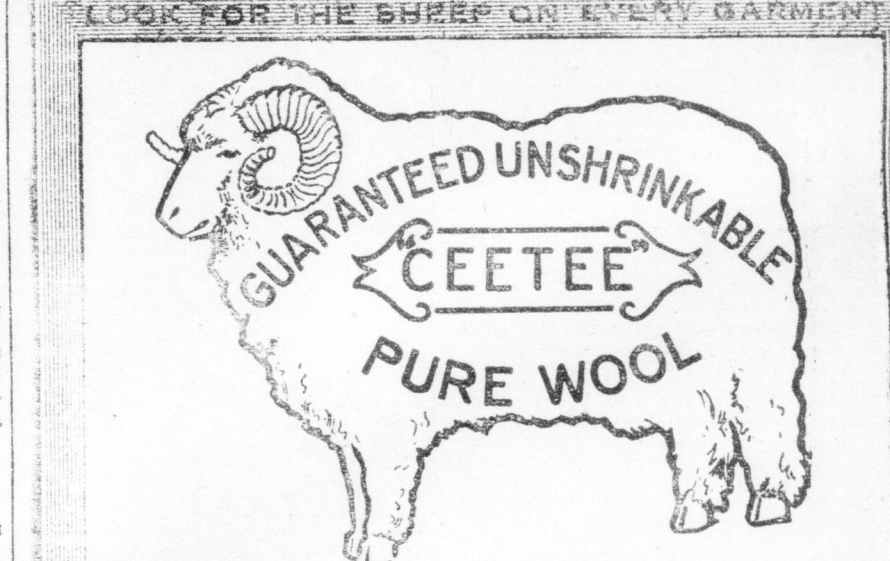
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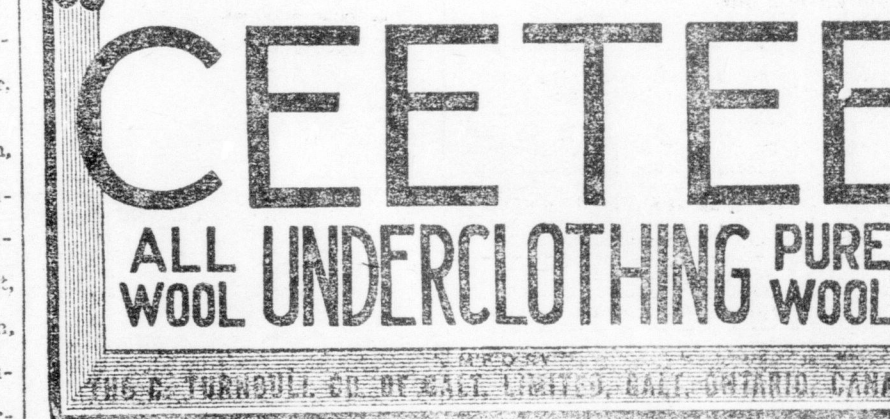
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