

Napoleon Lajoie and Hans Wagner Two Of The Greatest Known Ball Players, Passing Out Of The Game

(By Hugh S. Fullerton.)

This year of 1914 is epochal in baseball. Forget the wars and rumors of war, the scandals, the loss of interest and still the year will stand out in baseball history.

It marks the passing of two of the greatest players the game has ever known.

This in all probability will be the last year of Hans Wagner and of Lajoie. The two great veterans are worn out and ready to retire from active service.

They were persuaded to remain to help the team they had served so long and so loyally. From Wagner's standpoint the decision to remain with the Pittsburgh club was a blunder.

He was persuaded against his own will and he remained when he rather would have retired.

He is a proud German, this quiet, big honest fellow, who for nearly twenty years has been an idol. His ambition was to retire at the height of his fame.

He knew he was slowing up, that he no longer had the speed and the dash that made him the greatest perhaps of them all.

He was going to retire, to quit, to get out after him, it hurt him. He worked desperately, forced himself into condition and from the middle of August to the end of the year he was the greatest shortstop in the

world, both in defence and attack. The crowd did not figure the cost to him.

Last winter Wagner made a resolution. He would be in perfect condition when the season started and he would show them. I was with him at Hot Springs when he reported for duty this spring.

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FIFTY AND FIFTY IS ALL SHAG GOT

Chase Lost First Game for Sox While Big Nick Came Back for a Win.

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Canadian Boys Make Good Baseball Players Everywhere

While the bulk of the players in the Canadian Baseball League are Americans there are many Canadian boys making good in the leagues across the continent.

SOME GLEANINGS FROM THE CIRCUIT

CHAMPS HAVE BIG WEEK AT LONDON AND ERIE

Ottawa Journal: The champs have some heavy sledding in front next week. After they finish the St. Thomas series the Senators hit the road for the real test of the season.

On Monday the champs play a four game series in London, winding up with a double header on Wednesday.

BASEBALL'S RAREST PEEK

Twice this season one of the rarest possible freaks of baseball has happened: a box score where one team, using only nine men, made exactly one hit, no more, no less, for each and every member of the nine.

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ARMIES LINED UP

PARIS, Aug. 20.—An official communication received here from Brussels says: "The Germans have gained ground on both banks of the River Meuse and are in contact with the armies of the allies."

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Transfer of St Thomas Games May Give London Advantage

Reising Outfit Would Then Have More Home Games Than Ottawa Has In Ottawa—Five Games in the Series.

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GALT AND GUELPH WIN WOOLLY GAMES

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Stratford 21 21 500
Guelph 16 21 432

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Hamilton Herald: Rube Deneau professes no love for London. Still he jumps into Ottawa and helps the London cause by taking a fall out of the Senators just when Shaughnessy is becoming most dangerous.

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