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Dalton Fuller Named to Baseball Hall of Fame

Baseball fans out West will be pleased to note the recognition given an old-timer last summer, when a graduate of the Kansas School was honored in his home town. Newspaper accounts were as follows:

Dalton (Dummy) Fuller's name is among the nine baseball veterans of Kansas, who have been nominated by the Kansas Old Time Baseball Players Association for the annual Kansas Baseball Hall of Fame selection, which will be a feature of the annual Kansas state semi-pro tournament again this year. Fans attending the first game of the tourney will select three men from the nine named on ballots that will be presented at the gate to the park.

Fuller, who has made his home in Wichita for many years, started his professional career with the Joplin Miners in the old Missouri Valley league at the age of 17 years, where he performed as a catcher and infielder before coming to Wichita to settle down as one of the most brilliant semi-pro infielders in the history of the city. Although handicapped by the inability to hear or speak, there was never a time when the "Dummy" failed to catch a signal or come up with the correct play, in games that were hotly contested over a period of many years on local diamonds.