

Fred "Cy" Dawson (Kansas City 1913)

Fred Dawson

Position: Outfielder
Bats: Unknown • Throws: Unknown
Full Name: Fred Dawson
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Teams Played For

Year	Age	Tm	Lg	Lev	Aff	Stint	From	To
1907	--	McKeesport Tubers	Pennsylvania-Ohio-Maryland League	D				
1908	--	Clarksburg Drummers	Pennsylvania-West Virginia League	D				
1909	--	Clarksburg Bees	Pennsylvania-West Virginia League	D				
1910	--	Canton Deubers	Ohio-Pennsylvania League	C				
1911	--	Canton Deubers	Ohio-Pennsylvania League	C				
1912	--	Canton Statesmen	Central League	B				
1913	--	Canton Senators	Interstate League	B				

Chadwick ID: 9224c9bd

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1913	--	Saginaw Ducks	Southern Michigan League	D				
1913	--	Covington Blue Sox/Kansas City Packers	Federal League	Ind			1913-07-19	1913-09-04
1914	--	New Britain Sinks	Eastern Association	B				

Chadwick ID: 18627455

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In the first game Kansas City scored one in the fourth on three hits. The visitors added three more in the seventh on three hits, an error and a hit batsman. Two more were added in the eighth on four hits, including a triple and double. To make the game sure they added two more runs in the ninth inning on four hits. Dawson, the new center fielder obtained from the Canton team of the defunct Inter-State League, shared honors with Emery at bat. In the field Dawson made several great catches. In the first game Begley was hit in the stomach by a pitched ball and knocked out. In the second game Porroy opposed Henning. Both pitchers heaved good ball, but the breaks were against the Kansas City hurler. The scores:

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ginia University.
Cy Dawson, who is playing good ball for Fairmont, will go to the Albany New York State League club next spring. Capt. Willig, of the Fairmont team, may return to the Southern league next season.

The Fairmont West Virginian

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A young infielder from Pittsburg has been in the city for the past few days and partook of practice with the team yesterday afternoon. He was taken to Wilsonburg to-day, and will likely be used in the game. It was the original intention to use three pitchers, one on first, one in the outfield and the other in the box. This was necessary because Cy Dawson departed last night for Sioux City and the team has no regular first-sacker. However, Buck Jackson is with the First Regiment band in camp at Park.

Dawson

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Year	Age	Tm	Lg	Lev	Aff	Stint	From	To
1905	--	Sioux City Packers	Western League	A				
1905	--	Colorado Springs Millionaires/Pueblo Indians	Western League	A				

Chadwick ID: 3cf227af

Fred Dawson, a left handed outfielder, who has been on the reserve list of Pittsburg, will arrive today and will play left field in place of Pulsifer. This player has shown himself a valuable man and will be a happy acquisition to the Packers. Pittsburg merely lets Carney have him for the balance of the season. He formerly played with Knabe and Lobert.

Fred Dawson, who played with the Packers for a month and was then released, is still in Sioux City. He is a fine bricklayer and the day he was released he went to work with hammer and trowel on one of the large buildings. He says he likes Sioux City and is going to stay here while there is work at his trade.

"Cy" Dawson, Left Fielder, Will Star for Canton Team

"Cy" Dawson, Canton's left fielder, will be one of the classy men of the O. & P. league according to report. Speed and heavy hitting are said to be qualifications of his.

He has what is known as "baseball brains," Manager Drumm considers him one of the headiest ball players he ever met, and looks to him to have a great season on the Canton team among so many classy players.

"Cy" Dawson has been playing ball since 1902, when he was in the Cumberland Valley league. He went west from there and coming east joined the McKeesport team in the P. O. M. league in 1907. In 1908 he was with Drumm at Clarksburg, and was there the following year until the team disbanded. Then he went with Drumm to Alliance.

Dawson is a left-handed batter is noted for his run-getting properties. Every season he ranks with the best of them in crossing the plate with the counters and he knows the whole alphabet of the game. His kid brother Johnny, he is fast on the bases, and can field with agility.

He is of the type of player that sacrifices personal averages for the sake of the team's good every year. He is not a showy player, and does not play to the grand stand. But every move counts. He is a hard worker and has the best of habits.

He is 27 years old, weighs 155 lbs, is 5 feet and 7 inches in height. His home is in Clarksburg, W. Va. He plays ball because he needs the money.

John Dawson

Position: Outfielder

Bats: Unknown • Throws: Unknown

Full Name: John A. Dawson

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1909	--	Clarksburg Bees	Pennsylvania-West Virginia League	D				
1910	--	Canton Deubers	Ohio-Pennsylvania League	C				
1911	--	Canton Deubers	Ohio-Pennsylvania League	C				
1913	--	Erie Sailors	Interstate League	B				
1914	--	Erie Yankees	Canadian League	B				

Chadwick ID: 810366b6

Kid brother Johnny...

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<p>season.</p> <p>The most promising material for the outer garden is "Bizz" Dawson, who is a brother of John and "Cy" Dawson, who are well known to local baseball fans, and as "Bizz" promises to be better than either of his brothers and has already played on several of the fastest independent and semi-professional teams in this section of the state. He will be a tower of strength to the outfield. Other outfield candidates are "Shorty" Garret who played left field on the team last year, and Drummond who was a sub outfielder last season.</p> <p>Has No Good Pitchers</p>	<p>DAWSON GOES TO CANADA</p> <p>MORGANTOWN, April 17. — Paul ("Biz") Dawson of Clarksburg, former star center fielder for West Virginia, left here today for Blantford, Canada. He has signed to play with the Blantford team of the Canadian League this season. Dawson had a try-out by the Cincinnati Nationals last spring, but was later given his unconditional release.</p>

Another kid brother Paul "Biz" Dawson, went on to be inducted into the West Virginia Hall of Fame

WILLIAM FREDERICK DAWSON

BIRTH OCT 7 1883/4 • Harrison County, West Virginia, USA

DEATH FEB 4 1962 • Pittsburgh, Allegheny, Pennsylvania, USA

Family

Parents



**CALVIN ORVILLE/ORVAL
DAWSON**
1862–1950



PANSY BYRL DAWSON
1889–1978



ROSE VIRGINIA BATTEN
1864–1927



**CLAUDE OCAMOND
DAWSON**
1893–1983

[Siblings](#) ^



JOHN ADOLPH DAWSON
1886–1977



PAUL BATTEN DAWSON
1896–1980



ORVILL DAWSON
1887–



ROSE DAWSON
1905–1920



TIRZAH BELLE DAWSON
1888–1973



MOLLIE GERTRUDE KAISER
1884–1920

Spouse and children

Fred with brothers John and Paul