

The Kansas City Monarchs will play their last game Sunday, May 2, at Association Park before leaving for the opening of their league games at St. Louis, May 9th.

The club has been a little slow in rounding into shape on account of the bad weather, but Manager Mendez says that with a little hot weather his men will be up there battling for every game. So far the club has been playing with several of the regulars out of the line-up. Bare, the Cuban outfielder, so far has failed to report. Blukoi, the reliable second sacker, who the fans all remember with the All-Nation Club, has been delayed on account of sickness in his family, but wired Mendez that he would be here in time to leave with the club. Rogan, one of the regular pitchers, is expected to arrive every day.

When Blukoi arrives to fill in at sec-

ond base we will have a wonderful infield. With Rodriggues behind the bat the club has a wonderful catcher; on first base Big Blue Washington, a new man from Los Angeles, Mendez says he has a find, a hard hitter and a player with lots of pep. Mendez on short needs no boost, as he is known as a great player; on third Portuonda, the little Cuban, is without doubt the class of the league. The outfield is McNair, one of the best in the business; in center will be Bare, the Cuban; right field is yet to be decided on, depending on who shows best among several recruits. In the box Kansas City has a great looking pitching staff. With John Donaldson and Sam Crawford, two of the best in the country, and Rogan, the best pitcher in the regular army, the Monarchs have a staff that will win many a game. Rube Currie, a home boy, is making a great impression and should easily make the team. Charley Light-

ner and Cunningham, two more recruits, are showing great form and with a little experience will make good, and both will likely be carried until Mendez has a chance to give them a thorough trial.

The game Sunday promises to be a great battle, as the Wilson Club has the pick of the city of star ball players, and has secured Roy Sanders, the big league hold-out, to pitch for them.

Sanders is considered one of the best in the game today and if the Monarchs beat him they will turn a trick that Rube Foster's club and the Blues failed to do last season.

With Donaldson or Crawford pitching Sunday, the fans are sure of seeing a great pitchers' battle.

BASE BALL

SUNDAY, MAY, 2ND.

ASSOCIATION PARK—TWO GAMES.

K. C. MONARCHS

vs.

WILSON PACKERS

Winners of Packers League.

ROY SANDERS, big league hold out wil pitch for Wilsons
DONALDSON or **CRAWFORD**, for Monarchs.

First game called 1:30 p. m.

Bleachers 30c, tax paid.

Grand Stand 60c, tax paid.

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