

**RUBE FOSTER INVADES KEN-
TUCKY—WILL ESTABLISH THE
MOHAWKS IN LOUISVILLE—
THE PREMIER'S BASEBALL—
METHODS TO BE INTRODUCED—
QUEENSBERRY CODE.**

(By Billy Lewis.)

At the head of the American League, threatens to buy every captain of the team. Long since he has been called as the premier New York of the country, and his name for a similar distinction is not froth, either. The best aggregation of talent is to be found in the games scheduled for tonight. Rube, himself, stands and pitches to the crowd invariably in spite of his advanced baseball age. He is in the years.

He has been getting slow on the position for the past few years, or the other clubs know that Rube Foster knows that money will be a good baseball patronage goes. And money means there will be a splendid example of the manager's pockets. The A. B. C.'s, of which management appears to be handicapped by

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of the best teams
With this splendid
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the town. Mr.

the Mohawk Glants, and jointly with Louisville, will erect a stand of team he has thought that this will be the selection of the teams. After this the supervision of all visit Louisville purpose.

Indianapolis and developed baseball in the future, when these cities will be to take form. Mr. associated with him manager of the

SOME TIGERS DOWN IN LOUISIANA.

The N. O. Base Ball Club Met Some of Them; It Ate the Most of Them.

Sporting Editor The Freeman:

The New Orleans Colored Baseball Club is just back from a pleasant road trip. They visited New Iberia on the 19th of June, met and defeated the Tigers of that town, 5 to 3; moved on to Opelousas, met some more Tigers and beat them, 21 to 9. We then went to Alexandria. Well, I must say that the only thing that isn't great there is their Tigers, for everything else is O. K. We played them nine games, winning five, losing two and one tied. Then we moved on to Shreveport, the nation

we moved on to Shreveport, the metropolis of this part of the State, and lost two, which is always the best thing to do in this town. (Less said the better for the sport.) We then went to the home of the Governor of the State, where we had a nice time and won one and lost one. We then packed our grips and came home to meet Green's Nebraska Indians on the 19th and 20th of July. On the 19th we went ten innings to a tie, 1 to 1. On the 20th we beat them, 4 to 1. We will meet the Beaneaters at National Park on the 26th and 27th. Hoping you will give this space in your paper, I remain,

F. POLAMBO.

BIRMINGHAM ATHLETIC CLUB.

By E. S. Smith.

We have organized a baseball team in Birmingham, Ala., known as the Bham Athletic club. We have already played our first games with Tuscaloosa clubs, July 14 and 15, and defeated them both times. The first game was won by the superiority of our leading pitcher, John Goodgame. The daily attendance at these games was eight hundred, which was very encouraging. We would like to hear from any team that comes within the reach of Bham. We have also built a new park, known as the Delta View park. It is complete in every detail. We thank you for any kind favor shown toward our organized baseball team.

A. B. C.'s TOY WITH THE CINCINNATI FELLOWS.

The A. B. C.'s had an easy time with the Virginians of Cincinnati last Sunday at Northwestern Park, defeating the Ohioans, 13 to 1. James was battered hard by Bowser's club. B. Taylor led with the stick, four blows being his share. The base running of Moore featured. Score:

A. B. C.'s.	AB	H	O	A	E
Moore, lf -----	3	3	2	1	0
J. Taylor, 3b -----	5	2	2	0	1
B. Taylor, 1b -----	5	1	12	0	1
Hutchison, ss -----	4	1	1	6	0
Powell, 2b -----	4	1	0	2	0
Scotland, cf -----	3	1	2	0	1
Cobb, c -----	2	0	6	0	0
Williams, rf -----	4	0	2	1	0
Burch, p -----	3	1	0	2	0
S. Taylor, p -----	1	0	0	1	0
Totals -----	33	13	27	13	3
Cincinnati.	AB	H	O	A	E
Baker, 3b -----	3	1	0	2	1
Wick, 2b -----	3	0	0	2	1
Tasse, 1b -----	4	1	8	0	0
Runk, ss -----	4	0	1	3	1
Arch, cf -----	4	1	2	0	1
Curly, rf -----	3	1	4	0	0
Watson, c -----	4	1	6	1	0
Starr, lf -----	2	1	2	0	0
James, p -----	2	0	1	0	0
Gillespie, p -----	1	0	0	1	0
Totals -----	30	6	24	9	4

Two-base hits—Powell, Moore. Three-base hits—J. Taylor, B. Taylor 2, Scotland. Home run—J. Taylor. Sacrifice hits—Hutchinson, Scotland, Cobb 2, Starr. Stolen bases—Moore 4, Cobb, Curley, Starr, Tasse. Double plays—Hutchinson to B. Taylor; Williams to B. Taylor. Hit by pitched ball—By Burch, Baker. Passed ball—Watson. Struck out—By Burch, 3; by J. Taylor, 2; by James, 3; by Gillespie, 3. Bases on balls—Off Burch, 1; off J. Taylor, 1; off James, 2.

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Whiteley Stone Walls—J. Boyd, Sec-
retary, 715 S. Walnut St., Muncie, Ind.

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