

Tennessee Rats Play Armours Saturday and Sunday at Rourke Park

The Armours, successors to the Brandeis club in semi-professional circles, will play in Rourke park this season while the Omaha club is on the road and will endeavor to show the fans some good base ball.

The club is a reorganization of the old Armour club of amateur fame, which has delighted so many fans in the past eight years and possesses all the elements of fight and pepper of the old organization, and with the new blood fused into it, has been made into a formidable aggregation.

The club is to be managed by Otto Williams, a player of national reputation, who played with the Chicago Cubs in Frank Chance's palmy days when that club was world's champion. He played second base while Chance, Tinker and Steinfeldt made up that great infield. Later he played with various clubs in the National and American leagues and American association.

Manager Williams is well pleased with the team and is drilling them hard, down at Rourke park every day. The team will make its initial bow before the public at Rourke park next Saturday and Sunday, when they clash with Brown's Tennessee Rats, one of the most famous colored clubs of the west. This club is strictly a professional road team and is made up from the very best colored talent in the country.

This is the club that won 45 straight games in 1917. The Rats are accompanied by their own jazz band, and much amusement is sure to be on tap throughout the series of games. Popular prices at the gate will prevail, and if the weather forecaster will try to treat us kindly and dish out more favorable weather, there will be much joy in the Gate City.

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