

K. C. MONARCHS ARE NOW WITH US

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The baseball fans of the Windy City are right on edge for the coming battles that will be staged Saturday and Sunday at Schorling Park with the K. C. Monarchs and American Giants as the battlers.



The K. C.'s come with vengeance and confidence written all over their grimaged features, so the two days go between these two monsters of the diamond promises to be the feature affair of the whole

baseball season. Never in the history of the national sport have two race teams locked horns with such a small amount of space separating them in

the way of advantage as to the class of goods packed by each. True, the Foster crowd has hooked a heavier load of games on the right side of the ledger, but their ability to tote such an advantage, and at the same time hold aloft from the company of their compatriots, has undergone a severe test here of late, and the outcome of the recent awakening has fastened a hold upon the ears of the fan-public weilding an effect which has ninety per cent of the admirers of the local scrappers astride the top-most rail of the fence. There is no way out, it must be acknowledged, the Monarchs are formidable, they are natural fighters, and they battle on foreign soil with about the same ferocious demeanor that they assume upon the home sod. As to just what the Westerners can and will do to the peerless dark hopes of south State Street is a matter of conjecture, for with their stonewall defense and their proven ability to carry damaging fighting to all comers, the Foster crew must be reckoned with; so, unless the signs fail us, the thousands according to advance seat sales, who will be out with their rooting lungs, will have something to yelp over; the leadership of the new circuit being

at stake, Saturday, as well as Sunday, will undoubtedly go down in history as days on which the most stubborn battles ever fought in any baseball league were staged.

CUBANS NIP RUBE'S WINNING STREAK

After winning 3-0 at Gary, Ind. Saturday, the American Giants looked good enough for another long string of conquests; but to the great disappointment of many of the Giants admirers the Cubans found themselves last Sunday flashing that class of pastime that, in the past, has caused them to be the most talked of, the most admired, and the most looked to team for real battling, of all tribes that hit these parts. Hernandez, the pitcher who has wins to his credit over all circuit teams, held the local biffers well in leash when holding was necessary, while his Cuban mates, especially Rios Herrera and Jiminez, backed up his pitching in a manner

to satisfy and delight. The Cubans are traveling constantly, and being away from home since early in April with no comfortable surroundings for a rest of their tired and aching souls, it must be admitted, the Islanders are putting up a grade of playing that is but little short of marvelous. We doubt if any other team in the country could stand up under the same gaff and then have a leg to stand on, for it has been clearly demonstrated that but few of our teams can go the ten day road period without having the line-ups all shot to smithers from sickness and injury. Lefty Brown heaved a fairly good game from a standpoint of distribution of base knocks, the Cubans being able to glean but one blow per inning scattered over four rounds. Before Brown's super was warmed up to the surroundings the Cubes nicked him for three bings and a like number of markers. Jiminez was socked upon different parts of his anatomy three times and he scores three runs. The score:

Cubans				
	R	H	PO	A
Herrera, 3d	1	1	2	4
Draque, lf	1	1	2	0
Baro, cf	1	1	2	0
Guerra, rf	1	0	0	0
J'min'z, 2b	3	1	2	1
Pedroso, 1b	0	1	11	0
Rios, ss	1	0	1	4
Abreau, c	0	1	7	4
H'rn'd'z, p	0	1	0	3
TOTALS	8	7	27	16

Giants										
	R	H	PO	A						
Gardner, rf	1	1	0	0						
M'Lehr, 3b	0	1	0	0						
DeMoss, 2b	2	1	6	2						
Forienti, cf	0	2	0	0						
Mathol, c	0	1	6	2						
Gaus, lf	0	1	3	0						
J. Br'wn, lb	1	0	9	0						
Wil'ms, ss	1	1	2	5						
D. Brown, p	0	0	1	3						
TOTALS	5	8	27	12						
Cubans	3	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	—8
Giants	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	—5
Errors—Williams, 2, Rios. Two-base hits—Gardner, Williams. Three-base hit—Abreau. Bases on balls—Off Hernandez, 4; off Brown, 4. Struck out—By Hernandez, 4; by Brown, 4.										

DAYTON MARCOS WIN 3rd FROM K. C'S.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 12—John Donaldson allowed fewer base knocks than Britt in the third game of the series between the Monarchs and Dayton Marcos at Association park but the visitors bunched their blows and, aided by the breaks of the game, tucked away a 4 to 3 argument.

The score by innings:
 Dayton 0 1 0 0 2 0 1 0 0—4
 Monarchs 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1—3
 A. B. C.'s on Short End.

St. Louis, Aug. 11—The A. B. C.'s of Indianapolis and St. Louis Giants staged another good game with the latter on the long end of a 5 0 score.

soared over the right field wall. The score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	H.	E.
A. Giants	2	0	1	0	4	1	1	0	*	9	12	3
Cubans	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	9	1

Batteries—Valdez-Abriu, Johnson-Dixon.

Monarchs Down Detroit Stars

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 16.—Kansas City Monarchs evened their series with the Detroit Stars at Mack Park Sunday afternoon when they won, 5 to 1. Jack Donaldson, formerly of the local stars, hurled for the visitors, allowing only four scratch hits.

Gatewood, McDonald and Cooper toiled for the locals.

McKain, Monarchs' left fielder, featured the game with several catches. Score:

BOSTON STARS

	AB	H	O	A
Hewitt, 2b	4	1	0	5
Warfield, 3b	4	0	5	0
Lyons, 1b	3	1	10	2
Hill, m	4	1	0	0
Wesley, rf	4	1	0	0
Eggleston, lf	3	0	2	0
Riggins, ss	3	0	5	1
Scott, c	3	0	5	3
Gatewood, p	0	0	0	1
McDonald, p	1	0	0	2
Cooper, p	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	4	27	14

KANSAS CITY.

	AB	H	O	A
Portuondo, 3b	5	2	0	2
Mendez, 2b	4	0	1	4
McNair, lf	3	1	2	1
Moore, ss	4	0	4	1
Donaldson, p	3	0	0	1
Rogan, m	2	1	1	0
Carr, 1b	3	1	10	0
Rodriguez, c	4	1	6	0
Ray, rf	2	1	3	0
Totals	30	7	27	9

Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Kansas City.....	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	5

Runs—Lyons 1; Mendez, McNair, Moore, Rogan, Rodriguez—5. Errors—Lyons, Scott, McDonald—3; Rodriguez, Mendez—2. Hits—Off Gatewood, 2; off McDonald, 3; off Cooper, 2. Two-base hits—Wesley. Sacrifice hit—Carr. Stolen bases—Mendez, McNair, Portuondo, 2; Donaldson, 6. First base on balls—Off Gatewood, 4; off McDonald, 5; off Cooper, 1; off Donaldson, 1. Struck out—By Gatewood, 1; by McDonald, 2; by Donaldson, 6. Passed ball—Scott.

JOHNSON BLANKS ST. LOUIS

Charleston Gets Homer

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 12—Clark's single, Jefferson's safe bunt, Charleston's home run, B. Taylor's out, Powell's single and Day's single, all coming in the first inning of today's

game, netted four runs, more than enough to win the last game of the series here for the A, B, C's against the St. Louis Giants. After this fusillade of hits Finner settled down and he and Dicta Johnson staged a pitching duel. Johnson had the better of the argument. He never allowed a runner to get past second base. Besides Charleston's home run, other features of the game were the fielding of B. Taylor at first, Clark at short and Washington in left field, for the Hoosiers, and Blackwell in center and Dudley in left for the locals. Score:

A. B. C's	.....	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4	9	0
Giants	.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0	7	2

Batteries — Johnson and Powell; Finner and Bennett.

MONARCHS LASH DETROIT STARS

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 17.—In a pitchers' duel between Holland and Crawford the Detroit Stars defeated the Kansas City Monarchs 3 to 1. Each pitcher allowed but four hits,

Holland deserving a shutout.

Monarchs got their lone run in the second on Rogan's double and an error by Eggleston. The locals tied the score in the fifth when Harper walked and scored on Riggins's single after advancing on an out. The game remained one all until the eighth, when Lyons slammed the ball over the right field fence for two runs and the game.

Hill and Donaldson each made sensational running catches in center,

while Riggins handled the ball very cleverly in the ninth.

Gatewood will probably pitch for the locals Sunday, with Donaldson working for the Monarchs.

Score:

Kansas City	...	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1
Detroit	.....	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	*—3

Runs—Rogan—1; Harper, Hewitt, Lyons—3. Error—Eggleston. Two-base hits—Rogan. Home run—Lyons. Sacrifice hit—Mendez. First base on balls—Off Crawford, 5; off Holland, 2. Struck out—By Crawford, 2; by Holland, 4. Double plays—Hewitt to Lyons; Donaldson to Carr.

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