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## In the Field of Sport.

BY HAROLD C. McGATH.

The Keystones, of Minneapolis, Minn., will play at West Baden, and French Lick the latter part of April, and then to St. Louis and Kansas City.

Albert Toney, better known as Black Johnie Evers, has turned down an offer from the Royal Giants of Kansas City, Mo., to take the captaincy of the famous Ploto of French Lick, Ind. Toney has his eye on some boys that are the real goods.

The Klothe Reds baseball team of Hot Springs, Ark., report a death list of three players for the past year. They are Blipp, the famous young pitcher, who was killed last May; Hilton, pitcher, and Sam Butler, first baseman, who died Feb. 26th.

The Kloethe Reds baseball team will open the baseball season in Hot Springs with the famous St. Louis Giants (Chas. Mills, Mgr.) for a seres of games, April 4, 5 and 6. Want to hear from all first-class clubs. Prospects are for banner season in the Vapor city.

The two crack baseball teams of Hot Springs, the Kloethe Reds, under the management of Dave Johnson, and the Majestic White Socks, under the management of Will Newton, are getting very active. They will be ready for real action in just a few more weeks. It will pay outside managers of good teams to get in touch with them for dates. Read Freeman and keep posted. Can be found every week at Will Page pool and billiard room, 205 Central avenue, H. F. Foster, agent.

The Keystones, of Minneapolis, Minn., is made up to date as follows: Catchers—Jas. A. Wills, of Tex.: Jack Watts, of Terre Haute. Pitchers-Chas. Jackson, of stones: Hurley M. S. Nair, of Houston, Tex.; Wm. Dismikes, of West Baden. Bunch Davis, s. s.; Milroy McCune, 3rd b.: James Wallace, 2nd b., of Louisville Cubs; Geo. Watson, 1st b., of Louisville Cubs: outfielders, Bert Woods, l. f., of Louisville Cubs; Archie Pate, c. f.; Jesse Briscoe, r. f., of New York Giants.

The World's Famous Cuban Giants will not make any Southern Trip this spring, doing their spring training in and around New York. Nat C. Strong, World Building, is doing the Sunday booking around New York. New players have been signed from Chicago, St. Louis, Indianapolis, Columbus, Buffalo, Washington and Louisville, Ky. The schedule is nearly filled up to Oct. 1. The club takes the road June 5, working up through Massachusetts, Vermont, opening up in Buffalo June 25, playing the first game of a big series with the crack Puttmans, of Buffalo.

### Kansas City Royal Giants leave here March 28th under the management of

G. W. Walden to their training quarters. They open up in New Orleans March 5th and 6th; Mobile, 9th, 10th and 11th; Pensacola, Fla., 15th, 16th and 17th; Montgomery 16th, 20th and 21st; Anniston, Ala., 25th and 26th; Birmingham, 28th and 29th; Springs, Miss., 1st of April; Hot Springs, Ark., 9th, 10th and 11th; Muskogee, Okla., 15th, 16th; from there home. Manager Walden says that Kansas City will have one of the best clubs ever stationed here and when the 1912 league opens up the Royals will be among the top notchers. Would like to hear from all first class clubs wishing dates in Kansas city. Those on the trip: Otto Bolden, John Merida, Johnie Pugh, Son Hatten, Skinny Williams, Tom Sterman, Tiller, Geo. Jackson, Rube Washington, Sunny Jim, Roy Dorsey, Carter of Louisville.

## THE NEW ORLEANS BASEBALL CLUB

The New Orleans baseball club opened the season Sunday, Feb. 26th, defeating the Grays, a local club, 14-0. A very large crowd turned out to see the New Orleans team in action. All the boys worked well. The game was full of exciting plays. The feature of the game was the hitting of the Everybody seemed satisfied with the way Mgr. Walker and the birds worked. On next Sunday famous Kansas City Royal Giants will tackle the locals and everybody is expecting a big day. Mr. Frank Polando was all smiles n the stand Sunday. One thing about hm, you cannot tell when he's losng. We would like to hear from Louisville, Indianapolis and Evansville managers. Address all

letters Frank Walker, 8838 Oak St., New Orleans, La.

#### SATISFIED WITH OUR POSITION.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 21, 1911. Mr. Harold C. McGrath, Sporting Editor of The Freeman.

Dear Sir: Having noted the article published in the February 11 issue of your paper, of the Unions, I hereby do extend my highest appreciation of publication of same. We are making great strides toward a very successful season.

Yours in sport,

DICK GARRISON.

### MOBILE, ALA., DIXIE STARS.

Well, we have landed the pick of the South to give all comers a warm reception. We open the season March 9, 10 and 11 with Kansas City Royal Giants, and on the 17th and 18th the St. Louis Giants play here. The Mobile Dixie Stars have arranged to give the boys from the West, North and East a big time while in the Gulf city. Mobile Dixie Stars Base Ball Club, Wm. Benbow, president and general manager of Dixie Park.

#### LEADING BASEBALL CLUBS.

The Freeman Will Publish Free a List of the Leading Baseball Clubs Each Week-Managers Get Busy.

SOUTHERN GIANTS - Jim Houston,

manager, Meridian, Miss. MAJESTIC WHITE SOCKS-W. H. Newton, manager, 137 Central avenue, Hot Springs, Ark.

ALL CUBANS OF HAVANA, CUBA (the Western Team). Nat. C. Strong, business manager, World bldg., New York City.

CUBAN STARS OF HAVANA, CUBA (Eastern Team). Nat C. Strong, business manager, World bldg., New York City.

PHILADELPHIA GIANTS OF PHILA-DELPHIA, PA. Nat. C. Strong, business manager, World bldg., New York City.

ROYAL GIANTS OF NEW YORK. C. Strong, business manager, World bldg., New York City.

FAST HAVANA STARS. Arthur E. Bean, owner and manager, 104 W. 30th street, Chicago, Ill.

MEMPHIS TIGERS-W. S. Smith, manager, 921 Willoughby street, Memphis, Tenn.

NEW ORLEANS-Frank Walker, man-ager, 8838 Oak street, New Orleans, La.

FAY AVENUE GIANTS-W. S. Hunt, manager, 200 Beale avenue, Memphis, Tenn.

KLOETHE REDS-Dave E. Johnson. manager, 125 Gulpha street,

Springs, Ark. KANSAS CITY ROYAL GIANTS-Geo. Walden, manager, 1005 McGee street, Kansas City, Mo. THE KEYSTONES—Col. Edw. F. Mitch-

ell, manager, 1313 Washington avenue. S. Minneapolis, Minn.

THE UNIONS-Dick Garrison, manager. 1006 Wylie avenue, Pittsburg, Pa. FRENCH LICK PLUTOS-Elmer

Pettis, manager, French Lick, Ind.

PENSACOLA GIANTS-Jas. Goldstuck-er. manager, Chase and Tarragona streets. Pensacola, Fla.

BLACK BRONCHO FEMALE B. B. C.-Conrad Kuebler, manager, 3133 North Broadway street. St. Louis. Mo.

CHICAGO-LELAND GIANTS-Andrew (Rube) Foster, manager, 6321 South Haistead street, Chicago, Ills. ST. LOUIS GIANTS-Chas. Mills. manager, 2309 Chestnut street, St. Louis, Mo. CHICAGO UNION GIANTS-W. L. Peters, manager, 1411 Grand avenue, Chicago, Ill. C.'s-Ran Butler, manager, Fifteenth street and Northwestern avenue, Indianapolis, Ind. THE ATLANTA DEPPENS - A. B. Speer manager, 546 Decatur street, Atlanta, Ga. WEST BADEN SPRUDELS—C. I. Tay-lor, manager, West Baden, Ind. CUBAN GIANTS-John M. Bright, manager, 76 Columbia avenue, West Hoboken N. J. BUXTON WONDERS-G. L. NEAL and R. Sailes, managers, 34 East Fourth street, Buxton, Iowa. MONTGOMERY STARS-W. Cobb. manager, 210 Hutchinson street, Montgomery, Ala. THE MAROONS-W. H. Ford, president and manager, 3628 Central avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

MOBILE DIXIE STARS-Wm. Benbow, manager, Dixie Park, Mobile, Ala.

# The Atlanta Deppens Base Ball Club (Colored)

#### **Touring the States Season 1911**

With all star players, has commenced their spring practice, and the boys are showing up fine. We leave home April 3d with the smartest set of athletics throughout the sporting world. We have heard from most of the first class clubs, but wishes to hear from Texas and other first class clubs who have not answered our correspondence. Write us today.

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