Excavation To Start For New Baseball Park

Excavation for the new baseball park will begin either Wednesday or Thursday of this week, weather permitting, J. Polk Brooks, president of the Paducah Baseball Association, announced this morning.

Brooks said that the entire property holdings of the association at 21st and "C" streets had been cleared, and that all the surveys had been completed.

"We hope to have final figures, estimates, and plans ready by tonight and an okeh will be obtained immediately," he continued.

Potter Smith has drafted the park plans two or three different ways, using various methods of construction, and the building committee will approve one of them.

Brooks said that a scarcity of steel was expected to slow down completion of the grandstand, but that he is working on an arrangement which might utilize steel already on hand. If the architect approves such an arrangement, the whole layout can be completed at an earlier date.

Barring any difficulty the entire park should be completed by July 1.