

WILL ASK U. S. TO PERMIT 1918 BASEBALL GAMES

National League Meets for This Purpose in Washington Wednesday

TENER ALREADY THERE Phillies and A's Will Go On With Schedule Until Further Notice

National League owners and president have decided that they will ask Provost Marshal General Crowder to allow the baseball schedule for 1918 to be played out in full.

Both the Phillies and the Athletics will continue playing the games as before, Wednesday morning the Athletics will leave for Detroit, where they open on Thursday and Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 the Phillies will mingle with the Chicago Cubs.

President William P. Baker of the Phillies, took dramatic action yesterday before the game, when he called a meeting of the players and demanded to know exactly where they stood in regard to playing out the schedule.

Every man on the club wanted to stick with the ship, and Baker departed last night to fight for the continuance of the game.

The fans today consider the meeting between General Crowder and Secretary Baker extremely important, and quite significant.

Washington, July 23.—The fate of organized baseball under the "no-war fight" ruling hung in the balance today while representatives of both big leagues pleaded with the Administration.

John K. Tener, president of the National League, together with Ban Johnson, of the American League, and August Herrmann, chairman of the National Baseball Commission, were in Washington today to confer on the preparation of a brief asking that the present baseball season be allowed to continue.

It was learned this afternoon that the representatives of the two leagues will ask that the season be allowed to go through to the end.

Empire City Results: FIRST RACE, three-year-olds and up, claiming, 1 mile 70 yards.

What May Happen In Baseball Today: NATIONAL LEAGUE: Won Lost Pct. Win Loss

SNAPPED AT PHILLIES-ATHLETICS CONTEST



ATHLETICS SNAPPED ON BENCH BEFORE GAME...



SCOTT PERRY...



JOE MCCREEDY, Director of Game...



PAT MORAN GREETS RUBE OLDRING...

BENEFIT SHOW AT SHIBE PARK

Tender One of Performers at Tobacco-Fund Program Here Tonight

Another Star Card

By JAMES S. CAROLAN: Another big boxing card for the benefit of the boys in the service is on the program for tonight at Shibe Park.

The program: Eddie McAndrews vs. Henry Hauber, Benny Kaufman vs. Joe Mendell, Eddie O'Keefe vs. Bobby Lincoln.

Four Star Bouts: Just one week from tonight another of those all-star shows which have proved so popular will be on the list at Shibe Park.

Clive vs. Jackson: Irish Patsy Clive, the flashy New Yorker who never fails to make a hit, due to his aggressive work, is down to oppose Willie Jackson.

Empire City Scratches: First race—Home Sweet Home, G. M. Miller, Clark, K. Beal, Dundravy, Dragon, N. K. Beal, Dundravy, Dragon, N. K. Beal, Dundravy, Dragon.

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Kid Elberfeld Told Fan to Buy Scorecard

Kid Elberfeld, former Little Rock boxer, was as accommodating as any "hot" in the Southern League, but sometimes he fails to hit home.

Wrightstown A. C. Show: The matchmaker of the Wrightstown A. C. has arranged an all-star card for the weekly show tomorrow night.

Eastern League Ends Its Season: New London, Conn., July 23.—Eastern League baseball clubs ended their 1918 season yesterday in accordance with a notice given Friday night by President O'Neill.

Empire City Results: SECOND RACE, three-year-olds, conditions, 5/8 furlongs.

Empire City Scratches: Second race—Jack of Spades, South America, Rocket, Salvatra.

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RUDOLPH PLAYING FOURTEEN YEARS

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Medals Will Be Furnished Clubs Giving Entrance Fees: Through the United States Golf Association, the American Red Cross has arranged to provide an American Red Cross prize medal to be offered in competition by golf clubs which contribute entry fees to the Red Cross instead of using them for purchasing substantial prizes.

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Empire City Scratches: Third race—Jack of Spades, South America, Rocket, Salvatra.

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TOURNAMENT PLAYERS SHOULD BE ACQUAINTED WITH MEDAL PLAY RULE

Put in Brief Form for Those Who Will Play in 1918 Summer Handicap and Class Events at Merion on Thursday

By WILLIAM H. EVANS: THE midsummer handicap and the class tournament will be played over the east course of the Merion Cricket Club on Thursday of this week and all golfers who wish to play in either of both events should send their entries to Francis B. Warner, secretary of the Golf Association of Philadelphia, 214 West Washington Square, not later than tomorrow if they want their entries published.

One of the essential differences between match and medal play is this: If you transgress a rule in match play and your opponent is affected, but in medal or stroke play the entire field of players is hurt.

Medal play is a sport where you are paired with another player. If you lose your ball, except in water, casual water or out of bounds, you must return to the spot, whether it is the tee, the fairway, rough or hazard, and tee again under the penalty of a stroke.

Empire City Results: FOURTH RACE, three-year-olds and up, purse \$500, 1 mile.

Empire City Scratches: Fourth race—Jack of Spades, South America, Rocket, Salvatra.

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