bers, the president of each club becom-

waiver rule.
At the meeting, there was no mention

# Giants and Yanks Round Up Recruits

Both Have Secured a Promising Was Anaemic Crop of Rookies -- Will go South With Teams

Atlantic League and had a good record as a catcher. Among the other pitchers are Ed Monroe, a right hander, from Memphis. He is more than six feet in height and weighs more than 200 pounds. Although his last season's record was nothing to get excited about, he showed unusual promise and should improve under the right kind of coach-

ing.

"Chick" Knaupp, a second baseman, was drafted from the Shreveport, La., club of the Texas League and was one of the fastest infielders in that part of the country. He had a batting average of .323 last season. Alex Ferguson is a nineteen-year-old pitcher who played last season with the Bloomfield, N. J., Lyceum team, and comes highly recomceum team, and comes highly recommended by Scout Joe Kelley. Piercy, Ross and Dan Tipple were all with the club for a while last season, but were

perience and may make good on their second trial. Jack Enright, last season with Newark, will get his second chance with the Yankees this spring. Everett Bankston is an outfielder from Richmond, but the outfielders like the pitchers, will have to show extraordinary talent to push any of Donovan's regulars out of a job.

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Fraternity Head Releases Men From Their Promises-No Discrimination Against Members

Commission stated that there was a clause in all the major league contracts for 1917, which protected the players from discrimination on account of membership in the fraternity, and both of the major league presidents also called attention to this fact. At the meeting of tention to this fact. At the meeting of the National league on Wednesday it was unanimously decided that no change in the regular printed form of contract, which was adopted by the National Commission, would be tolerated by the league. As this is the same form issued by the American league, the players in both major leagues seem protected against any undue discrimination, so that no further trouble in this respect is expect-ed.

The National league magnates finished their session late on Wednesday, leaving the playing schedule for 1917 in the hands of President Tener, who will

## National League club can report at a training camp before Feb. 25 this year. The National league board of directors was increased from five to eight mem-**Are Holding Out** ing a director. No player in the league can be released between Aug. 20, and the close of the championship season except through the regular formality of the

Robertson and Benton Not Yet of the proposed military training of players and no change in the player limit of the clubs was discussed. Signed by McGraw - Phillies Are Hard Hit

During the day it was announced that the New York American League club had released First Baseman Charley Mul-len in the Toledo club.

record for himself in the Bastern League where the elenty was masked in roll in New England last season. Another young pitcher who is booked for a try-out is C. A. Causey, who comes from the Texas League. Bill Morrisette is a pitcher who halis from Baltimore and is highly recommended by Jack Dunn of that club. Morrisette was with the Atheback to Baltimore.

Manager Bill Donovan of the Yankees has landed a star in Bob McGraw, of Colorado University, who was captured by the Yankee scout, George Leddy, when half a dozen other major league get your brains blown out."

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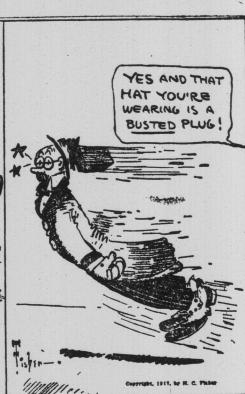
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