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Other schools as well as the University of Nebraska are having their troubles over the management of athletics. We have succeeded in getting on a firm basis which will no doubt stand. Yale students are clamoring loudly for reform and a closer union of general athletics. At the University of Pennsylvania, the undergraduates are complaining against the management. The following editorial from the Michigan daily shows that every thing is not smooth there:

The Daily is being loaded down with all sorts of communications on athletic matters. We intend to be fair with both factions in the controversy but we will not give the columns of this sheet over to mere mud-slinging and personal attacks as such. Unless further communications contain matter which really bears on the athletic situation and offers some reasonable amount of argument, the Daily will refuse publication. Personal grudges must be paid off outside of these columns.

The basket ball season has opened in earnest and the team is practicing hard. Last year, the university yielded only fair support to the boys. While basket ball is not as popular as foot ball, it is almost as interesting, with a much faster game. The history of the sport is short, especially at the university. Dr. Hastings introduced the game and pushed it to its present high standard. Everyone should lend their support to the team as it is a branch of university athletics. We wish the team success.

1. No one shall participate in any intercollegiate sport unless he be a bona fide student doing full work in a regular or special course as defined in the curriculum of his college, and no person who has participated as a college student in any intercollegiate game as a member of any college team and who has not afterward obtained a college academic degree, shall be permitted to participate in any game

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The above article was adopted by the athletic association which met in Chicago a short time ago. It is a move in the right direction and will stop men changing from one college to another with no other object than to play foot ball.

The Nebraska state legislature met and organized on January 1. The senatorial contest will occupy their attention for some time. However, university friends should impress the interests of the institution upon the senators and representatives with whom they are acquainted and should make it a point to keep the matter before them constantly. Very few people outside of the university understand university needs and conditions. A campaign of education and the right kind of lobbying by university students will do a great deal toward putting the university and its needs clearly before our legislators.

The Yale foot ball team has elected Charles Good captain for next year. He plays at end and has a good record back of him. We wish him success.

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