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OUR athletic results this year are quite similar to those of last year. The football team had a poor season; whereas the basketball team again remained in first place in the B. I. A. C. The crosscountry and swimming teams likewise held their own against good competition. At this time it looks as if the baseball team will retain its B. I. A. C. championship of last year. The tennis team has all the members of last year's team ready to defend its B. I. A. C. crown. If predictions can be made from our indoor track results, this year's track team will enjoy even better results than our last year's team.

We hope that the 1929 football team will be on a par with our other major sports. There are good reasons to believe that the football team will enjoy a better season. In the first place, next year's team will start with but three of last year's lettermen lost; whereas this year's squad started with but three lettermen, with the captain physically unable to play in several of the games. Then too, the freshman team has been the largest and most capable of any freshmen teams. Thus, with a better wealth of material, football has a more optimistic future.

The interest shown by all who have aided the football situation here has been greatly appreciated, and we hope to prove our gratitude by a winning football team for 1929.

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