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COMMUNICATION

Fellow Undergraduates:
If any of you agree with Baxter that outside activities should be abolished, all we can say is, your judgment is warped. As to a statutory tax, it wouldn't work; nor, because the student body doesn't want athletics, but because they don't want to part with the money. There has arisen a slight prejudice against this tax but this is due to the ignorance of what such a tax really is. There are various kinds of taxes but the principles of the one best suited to present conditions are as follows:

Each student when he pays his tuition pays, at the same time, as payment of two or three dollars or at the rate of one dollar or a dollar and a half each term. The total sum of this tax will enable all athletic expenses of the year to be provided for. In return for this the efficient receives a series of tickets which will admit him free of charge to all the recognized athletic events of the year, such as Field Day, Track Meet, Indoor and Outdoor, and Interclass Wreath meets and so forth.

This plan has the two primary advantages of greatly reducing the cost to individuals of seeing all the games, and of bringing out a larger percent to witness the games.

Many students will ask why such a tax is needed and two instances will explain. The Athletic Association is so poor that it could not give the rate of one cent to all the recognized athletic events of the year, such as Field Day, Track Meet, Indoor and Outdoor, and Interclass Wreath meets and so forth.

The Athletic Association is down to rock bottom and can no longer exist in this hand-to-mouth fashion.

Malcolm C. Brode, '17

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