One of our most precocious freshmen, who thinks that "medicine is only a small part of natural science," was given the H₂O cure at the Biological Building last week. He is said to be rapidly recovering.

The practice of wearing gowns is being loyally supported by many of the Faculty, who appear about the building and in the Dining Hall with gowns much more frequently than formerly.

Although the Seniors had no executive for Hallowe'en night, still they enjoyed themselves as thoroughly as any of the other years—and at much less expense to them-

B. A. Kinder, 'o1, has again put in an appearance at Wycliffe, having just recovered from a severe illness.

Eloquent Junior (responding to "The Ladies" at the '02 dinner): "Many a man has a Queen of his heart, gentlemen, but not every man a King." (Loud applause toward the head table).

The announcement in last week's VARSITY that a ladies' lunch-room was about to be provided in the steward's house was a timely one, as the recent rains have emphasized the need of such an improvement.

- J. A. Decew, who graduated from S. P. S. in '96, is at present taking a special post-graduate course at the School. It was during his treshman year that the old shed at the corner of the University was consigned to oblivion.
- R. H. Barrett, 'or S.P.S., is at present confined to his room with an affection of the throat. His services were greatly missed in the football game with the Meds. on Thursday.

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