

LOCAL NEWS.

Bad cold.

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"The biter bitten" has been superseded by "The investigator investigated."

When you write to our Bus Man don't leave off the signs of abbreviation.

An envious fellow says a play on words is not pun-gent humor.

The Physics class took a rest while Professor Collier was delivering his lectures.

Professor Church has ornamented his room with a number of illustrations of the excavations in Italy. He has also several maps representing the topography of Rome and vicinity.

The Horace class is translating the odes into English verse. Some of the efforts are very creditable, showing considerable poetic talent.

Some one suggests that the Lecture Association could have made a good thing by getting the investigating committee under their control and charging admission to the spectators. It wouldn't have been a bad idea.

The STUDENT has increased its receipts and decreased its expenditures until it is about to cast off the last vestige of the debt under which it has been laboring. Give it a lift by sending in your subscription.

The Palladians have a committee hard at work on a new constitution. If they have a better society after its adoption than they have now they will have to have an addition to their hall, for every meeting now brings a crowded house.

Lessons were below the average Friday morning the 7th, owing to the Prohibi-

tion bill. We observed a large number of students at the Capitol during the final discussion of the bill. It was defeated by a vote of thirty-nine ayes to forty nays.

We have been severely criticised for not having a personal column. In self-defense we will say that instructions were given to the foreman to arrange the personals separate but by some misunderstanding, it was not done in the last issue. We are all right this time.

Owing to the investigation now in progress students and professors seem generally demoralized. The professors are kept until midnight nearly every evening and sometimes later than that time. The students also are pretty regular in their attendance, somewhat to the detriment of their studies.

"Ye local" rendered good service during Prof. Collier's lecture by standing on a gas bag and turning the air pump. Our only thought was to please the public and never but once did a feeling that our duties were irksome cross our mind, then only for a moment—when the Prof. thoughtlessly threw some scintillations of melted iron down our back.

It naturally called to mind the rhyme

Ride a stick-horse

To Barbury cross,

when a young lady forgot to put down the seat at the Opera House the other evening and sat down on the cross piece and the space behind it. She rose, reported progress and begged leave to sit again.

Two new microscopes have been procured for Prof. Aughey's use in the department of Natural Science. They are alike, each magnifying 300 diameters or 90,000 times, and the regular price is \$45 for a single microscope and fixtures. They were procured at a reduction from the regular price. Another has been ordered which will magnify 250,000 times or 500 diameters, the price of which is \$60.