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#### LA GRANDE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Some very excellent Christmas entertainments were held in the various rooms this afternoon, all of which bore evidence of the interest of pupils and care and painstaking work on the part of the teachers.

The teachers meeting this afternoon was one of unusual interest. Miss Good-nough presented the current news, Miss Rohan an educational paper, and Miss Kuhn closed with the first section of an able paper which she is presenting to the teachers on the subject of art. If anyone will take the trouble to question any of her pupils he will find that they have been taught in a masterful manner in the matter of art.

The literary society of the High School met this afternoon with Miss Bunnell and Florence McCall at the desk. The session was an interesting one, and especially the debate on the question, "Resolved. That closer restriction should be placed on immigration. Friends are always welcome at these sessions.

Boys' basket ball December 27. Commercial Club vs High School.

Miss King, a holder of a valid county certificate, and member of our High School, substituted for Miss Aldrich Friday.

F. Kilpatrick visited the schools this afternoon.

A number of teachers will spend their vacation out of town.

The large and interesting exhibit furnished by the La Grande city schools for the educational department at the Portland exposition has been received at the High School building and will remain on exhibition there in the artistic case furnished by the board. Friends of the school should not miss seeing this exhibit when in the building.

We are especially grateful to Grover Melville, a talented cartoonist of this city, and a student of last year, for the gift of the four large pen drawings entitled "The Making of a Capitalist." We also extend thanks to Elmer Stoddard of the Junior class for a plat of the city also drawn by him for the Portland Exposition.

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#### ANNUAL MEETING

Of the shareholders of the Farmers and Traders National Bank of La Grande, will be held at their banking house in La Grande on Tuesday, the 23d. day of January, 1906, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, to select a board of directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may come before said meeting.

J. W. SCRIBER, Cashier of the Farmers and Traders National Bank of La Grande. Dated this 18th. day of December 1905

#### PIANO TUNING

J. C. Ardrey, a former resident of this city, but now near Portland, is in the city. Mr. Ardrey is now in the piano tuning business, and those having instruments requiring attention can secure his services by leaving orders at Hualat's music store. Mr. Ardrey will be in La Grande only about ten days longer.

#### MASQUERADE AT HILGARD

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Notice is hereby given that the partnership existing between J. A. Garity & Ben Brown known under the firm name as J. A. Garity & Company has been dissolved. All parties knowing themselves indebted to the above named firm will please call at their office and settle before January 1st, 1906, as all accounts must be settled by that time.

J. A. GARITY,  
Ben Brown