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STUDENTS IN
HIGH SCHOOL
ONCE AGAIN

Most of Repairs to Fire-damaged Building Are Now Completed

NEW MUSIC ROOM
BEING UTILIZED

Desk Chairs Replace Old-Fashioned Desks—Assemblies Still Held in L. D. S. Hall

Following an almost three months vacation of the La Grande High school building which was badly damaged by fire last November, repairs have been nearly completed and today all high school classes again met in the building. The only other outside building in use now for high school work is the room used for an assembly and study hall in the L. D. S. Recreational hall.

The study hall of the high school is not completed but it is expected that by next Monday it can again be occupied.

Most Rooms Completed

All rooms but the auditorium and study hall, are finished. Blackboards are being set in place. Plastering, tiling, flooring, wiring, painting and plumbing have been done.

The auditorium and study hall are now being plastered and as soon as it is tiled and the floor is completed, it will be ready for occupancy, although the stage equipment and pianos to be used there have not yet arrived.

All classes are working in regular order now. The science laboratory work too is running on schedule.

Using New Music Room

W. W. Nussbaum is conducting his music classes in the music room which is a new feature of the high school building.

Three hundred and fifty new desk chairs made of wood and steel have been installed in the classrooms and will replace a part of the old-fashioned type of desks which were burned in the fire. The desks in the lower floor of the building were not damaged and are in use.

New manufactured blackboards are being installed in the rooms. They are an improvement over the old kind wherein plaster was coated with a slate preparation and used as blackboards, school officials say. The new type wears for a life-time and does not need to be repaired frequently, it is said.