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WALSH WILL AFFORD CLOSE INSPECTION OF HIS MACHINE.

Aviator and His Men Will Reach La Grande on July Seventh.

Spectacular flying, something that Union and Wallowa counties have never seen, is scheduled for July 8th and 9th, when Charles F. Walsh, the world-famed birdman will give an exhibition in the art of flying in La Grande.

At last La Grande is to have a real aviation meet. All arrangements have been made and completed. The aviator, Charles F. Walsh, will, according to contract, arrive here one day ahead of time bringing his Curtiss-Farman-Wright biplane, and a staff of mechanics. The aviator will ordinarily fly from 20 minutes up, weather permitting of course, and will attain an altitude of not less than 100 feet. He will also fly as close to the ground as it is possible to do, and should the weather interfere all those purchasing tickets will be given rain checks for the following day. The aviation exhibition, which is to take place here, is without doubt one of the most popular programs that any aviator could attempt to carry out. He will do stunts within the grounds that hardly seem possible for any one even to attempt without wrecking the machine.

The Start Interesting.

The main point in aviation meets is to see the way the machine gets off the ground, and in fact, inspect the machine itself, as well as to see how close they can fly to the ground and do just as good work as though there were higher in the air. Many people imagine that by standing outside of the grounds they can see the flight just as well as if they were within the grounds. This is not the case, because it gives a very poor idea of the working of the machine.

Charles F. Walsh has been very successful in all his attempts of aviation and has practically met with very few accidents, none of them serious. While some of his attempts have been even more daring than some of the other aviators, and the fact that he recently made a record breaking flight at Petaluma, California, to Santa Rosa, a distance of 14 1/2 miles in 12 minutes and 32 seconds, goes to show that he must be something of an aviator. In this flight just mentioned he got away apparently with as much ease as a bird, which goes to show that a man can run an aeroplane just as easily as he can run an automobile, providing that he does not get too reckless.

used by civilized man. Having plenty of it, we not only get all these things cheaper ourselves, but can sell it to those states and countries that have no forests.

"Lumbering is an important industry in the Pacific northwest. It brings about \$125,000,000 a year, or more than \$332,000 a day, into the five states mentioned and nearly all of this money is paid out for labor and supplies so that every family shares it. It contributes to every line of industry as well as to the farmer, the merchant, the mechanic and the professional man. No other product of these states furnishes employment for so many people or brings in so much money. Lumber makes up 75 per cent of all the freight we ship out of these states by rail or boat.

"Our forests are useful and necessary, as they keep the flow of our streams even, preventing floods in the wet season and furnishing water for irrigation and power during the dry season; they pay taxes to support our roads, our schools and our government; they shelter our wild game and fish, and in many other ways make our country healthier and pleasanter to live in. In most of our western states, the public schools are supported largely by the sale of timber from state forest lands.

"Although not always as serious as they were last year, forest fires in Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana and California, annually destroy timber, which, if saved for manufacture, would bring in \$40,000,000. We not only lose this income, but we have to pay higher taxes on the rest of our property and higher prices for the forest material which escapes. These forests kill the young trees, so new forests cannot follow the old ones, and, by leaving the ground bare, also hasten the rapid run-off of snow and rain and make our streams low in summer. Other losses are human lives and the destruction of buildings and stock.

"Primarily, our chief work is to encourage legislation to protect our forests and secure the appropriation of state funds to carry out the laws also to provide for fire patrols, and to teach men, women and children the value of knowing what to do, not so much in the way of fighting fires as in preventing them. We need the support of the National Irrigation congress to assist us in spreading the gospel of fire prevention and with that end in view hope to bring the matter to the attention of the congress in a formal way at the Chicago convention.

"Forests are necessary to successful irrigation, as the trees retain the rain and snowfall and thus assure sufficient moisture for crop purposes during the dry season. Irrigation, which makes intensive farming possible, is largely responsible for the well developed country districts in

the northwest, where the rural communities are so thickly populated they resemble suburbs of cities.

"The extent of operations in irrigated lands in the northwest will be better understood when it is known that the value of the apple and other fruit crops in Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana amounted to approximately \$22,000,000 in 1910.

"This is only the beginning of the fruit industry in the northwest, and where millions of acres of land, now flecked with the dusty green of sagebrush is awaiting the refreshing moisture to make it blossom like the proverbial rose. Irrigation does much more for the growing crops than rain, as the natural elements give nothing except moisture, while the waters diverted from the timbered mountain sides bring with them new fertility.

"It has been demonstrated that in Washington, Idaho, Oregon and Montana, as well as in neighboring states under irrigation these lands will produce paying crops of anything which grows in the temperate zone. The products are noted for their brilliant coloring, unusual size and excellent flavor, and they command the markets of the world. Vegetables in almost endless variety and the choicest vine and tree fruits follow each other in rotation and fill out the season.

"Ten to 20 acres of land provide shelter food and raiment for a family and enable its owner to put aside from \$500 to \$1000 a year. Scores of hundreds of men and women, many of whom came from Chicago and other crowded cities in the Mississippi river valley, are doing that much or better today, and the development of the country, yet in its infancy, will provide a safety valve against the impending dangers of congestion in the cities of the east."

OLD GAMBLER LABORS.

Four-Ace Johnson Back in Pendleton, Working as Wheat Harvester.

(Pendleton Live Wire.)

Arriving yesterday in Pendleton, Four-Ace Johnson one of the star gamblers of the early days of the northwest when "things were wide open" arranged to go to work in the harvest field in order that he might keep body and soul together.

A brief inspection of the town failed to disclose more than a slender few of his old acquaintances.

Johnson, who was one of the most successful professionals of the early days and came to Pendleton "before they dug the river" has just returned from a trip over the old circuit. Nevada, the last of the states to succumb to the moral wave, is as dead, he says, as a cemetery at midnight and there's

nothing left for the "old crowd" but a pitchfork.

On his trip he visited Bakersfield and Flagstaff, Ariz., but things are quiet there too he says.

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