

B. H. LAMPMAN AT MONMOUTH

Well Known Writer Speaks Before Student and Lions Club Groups

MONMOUTH, April 22 — Ben Hur Lampman, beloved writer of nature editorials in the Oregonian, addressed the students and faculty of the Oregon Normal school, and a large number of interested townspeople, at convocation Tuesday morning.

His talk was a nature theme dealing largely with a psychological inference on wild life phases, arrayed in the beautifully eloquent and versatile word garniture of which he is a master.

He had noted, he said, marked traits of individualism in many creatures; and he believes that character must exist also. As an illustration of this he told stories about two Snow Geese. Both, he said, were adult geese, snow white with wingtips of ebony.

One of these geese, brought down by a wing shot, remained aloof to proffers of human friendship, and at the end of a year of captivity, maintaining its wild nature intact, and gave evidences of being unhappy.

Goose Makes Friends

The other Snow Goose, descended, wounded, into a stubble-field, and was rescued by a hunter. Within half an hour it fed from the hand of its rescuer. It was put into an automobile, and quietly crept between two hunters in the rear seat, and as they went on for many miles the goose, adjusting itself to the unfamiliar motions of the car, admonished its seatmates courteously as to its rights as a passenger.

In three days this goose fed with the chickens, and exhibited in every way an amazing capacity for adoption of domesticated customs. Eventually, because it so trusted mankind and depended upon human stability, this goose was lost to oblivion—for it did not anticipate nefarious human procedure.

Another instance quoted by Mr. Lampman as evidence of character, was the case of a Pin Tail drake. This bird, discovered in a marsh, was observed several times before any one investigated its presence there. Then a hunter, surprised that the bird showed no inclination to depart even when closely approached, found that it had trampled down a plot of grass, several feet square, as though striving to solve the mystery of death, for in the center of this anchorage lay a lusterless, inert body—presumably the drake's dead mate.

Philosophy Explained

Quoting an ancient Egyptian King, Mr. Lampman said he believes "we are stewards of the good things of God"; and by the measure of our kindness we are measured. Man, he thinks, cannot permit the indulgence of fallure, and the man who indulges himself in cruelty is a throwback to ages remote—dark, and terrible.

Where Samaritanism is in daily practice, recognition of the rights of lesser creatures are always evidenced. He says he does not condemn hunters—though he has ceased to hunt.

Relating his theme to education, Mr. Lampman stated that kindness, gentleness, and consideration for all living creatures are a useful part of education. Hatred of any living thing is man belittling himself; and, as the world grows kinder, it grows more truly wise.

Following his address at the Normal, Mr. Lampman was a guest at the Lions' club luncheon, where he delighted his listeners with another talk.

HIGHLIGHTS IN LIFE OF ALFONSO XIII



RECENT PICTURE OF QUEEN WITH FIVE OF HER SIX CHILDREN



THE QUEEN IN SPANISH MANTILLA

On May 31, 1900, a few days after his twentieth birthday, Alfonso XIII married his English fiancée, Princess Victoria Eugenia, daughter of the late King of Spain, and granddaughter of Queen Victoria.

Prior to the wedding, to comply with Spanish law, the young British Princess was baptized a Roman Catholic. Alfonso and Victoria had four sons and two daughters. Queen Victoria acquired the faculty of looking like a real Spaniard, when she donned the costume of her adopted country, and became familiarly known as Queen Ena.

Despite the immense fortune which she inherited and greatly added to through his aptitude for finance, as much simplicity as the royal station permitted was the family rule in the life of Alfonso and his Queen.

Though the Spanish throne was a shaky and precarious seat Alfonso always gave a part of each day to his children, playing, working or studying with them, but always keeping an eye on their training. A year after year by political revolutions, and with two of his sons suffering from physical afflictions Alfonso knew much disappointment and sadness. Only in recent years did the Prince of the Asturias, heir apparent to the throne, partially recover from his inherited ailment of hemophilia, and another ray of light entered the sad life of the Spanish monarch when the second son, Don Jaime, deaf and without power of speech at birth, learned to speak with difficulty.



ALFONSO WITH OLDEST SONS

WALDO HILLS HAS NUMEROUS VISITORS

WALDO HILLS, April 22. — Walter Gleason, grand K. of R. and S., and Ira Carl, grand vice-chancellor of the K. of P., both of Portland, were dinner guests Thursday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knight, later attending the K. of P. lodge in Silverton.

A number from this community attended the Highland Friends church in Salem Sunday. Mrs. Edson Comstock was accompanist for the soloist, Mrs. W. P. Tate, both at the church and at the reception at the W. P. Emery home. Those going over were Mr. and Mrs. Comstock, Janet Comstock, Miss Adelaide Scriber, Max and Virginia Scriber, Mrs. A. A. Goff, Mrs. and Reba Goff, Mrs. H. H. Pagit, Mr. and Mrs. J. Goodknecht and Martha and Helen Goodknecht.

Mrs. Dan McFarland of Condon is a guest at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Ted Finley. Mrs. McFarland has been visiting in Oregon City and the Finleys motored down Sunday and brought her back with them.

Calvin Kaser and Margaret Shockley of the grammar room and Violet Buegell of the primary room at Evergreen are ill with mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kuenzel are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son Sunday. This is their third child and third son.

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BROOKS YOUNG FOLK ARE ENTERTAINED

BROOKS, April 22 — Mrs. Cecil V. Ashbaugh entertained the Young People's class of the Brooks Community Sunday school Saturday evening with a party. Games were enjoyed, the boys trimmed hats while the girls enjoyed the spectacle. Frank Rigzi carried off first prize and Billie Coffindaffer second prize. Next came a girls' ball driving contest, and Elizabeth Clark won first prize and Lucille Aspinwall second prize. Gum animals were made, and Vera Ashbaugh won first prize and Mitchell Lowry second. Next came a game of sitting on a milk bottle and attempting to thread a needle, with the feet crossed straight in front.

At the close of the evening, refreshments were served to the following guests: Miss Inez Allison, Miss Letta Wallace, Miss Norma Roberts, Miss Elizabeth Clark, Miss Lucille Aspinwall, Miss Stella Banyard, and Kreta Frae Ashbaugh, Ralph Chastain, Frank Rigzi, Harold Thurman, Leonard Chastain, Vera Ashbaugh, Earl Ramp, Mitchell Lowry, and the hostess Mrs. Cecil V. Ashbaugh.

Mrs. Ashbaugh, teacher of this class, announces that a name will be chosen at the next meeting.

Downy Mildew is Found in Hops At Silverton

SILVERTON, April 22.—Downy mildew is said to have made its first appearance this season in some of the hopyards in the vicinity of Silverton.

Growers have been advised to go through the yards and pick the spikes. Some of the growers are spraying the ground close about the hills with Bordeaux dust and then hoeing it into the ground. Whether or not this will prove effective has not yet been determined.

AUBURN PUPILS PLAN EXHIBIT

AUBURN, April 22.—The Busy Bee cooking club at an informal meeting at the school house Friday, decided to hold an achievement day at the school May 8, with the Trus Blue Sewing club and the 4-H Rabbit club. William Fox will be present and parents and friends are invited.

The Busy Bee cooking club have finished their work for the year 100 percent. They will exhibit cookies in Salem this week. Mrs. George Baumgartner is advisor for the girls, Helen Jus is president, Lulu Sloan, vice-president, Doris Kearns, secretary, Anna Benson, Delma Jensen and Jean Rodgers are the other members.

The Auburn school is sending the following to participate in the county spelling contest, Nola Lee fifth grade, Norman Kroehbel, fifth grade and June Scouten, seventh grade.

Farmers Urged To Form Union

BETHEL, April 22. — W. L. Crooch of Bethel presided at the Farmers' union meeting in Macleay Tuesday night. Jimmy O'Shea of the national union made a stirring appeal, explaining the necessity for farmers to unite. Mr. O'Shea believes the farmers must have a union or they are going to be forced by circumstances and conditions away from their farms, and into the laboring class in the cities.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK DECLARED BRIGHTER

BETHEL, April 22.—Mr. and Mrs. Clark Christie of Tigard have been visiting for several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carruthers.

Mr. Christie has been employed with the Roy Construction company in Seattle for a year, and Mr. and Mrs. Christie have just returned from living in Seattle. They report considerable building activity there. Business is gaining an upward trend. The change is slow but steady, and the atmosphere is optimistic.

Mr. Christie is to go onto a big building project in Spokane in a few days.

GOING TO STATE CONTEST

TURNER, April 22.—Mrs. Jean Pearcey, teacher and Miss Josephine Gilstrap, who is a high school sophomore, will spend Thursday and Friday at Corvallis, Miss Gilstrap having won first place at the district extemporaneous and interpretation contest which was held at Lebanon, March 20, will take part in the state meet at Corvallis. Mrs. J. R. Cox will take care of Mrs. Pearcey's classes in her absence.

BAD FIRE AVERTED

HUBBARD, April 22 — The Hubbard firemen responded to an alarm given by the Fosbay Dairy farm Tuesday afternoon and quickly extinguished a fire starting on the roof of a shed. Burning cinders from the boiler in the building plant caught the moss-covered roof of the adjoining shed and only the prompt response of the firemen saved the entire dairy plant, since all the buildings are closely grouped, and a heavy wind was blowing.

Fire Destroys Farm Buildings

FERRYDALE, April 22.—Two barns and machine shed on the Garnet McGrow farm two miles south of Perrydale were destroyed by fire on Tuesday evening.

A son of McGrow went to the machine shed to get gasoline for the milking machine. He was using a lantern for light. The lantern exploded, igniting the gas.

The cow and horse barn and machine shed were destroyed as well as many farm implements, including a tractor, thrasher, milking machine. It is understood that there was no insurance.

MEETING POSTPONED

HAZEL GREEN, April 22.—The meeting of the Hazel Green community club which was scheduled for Friday evening April 24 has been postponed to Thursday evening, April 30.

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GUEST AT LIBERTY

LIBERTY, April 22.—Oral Davis of Superior, Wisconsin is making a short visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Davis, while on his way to Alaska. This is the first time Mr. Davis has seen his parents for five years. The Davis family are former residents of Wisconsin.

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