

Naturalist Shows Films

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William L. Finley, field naturalist, whose film, "Woods, Water and Wild Life," a thrilling story featuring the vast and varied wildlife of the West, will be shown at a special Extension Division matinee program Saturday, November 19, at 3 o'clock in Royce Hall auditorium on the U.C.L.A. campus. Mr. Finley will be present to give an accompanying lecture as the film is shown.

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William L. Finley Will Show Wild Life Pictures at Saturday Matinee

Films which have been characterized as some of the most remarkable and spectacular of their kind will be shown in Royce Hall auditorium Saturday afternoon, November 19, when the Extension Division presents William L. Finley, famous American naturalist and wild life photographer, in a special matinee film lecture, "Woods, Water and Wild Life."

Through five thousand feet of motion picture film Mr. Finley unrolls the dramatic story of nature's gifts to the American people, accompanied by an informative and humorous narrative. He will feature the vast and varied outdoor country of the West, where Indians still spear salmon at the falls of Columbia, where coyotes stalk sage hens and pronghorns on the open plateaus, where eagles and hawks live their private lives among the crags. There will be remarkable pictures of the remaining undrained marshes, the homes of myriads of ducks, geese, grebes, herons, stilts, gulls, pelicans, ibis, avocets, curlews, sandhill cranes and many other birds.

Possessing the patience of a naturalist who loves to watch in the woods, the technique of a camera man who knows the art-

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istry of lights and shadows, and an understanding and sympathy with all things outdoors. Mr. Finley has made this one of the most interesting and spectacular of his remarkable film lectures.

For more than thirty years Mr. and Mrs. Finley have packed and camped through all the remoter parts of the western country. Their travels have produced what is considered one of the greatest photographic records of wild life ever made.

Mr. Finley, an Oregonian, is nationally famous as a naturalist, wild life photographer, author and lecturer. He is Field Naturalist of American Nature Association, Vice-President of the Izaak Walton League of America and Vice-President of the General Wildlife Federation.

Three large federal wild bird reservations and several state refuges in Oregon stand as a record of Mr. Finley's efforts in arousing popular interest in preserving our outdoor resources. The national sanctuaries were created by special executive proclamations of Theodore Roosevelt.

"Woods, Waters and Wildlife" is a program which Extension Division officials are particularly recommending to Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, and members of every type of organization interested in nature study and the natural beauty of the country.

Tickets for the U. C. L. A. Saturday matinee program are priced at 15 cents each or two for 25 cents for children and 25 cents for adults.

The three o'clock program will be preceded by a special organ concert at 2:30 by Harry Q. Mills, organist for the season's program of Extension Division entertainments.