

Depicting the wild life of the remoter parts of Alaska will be the theme of Mr. William L. Finley's lecture, which he is to give at..... on.....night,

October Mr. and Mrs. Finley, who are well known for their work as naturalists, authors and photographers, have spent two months in this our far-north territory, studying the wild birds and animals of that region with notebooks and cameras. They have brought back a large and extremely interesting collection of motion pictures, five reels of which will be shown.

The expedition was made in the yacht Westward, with its owner, Mr. Campbell Church of Eugene, Oregon, accompanied by his son, Campbell Church, Jr. of Seattle, and other members of his family. It was under the auspices of the American Nature Association of Washington, D.C., and the Bureau of Fisheries of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce. They were therefore able to land on the summer home of the fur seals, the Pribilof Islands, and "shoot" domestic scenes of their harems. Pictures of the salmon industry, also, are of absorbing interest.

Landing on the island of Bogoslof, "the Jack-in-the-box of the sea," still steaming and hot with volcanic fires, enabled photographs to be taken of the vast numbers of sea-birds that breed on its cliffs, and of the extensive sea-lion rookeries on the beaches, soon to be scattered by another eruption. A visit to the village of ^{AKUTAN} Afognak, headquarters of the whaling industry, and thrilling adventure in a whaling boat, where pictures were taken from the mast-head; stalking caribou, mountain sheep and the monster Alaskan brown bear for their

pictures; the wrecking of a cruising canoe on the surf, when some of the party nearly lost their lives; a narrow escape from an enraged moose, were some of the incidents of the expedition to be related by Mr. Finley.