

The H.G. Wells Newsletter, Volume 4 H.G. Wells Society, 1998 1998

INTRODUCTION WELLS'S WORLDS Ursula K. Le Guin. Herbert George Wells was born in 1866, in the heyday of Queen Victoria's reign, and died at nearly eighty, just after the end of the Second World War. Almost all the stories in this volume were written and published in the last decade of the nineteenth century and the first of the twentieth, before the First World War—many of them before the death of Queen Victoria. Enough to make one reconsider the meaning of the word "Victorian." Certainly one sees his distinctive style throughout the book. Many of the stories are told in a journalistic tone, easy and breezy, extremely self-confident but unpretentious, clear, moving forward at a good clip—it all seems quite simple, quite artless, which is exactly what the author wanted. H. G. Wells. Year. 1924. Source. pdf. Progress. To be proofread. Download/print. Compile a book. Printable version. Download EPUB. Download MOBI. Download PDF. Other formats. In other languages. Please help improve this media file by adding it to one or more categories, so it may be associated with related media files (how?), and so that it can be more easily found. Please notify the uploader with. {{subst>Please link images|File:The Works of H G Wells Volume 4.pdf}} ~~~~. File history. Click on a date/time to view the file as it appeared at that time.