

My Locality

My locality is not really a physical place altogether, but is best described by a quote from Williams Carlos Williams:

By listening to his language of his locality the poet begins to learn his craft. It is his function to lift, by use of imagination and the language he hears, the material conditions and appearances of his environment to the sphere of the intelligence where they will have new currency.”

While the locality may begin with a physical place, it becomes something of greater depth and value made so by the effort developing the craft, using the imagination, and proceeding toward the “function to lift” beyond the casual thought.