

Impossible to Cultivate, But Its Waters Teem with Innumerable Fish—Country Unpopulated.

The coast of Labrador is the edge of a vast solitude of rocky hills, split and blasted by the frosts and beaten by the waves of the Atlantic for unknown ages, says the Boston Transcript. A grand headland, yellow, brown and black in its nakedness, is ever in sight, one to the north of you and one to the south. Here and there upon these steep slopes and patches of pale green mosses, lean grasses and dwarf shrubbery. There are no forests except in Hamilton inlet. Occasionally miles of precipices front the sea, in which fancy may roughly shape all the structures of human art.

More frequent than headlands and perpendicular sea fronts are the sea slopes, often bald and tame, and then the perfection of all that is picturesque and rough. In the interior the blue hills and stony vales that wind up from among them from the sea have a summerlike and pleasant air.

One finds himself peeping these regions and dotting their hills, valleys and wild shores with human inhabitants, but a second thought, and a mournful one it is, tells that no men toil in the fields away there, no women keep the home off there, no children play by the brooks or shout around the country schoolhouse, no bees come home to the hive, no smoke curls from the farmhouse chimney, no orchard blooms, no bleating sheep flock the mountain side with whiteness and no heifer lows in the twilight.

There is nobody there, there never were but a miserable and scattered few, and there never will be. It is a great and terrible wilderness thousands of miles in extent and lonesome to the wild animals and birds. Left to the still visitation of the light from the sun, moon and stars and the auroral fires, it is only fit to look upon and then be given over to its primeval solitariness.

**GRASSHOPPERS IN DAKOTA**

Scourge of the State Is This Insect, Says a Man Whose Home Is in Aberdeen, S. D.

"The scourge of South Dakota is the grasshopper, which travel in swarms so vast that they appear like clouds against the sky," said Harvey L. Rowland, of Aberdeen, S. D., to the Milwaukee Sentinel.

"A South Dakota farmer will work against long continued drought, sickness among the cattle and any of the thousand and one plagues that contribute to the unpleasantness of the existence of a tiller of the soil, but when the grasshoppers descend upon him he throws up both hands and contents himself with prayer.

"About a year ago I took an early morning buggy ride out of Aberdeen to a neighboring town and, passing a cornfield, I heard a curious clicking noise, as if a million knitting needles were being used at once." Asking the driver what caused this phenomenon, he told me that the field was infested with a swarm of grasshoppers which had swooped down that morning.

"Driving back by the same road that night we stopped at the cornfield to view the devastation. It was the most desolate sight I ever saw. Every stalk of standing corn had been stripped clean of its green leaves and shoots and the scores of acres of the crop were ruined. The only thing that farmer could do was to put down a few hundred dollars to profit and loss, all attributable to the voracious insects."

**Rainiest Day.**  
A celebrated aeronaut asserts, after a patient investigation, that the ninth day of the moon is the most rainy of the whole 28, and four o'clock in the afternoon the rainiest hour of the day.

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**INTERVIEWING A BISHOP.**

Smart Boston Reporter Has Talk with Noted Clergyman—Man of the Cloth Nonplussed.

During the triennial conference of the bishops at Boston the archbishop of Capetbury, the guest of Bishop Lawrence, had a hard time avoiding the ubiquitous reporter, even though his host stuck to him closer than a brother. In one newspaper office a prize was offered for an interview with the archbishop, and consequently his lordship was more than usually beset upon every hand by the men of the lens and pencil.

On one occasion the archbishop, after service, wishing to avoid the press of reverend gentlemen, crept up into the loft of the church, known as "the lepers' gallery," and was there found by Bishop Lawrence, after a hard hunt, lying on his stomach across a bench, and watching the proceedings through a chink in the panels, so rapt, satisfied and undisturbed that the bishop let him remain there.

A little later they left the meeting ahead of the crowd and started down the line of carriages to find the bishop's own. It started to rain, but, nothing daunted, the archbishop suggested that they walk home, as their carriage was nowhere to be seen. A square or two further on some one rushed after Bishop Lawrence and drew his attention toward a carriage where a lady was beckoning frantically—one whom he recognized as a chief charity worker of his parish. "Excuse me one moment, your lordship," said Bishop Lawrence, and leaving his guest standing at the curbstone hurried to the carriage. Suddenly a dapper young man hurried forward and said, politely: "Pardon me, sir, but may I stand under your umbrella till my car comes along?"

"Certainly, my dear young man," said the archbishop, blandly, and then ensued a conversation lasting till Archbishop Lawrence returned, during which interval the stranger gave the young man an off-hand impression of American general and of Boston in particular, the latter showing his gratitude by offering his card, with the name of a prominent newspaper in the lower corner.

The archbishop glared for a moment, then laughed outright. "Interviewed at lawst," he said, taking his host's arm. "Don't leave me on the street corner again, please. It isn't safe, even in cultured Boston."

**LIBRARIANS OF OLD AGES.**

As an Armory to a Castle So Was the Library to the Ancient Monastery.

The librarian was sworn into office on the holy gospels, as became one whose duty it is to furnish to those who have need the "food" and "weapons" of the soul—for so they used to call books. "Books are the nourishment of the soul," says one abbot, speaking of the library of his convent; and another says: "As the armory is to the castle, so the library is to the monastery." The very name librarian, "arnarius," derived as it is from the press, cupboard or almeric in which the books are kept, is precisely the modern word almoner—as the almoner serves from his cupboard food and drink for the needy, so the librarian deals out books, which are the food and drink of the soul, says Harper's Magazine.

In the beginning the librarian was, curiously enough as it sounds at first, the precursor or choir-master, but the explanation of this is, in fact, simple enough; since the first books were the service books kept in the apse-cupboard in the church, the precursor was naturally charged with their care, and when the collection grew by the addition of other books he kept charge until the growth made subdivision of labor necessary.

The ordinary duties of librarians are often laid down with great minuteness in monastic rules; they differ greatly in detail but not much in essence from those of the modern; he must take charge of the books, "keep and know under their separate titles," frequently examine carefully to prevent damage from damp, dust, mice and "moth worms," and repair them when damaged. He must lend books to the brethren, enter such loan carefully in his register, and see that a sufficient deposit is left for its return, or proper bond given.



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Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, not to enter upon, or trespass in any manner upon the Star Ranch, situated at Langlois, Curry County, Oregon, for the purpose of hunting with guns or dogs, or otherwise trespass in any manner. Any person or persons so entering upon said premises without my consent will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.  
FRANKS THOMPSON.

**TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.**

**Notice for Publication.**  
United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, April 9th, 1908.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

THADDEUS GREEN of Port Orford, County of Curry, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 9001, for the purchase of the SE1 NW1 & Lots 1 & 2 of Section No. 11, in Township No. 33 South, Range No. 15 West, and will offer pr of to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or some than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before J. H. Upton, U. S. Commissioner at Langlois, Oregon, on Thursday, the 3rd day of September, 1908.  
He names as witnesses:  
G. A. Langlois, of Port Orford, Oregon.  
H. W. Burnham of " "  
E. L. White of " "  
W. F. White of " "  
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 3rd day of September, 1908.  
BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

**Notice of Publication.**  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, Land Office at Roseburg, Ore., April 21st, 1908.  
Notice is hereby given that Corralitas Flaming of Port Orford, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 14329 made February 19, 1907, for Lots 2, 4, & E1 S1 J, Section 15, Township 32 South, Range 15 West, W. M., and that said proof will be made before J. H. Upton, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Langlois, Oregon, on Monday July 20th, 1908.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuing residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz: E. R. Hall, of Port Orford, Oregon; Cyrus Madden, of " "  
Edward Fickett, of " "  
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**Notice of School Indemnity Selection.**

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Roseburg, Oregon, June 26, 1908.  
Notice is hereby given that the State of Oregon, on June 26, 1908, applied for the SE1 NE1 of Sec. 11, NE1 SE14 of Sec. 2, and NE1 NE1 and SE1 SE14 of Sec. 13, Twp. 32 S., R. 14 W., of W. M., and filed in this office lists of school indemnity selections in which is elected said land; and that said lists are open to the public for inspection. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described land or any legal subdivision thereof, or claiming the same under the mining laws, or desiring to show said land to be more valuable for mineral than for agricultural purposes, or to object to said selections for any lawful reason, should file their claims or their affidavits of protest or contest in this office.  
I hereby designate the Port Orford Tribune, published at Port Orford, Oregon, as the newspaper in which the above notice is to be published.  
J. M. LAWRENCE, Receiver.

**Trespass Notice.**

Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern, not to enter upon, or trespass upon the premises of Elk River, for the purpose of hunting or fishing with hook and line. Said premises are situated on Elk River, Curry County, Oregon, and described as follows: The West half of Section twenty seven, Township thirty two South, Range fifteen West.  
Any person or persons so trespassing for the purpose of hunting, fishing, or traveling through in any shape form or manner, or tearing down fences, or leaving out side gates open, or molesting personal property, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.  
Wm. E. Johnson, Lessee of the above described premises.

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U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, June 26, 1908.  
Notice is hereby given that MINNIE BURNHAM of Port Orford, Oregon, who, on June 22, 1908, made Timber and Stone application, N. 10171, for W 1 S W 1/4, Section 11, Township 32 S., Range 14 West, Wilmott Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof to establish claim to the land above described, before J. H. Upton, at Langlois, on the 3rd day of October, 1908. Claimant names as witnesses: Harry W. Burnham of Port Orford, Or.; Chester Langlois of " "  
Thaddeus Green of " "  
Ed Wells of " "  
BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

**To Whom It May Concern.**

The undersigned hereby give notice that they are the owners of the South half of Section 16, Township thirty three, South range fourteen West of Willamette meridian, Oregon. All parties are warned not to trespass upon or make any locations, either placer or quartz claims at their peril.  
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