

RBG Jan 7

Dover → (street signs)

1. Up Wash to Shawmut or Bway, in that to Pk Sq, & across Common. Not fam. in Dover
up Wash is right genl direction. Come along end of sq. @ Tremont to Pk Sq & bus terminals, & then to Common @ Berkeley gap.
2. Then alley, & then little off Ct. St. betw Patton's & Wash St into N side Dock Sq, along there in front of Loop Morse to Hanover – out latter under cent art., then to Prado & then there.
Up to N. Artery, am perfectly @ home. Name stores, sts, etc.
3. C.H.T. → up State & Ct St. past Old SH to Scollay Sq – duck into Pemberton not knowing whether thru or under Ct. Hse. A matter of choice. Thru Ashburton under arch St Hse, & dn Mt Vernon St. (Took time to think wh. way comparison betw. this & Beacon St)
4. Park Sq → (wld start off w/o clear pattern, & make small decisions) – Go out thru Pk Sq to corner Common – across to State Hse – thru it & dn Bowdoin – @ foot here opp. garage, turn it dn Clarendon past Tel & Welfare Bldg. @ this end.
wld have to look around, prob. ahead & to it.

Do most of it by going by direction, & details on ground. Has detailed knowledge C.B.D. & Back Bay, less N & S ends.

5. Chas River → thru Leverett, hope to get out on Cambridge nr Otis Hse. Go up thru Scollay & dn Court St. to to E end. Old State Hse. Dn Devonshire past P.O., & jog L & R & go dn Federal St. (doesn't visualize Leverett St).
(Worked in PO Square).

In genl disc. – says always confused in Common, cannot visualize path to take but confident wld find way thru, tho hill & bandstand get in way. Prob. uses sight of State Hse. Likewise cannot visualize Pk St. station to Commonwealth.

Does not use tower landmarks, since has whole series detailed clues on every street. But if had to find way fm Franklin Sq Hse to MIT, wld experience a definite break in two unrelated systems.

Note that may have directed himself so as to avoid Scollay.