



In Washington, D.C., a walk along Pennsylvania Avenue, from the National Archives to the Old Post Office, equals the distance of the walk in Venice but appears much shorter.

Detail, map of Washington, D.C. (1 inch = 200 feet). Source: Allan Jacobs, 1989.

of bridges—to what they have already learned. But James warns that this observation is too crude. “To our successive feelings, a feeling of succession is added, that would be treated as an additional fact

requiring its own special elucidation.” A walk through Venice might be followed by a walk through Mestre, the nearest town on the mainland. Or, as here, a walk through Venice might be compared to