

I have recently completed Chapter 22 version 2 and produced the PDF (Portable Document Format) document.

I am thinking that an author note may be of interest.

After publishing Chapter 22 I have received helpful comments from two people, separately.

After the first comment I rewrote the parts of the chapter that are before and after the discussion about localizable sentences.

The discussion about localizable sentences only changes slightly, where Edith gets the list from her bag.

I had known of the desirability of “show not tell” in creative writing yet I had never really understood it. After helpful discussion I feel that I know more about it now, so I have tried to apply that in the writing of the second version.

It was after that rewriting but before publication that I received the second comment on the original version.

As a result I have added to the rewriting the part where the ladies are walking back to the exhibition so as to clarify the meaning that I intended in the original story, trying to do that in a “show not tell” way.

I am grateful to the two people who supplied the comments. Thank you both.

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