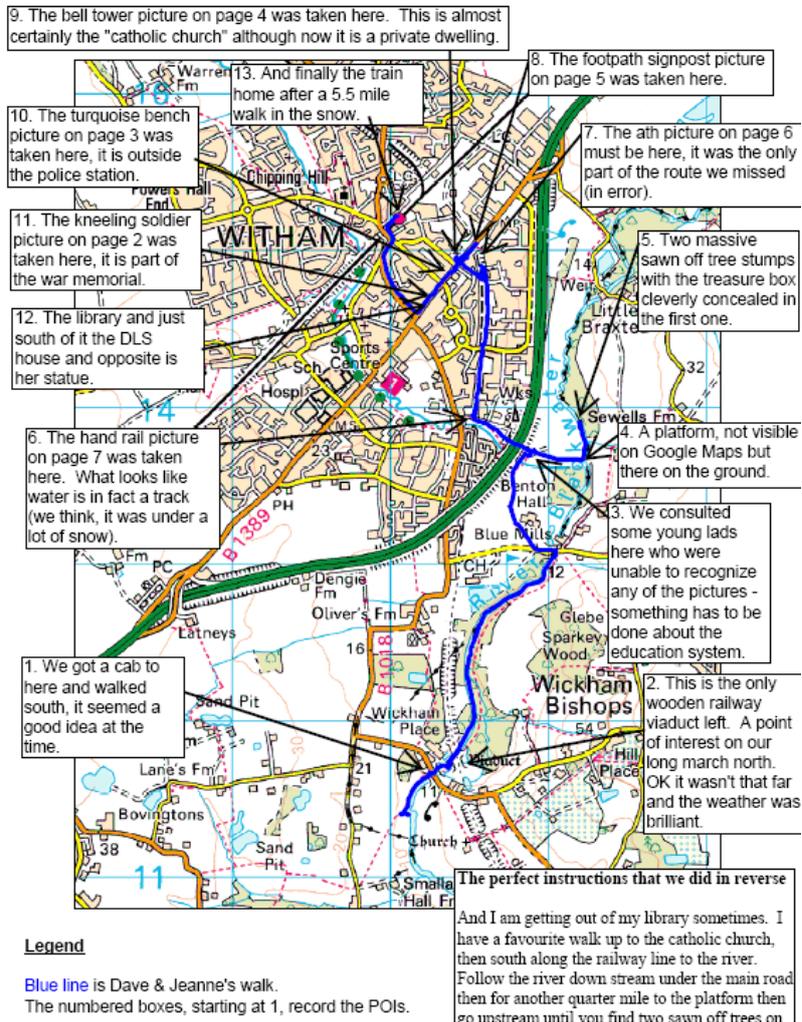


The Photographic Evidence

Jeanne and David Kee took a scenic route to the treasure:



but got there in the end:



On a muddier day the Pathfinders found the platform...



...meanwhile Ringing the Changes found one in Oxford,



“Must have misinterpreted the directions.”

The Slow Learners learned fast enough:



and offered some hand-knitted bell-ringer's socks:



If you missed the box, next time follow the example of Treble Bobs All Round and bring an eagle-eyed 12-year-old with you:



Alcoholus Lubricatum omitted this essential piece of kit on their first visit



Others annotated ours:

Death Bredon (b red on) are the middle names of LPW.

The font used on page 1 and the poster is xirwena and was inspired by Dante's Divina. The font author started from a sample called Florentine Bastarda which she later found in a copy of the Commedia dated 1337, the Codex Trivulziano (a reference to the trivial may seem profound?). Is Florentine something in the Commedia perhaps?

LPW wrote a book, "Notes on the Collecting of Incunabula". Incunabula is a book, or even a single sheet of text, that was printed — not handwritten — before the year 1501 in Europe.

A Treble Bob Major. A bell ringing peal and continued through pages 3-8. Similar to the one in the Nine Tailors by DLS. See notes at end.

The Wimsey Coat of Arms, the motto on the shield should read IHOLDBYMYWHIMSY. Taking this as Playfair the "keyword square" is OFHEC
AMBRI DGLKN PQSTU
VWXYZ Which gives a key of
OF HE CAMBRIDG L

This is a Guinness Toucan standing on compass points. DLS wrote the Toucan jingle! The Toucan could also be said to be acting as a weather vane. Harriet Vane is one of DLS's heroines and married LPW.

This is a statue of Palmerston in Parliament Square. LPW was found here in a drunken state with Charles Parker, a senior policeman. When a constable found them he called a taxi and no further action was taken. This is from Clouds of Witness.

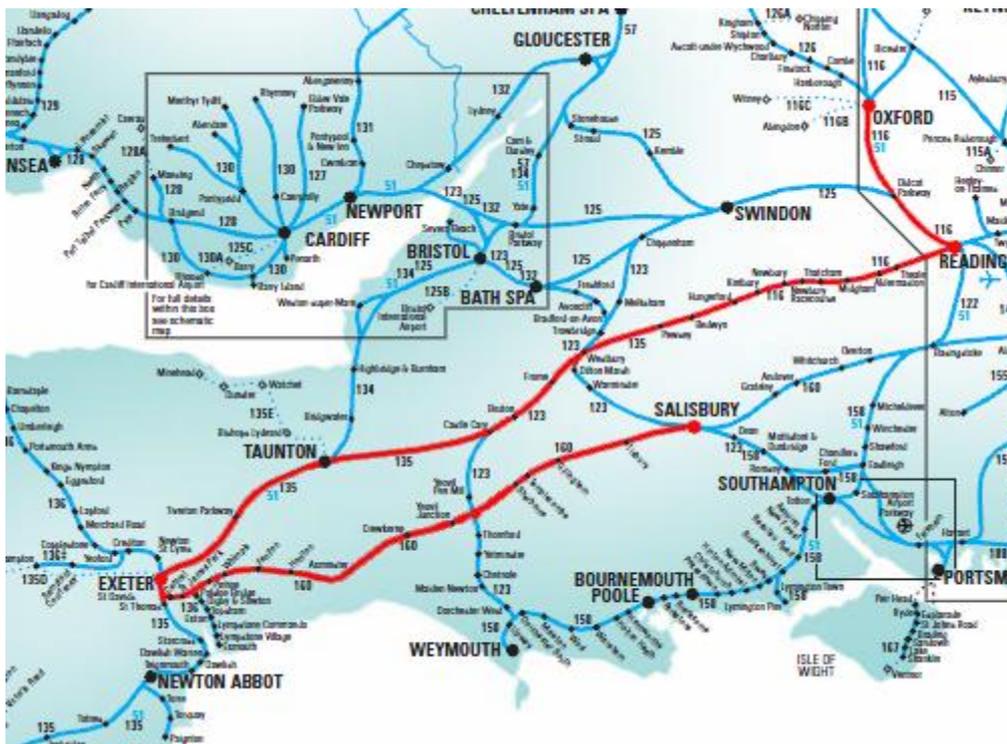
Double Helix Differential Major, a ringing sequence used as a cipher in the same way as in the Nine Tailors. Source text is the green text on page 2. The solution is on page 10.

Legend on last page

Some showed us their armchairs:



Dotty Incunabula followed the train journey meticulously:



Although others preferred bus travel:



Vandals visit Witham! Who would commit such sacrilege?



The Friends of Dorothy Society are prime suspects:



Many sought buried treasure in vane (sic):



But only one unfortunate hunter required tetanus inoculation:

2					
3					
4					
Diphtheria/Tetanus/Polio					
		11005202			
Dose	Date received	Brand name	Batch No.	Given by	Booster/revaccination
1	18/1/10	REVAXIS		Richard	10/2/15.
2					
3					
Rabies					
Dose	Date received	Brand name	Batch No.	Given by	Booster/revaccination
1					
2					

Thanks to all for taking part,
Paul, Frances, Anna and Jonathan