Mr. Philip Griffin
Street Interview

This is the part of Boston that I like the best, this block and the one we just passed. Sometimes it seems to me to be either quiet or kind of straining to be quiet. But that's not really fair because I thought of that before. I'm looking at the wide sidewalk and I don't know, it isn't really very interesting section of town, is it? I see a horribly ugly church, Ark. Curt, church. And this building over here is where I used to work, Hillgrove. This is a pleasant intersection here because of the common on the left, occupying a quarter of your view. The brick pavement is very uncomfortable to walk on sometimes. Neal's of California seems to be very artificial because it's not really of California, having lived in California. This reminds me of New York, the street with Central Park on the other side (The Heights). I see another church on the right, and an awful lot of Cadillacs. Probably very nice women clothing store. And on the other side a rather pleasant little group of stores, shops, appliance shops. Well the shops weren't obviously built that way, they were built as residences first, that is quite obvious for most of them. But still it's probably more pleasant that way, at least they've done a good job of it. And there is another building, Newman College, that doesn't look like a store at all; it looks like a public library, or something. Why such a filthy alley. Horrible contrast to the two blocks we walked on. And this is an indication that Boston is having difficulty in keeping its streets clean. Sewage, sweetshop. This alley obviously hasn't been cleaned for a long while. The smell of garbage. We'll get out of this alley. Now this is quite a contrast to the alley we've just been in. In the summertime its probably very pleasant. I see the capital of Massachusetts, ahead of us with the golden dome. I've never been along here before, except when I was very young. Cast Iron Mailing.