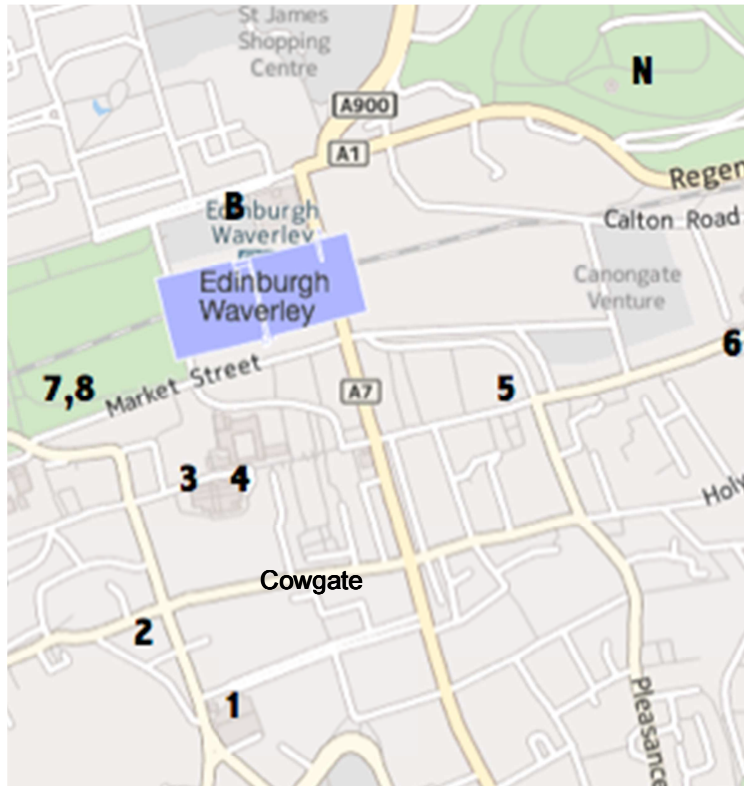


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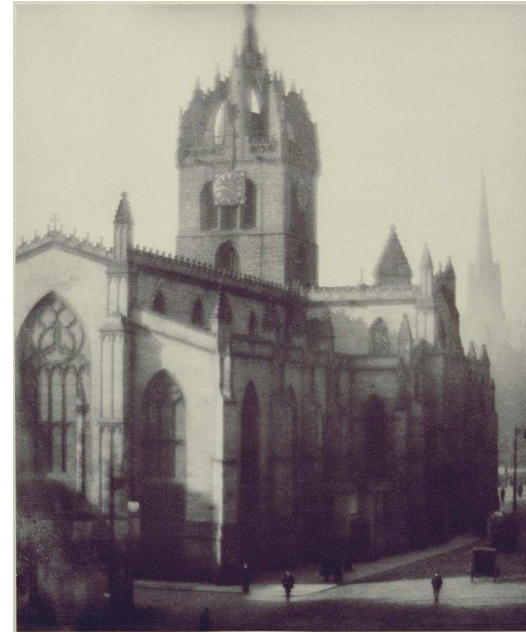
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1. National Museum
 - a. Equation of Time Tables
 - b. Japanese Pillar Clock
2. Magdalen Chapel
3. The Royal Mile and Sound
4. St. Giles. Cathedral



St. Giles in 1905

5. John Knox House Sundial
6. Canongate Tolbooth
7. View of the Balmoral Hotel ("B" on the map)
8. The One O'clock Gun and a view of the Time Ball at the Nelson Monument ("N" on the map)

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