

P → Ø

14.77

Michael Murphy Golf in the Kingdom p.4 l.5  
Puffin Paperback 1972

Did he [Shiva, Iron] drive the elephant  
green, some 320 yards away?

Later on - part p.50

16.77

... play Bawang bush ...

One ... be

1.4.72

If one feels ill, taking him to a doctor is easy (for me)

## Successive cyclicity

(2.30.76)

This makes the claim that rules which influence lower items [Finish Case Change, Person Case Change]

shouldn't be able to work — because cyclically, you move the things before they get changed.

— (Spanish a)

Rap with Paul

Reflexive Deletion

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I washed (myself) / ? I rewash

I bathed (? myself) / ? I rebathed

I showered (\* myself) / I reshowered

They armed (\* themselves) / rearmed (themselves)

But

NB

We're rebuilding

The plane is fueling \* (itself) / The plane is  
refueling

Rap with Paul

speak / talk

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Paul  
doesn't

get  
this

at all

French  $\rightsquigarrow$  { spoken } here  
                  { \*talked }

French  $\rightsquigarrow$  fun to { speak }  
                  { \*talk }

He can { speak } French, but I can't { speak } it  
                  { talk }

I talked to her in French  
                  { French to her }

I talk French

Why? \* French was { spoken } in  
                  { talked }

BUT: Why { \*speak } languages / skip / etc. ?  
                  { talk }

\* He now respeaks French

Rap with Paul

Intransitive 2's

(2.29.76)

Me: Possible test for intransitive 1:

The  $\frac{V}{N}$  began

Paul: Possible test for intransitive 1:

[ - ing ]<sub>N</sub>; intransitive 2's take  $\frac{-ad}{-ment}$   
etc.

Me: In german [ Das V ein ]<sub>N</sub>

Paul: English - er  
Agentive

Exception: runner, beginner

12 10 '76

SOME INTRANSITIVE 1 VERBS

work

play

speak, talk

Way of speaking verbs: mumble, shout, scream, whisper, bellow, growl, etc.  
smile, grin, grimace, frown, etc.

dance

whistle, hum (*voluntary*)

skate, ski, swim

kneel down, bow, bend (*voluntary*)

think, meditate, cogitate

fight

walk, travel (*agentive sense*)

*Take King*

sleep

SOME INTRANSITIVE 2 VERBS

exist *(re)*

happen, occur, transpire, take place

arise, ensue

appear, disappear, vanish

Inchoatives: melt, freeze, solidify, crystallize, vaporize, evaporate,  
redden, darken, become fat, become thin, become big, become small, etc.

All colors, weights, sizes, shapes, smells

fall, rise

arrive

flourish, multiply, become numerous, become rare or scarce

blush, grow pale

perish, die, be born

sprout, grow, bloom, wilt, wither

dry out, become wet

explode

collapse

slide, slip, seep, trickle, drip, ooze, gush

drown (involuntary), stand (involuntary), sit (involuntary)

stink, smell

rot, decompose

evil, good

light, heavy

increase, decrease, reduce, diminish, dwindle, peter out

dim, brighten, etc. (these are inchoatives)

remain, stay, last

survive, subsist,

begin, continue, stop, start, cease

dissolve

reside, dwell

dangle, hang

spray

burn

disintegrate

*Take other  
unmarked*

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## SOME TRICKY CASES AND SOME CASES OF DOUBLETS: INTRNS 2 or INTRANS 1

### VERBS OF MOTION

walk seems to be generally an intransitive 1.

So are, usually, travel, voyage. But these can be intrans 2s too when they are nonAgentive, as in: That letter travelled from Paris to Buenos Aires.

arrive seems to be an intransitive 2.

But most verbs of motion seem to be capable of being either Agentive or not, and hence, intrans 1 or intrans 2:

go, come, leave, go out, go up, go down, etc. These should be examined in detail.

Also, run seems to be Agentive in most cases, but there are also nonAgentive uses of run. (The conference ran for 3 weeks, = lasted for 3 weeks.)

What needs to be shown in all tricky cases and all cases of doublets is this:

That whether or not you can have an impersonal passive depends on whether or not the semantic relation of the nominal to the verb is that of Agent.

escape is also tricky.

Nonagentive, hence intrans 2: Gas escaped into the next room.

But what is the status of: The convict tried to escape.

This is not so clear.

As an intransitive, follow seems to take initial intransitive 2s:

Night followed. A party followed.

But it is a 1 in transitive uses of follow.

The same is true of many verbs that are transitive/intransitive doublets, especially the aspectuals such as start, stop, continue, begin, etc.

There may be a contrast between dream (taking an initial 2) and daydream (taking an initial 1).

The thing to remember is this:

In all cases where something seems NOT to behave like it should according to the enclosed list, test to see whether the verb in question is capable of having different semantic relations to its nominal, and see whether the syntactic behavior in question is correlated with these semantic differences.

Rap with Paul

( Pied Piping )

12.29.76.

Paul asks: in

How obvious is it to you that's?

3      1

Why can the 3 drag along, not the 1?

? How deceptively presented to the committee  
Me: were these expenses?

How widely reported <sup>[in]</sup> by the newspapers was  
his resignation?

[ Why: How quickly fired were the eggs? ]

Paul: ?? How widely known that he is a federal  
was it to the new members of the committee?

Ped Piping

12.29.76.

(\*by the students)

How well received was Jim's talk??

Bad in  
both places.

Paul: How {well}  
{\*often} discussed is this problem?

So that S has no good Q form of well.

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How afraid that S are you?

How afraid are you that S?

Equi & Unspec NPs Rel

12.28.76.

Q&A:

Why is officiating in NFL so bad?

Why amby?

Maybe because of

a) The officiating in the NFL

b) Q: Officiating in the NFL is bad from

Middle +  
scrappiness

12.27.26.

Hey! Here's a middle with an NP scrap:

Joe takes \*(good) pictures (\*of).

[= Joe is easy to photograph]

how to find  $\rightarrow \varnothing$

12.27.76.

I know my way  
[+ Edgy]

ff?

I know how to find my way

Otherwise, X's way occurs only  
after find/lose, and know take S or Q.

Liaison Phenomena:  
Word-final [ŋg]

12.21.76

Phenomenon for Joel?

In New York (?) centered speech, sometimes [g] doesn't drop word-finally:

Long Island

I just heard something like  
... anything 'ont...

I'm sure the [g] can't always stay

1. Across clauses?

\* If you're not coming, I'm going

2. Easier / -P<sub>ro</sub> than / -NP?

Where are you taking {<sup>(as</sup>  
Eddie)}

3. In fixed phrases?

\* Long Island vs ? Long envelope

# Weather V + Infinitive Passus

12.12.26.

∅

\* Es wurde geregnet

Why not?

Traces

From rep with Morris:

12.13.76.

Is it difficult to distinguish, in trace theory, between

\* V N P N P when one has later been moved?

(talk + P → Ø)

(2.876)

French is hard for me to talk b.(m).

??. The language that he is talking isn't agglutinative enough

So in talk (m) French

French isn't much of an NP w/o P.

But: French-speaking people.

Why \*?: French-speaking is fun.

# (Comparatives of adverbs)

12.6.76.

No adverb will compare that is not either Adv#ly or a possible prenominal adjective.

He worked more skillfully than I did

He ran { faster } than I did  
                { harder }  
                { longer }

\* He has eaten more already than you have.

\* He is here stiller than you are.

\* He likes Ripple, evener than she.

\* He played it even thiner than you did.

\* I stayed more there than you did.

Exceptions: often, ?seldom

12.9.76.

NB: ③ frequently rarely

(TM, Mohler Shuf & the Center)

12.2.76.

He is a man who is fun { to talk to  
                                  { ? talking to

He is a fun { to talk to  
                                  { \* talking to } man

Presumably \* because this is a  
marked TM

Unspec NP felt please

Seem to be only with future triggers?

12.2.76

John { tried  
wanted  
? tried  
would like } to please  
\* likes  
? \* seems  
\* may  
\*\* avoided

I { helped  
made  
? expected }

John anticipates please)

Can the rule ever work after an -up?

RCF

11.30.76

The other is Les's more cautious female counterpart  
Emilia nova, whose womanly chivalry and wise knowledge  
of the natural world must be worked before humanity  
can fulfil itself.

J. Bronowski, Introduction p. 12 (12-15) of  
William Blake, Penguin

Simpler: The people have bitters and who dry me

So RCF can't read more than  
why NP's at the front

Joan recognises this type of sentence - she believes there  
was a squib about them in L1 sometime - possibly by a  
Japanese linguist?

12.1.76

Vowel length / -x German

11.25.76

Krach  
Pech / nach

Are there  
any short  
vowel words?

Wicht  
Brück, Woch

Büch, Tisch Fluch

ich / riech! Viech knacken

NB:

riecken

geräusch

Maybe

[gel-] N

shortens?

Pech / \* eech

Koch, doch / \* öch

Küche / # ... üch#

Fäsch ?

/ Reich

/ auch # lots

/ auch Peache

Fat Verbs

11.24.76

Paralleling Roger Higgin

\* What use was it made of

I have

? I hate being written recommendations for

\* What kind of recommendation do you hate  
being written for?

Rap w/ Henk

Slicing + P Stranding

11.19.76

1. who > what / - p

She caught a cold, but I forgot {who} from  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. Not all prepositions like being stranded:

She was throwing things, but I couldn't see

- \* what out of
- ? who at
- ? who with
- \* what into
- ? what through

Rap with Rich:

Milkies

1.  
U.15.76

IF  $V \sim NP, P \sim NP$  ~  $VNP \sim NP$  with  $NP,$   
 $\downarrow$   $\downarrow$   $\downarrow$

then this will和睦 better than this

But Truth serum injects easily (\*into my patients)  
? Patients inject easily with truth serum

Butter spreads well onto crackers >

Cracker spreads well with butter

Negatives are OUT

\* Snow sweeps easily off of the sidewalk

The sidewalk sweeps well (\*\* of snow)

Markedness:

This lantern { washes }  
wipes } well  
\*scrubs }

Middle

Rap with Rich

11.16.76.

Rich: This table wipes (clean) easily  
 { + off }

Usually,  
 ~ 1/3 particles

Pepsi Cola pours (+ out) well

Me: The shirts dried { Ø — no agent }  
 ——————  
 well — some  
 early — lt

## Stative passives

4.15.76

3 paid for —

Why  $\nexists$  others? that is, basically  $\nexists$  stative passives for V with P.

## Locative + Source Fronting

11.15.76.

Only unmarked P may go:

• (In) The garden swarms with bees

(On) The stage was crawling with termites

Rich

Blood dropped from the knife

The knife { was dripping } \*dropped } with blood

Why? →

The knife dropped blood

Source fronting

Middles

11.9.76.

This ax cuts { \* <sup>P</sup>  
well  
steel }

Maybe the restriction is that something must follow the V?

No

? This word translates into Spanish

[ Better with would (not) ]

## Reduced Relative Clauses in Hindi

bāra admi      big man      great / important  
large      11.8.76.

? { admi jo bāra hai }

NP [jo admi bāra hai]

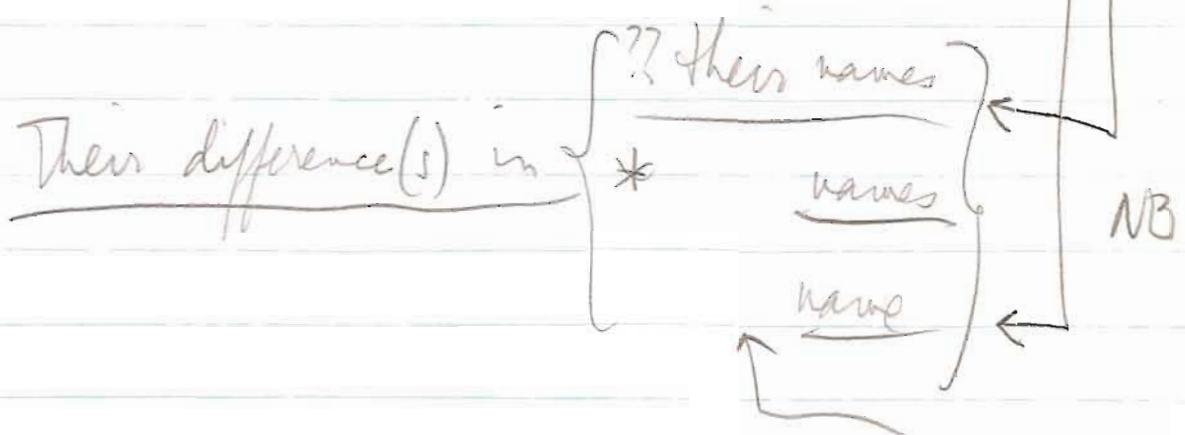
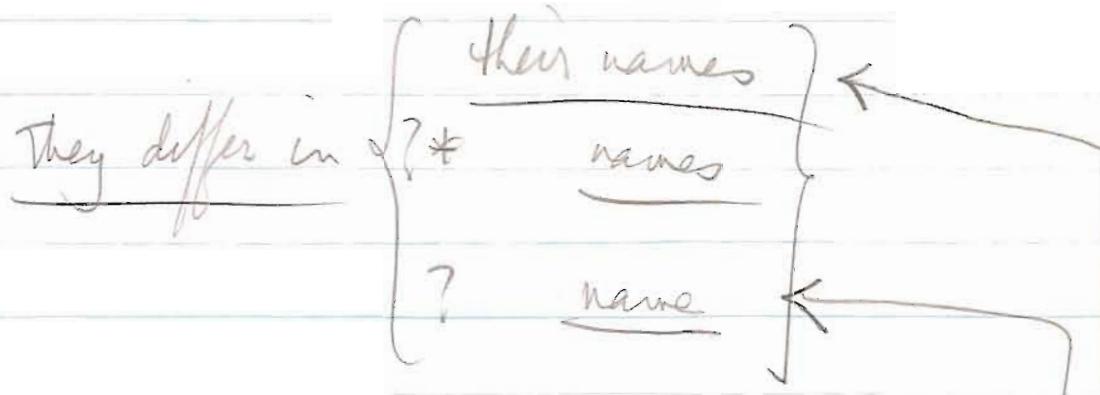
jo bāra admi hai

one who is a big man

jo ... wo

Property Factoring  
Nominalization & the Genitive

11.8.76.



NB: \* Their difference in refusal to weep

What class of N allows Ø article here?

( OBL Raising + Adjectives )

From 24.9.01:

11.5.76.

All V that undergo Raising can't have their complements to the left of them.

Only adjectives can. Why is there no adjective like seen?

Comitatives

Rap w/ John Goldsmith:

11.5.76.

He: Comitatives often assume patency

I drove off with Tex = took Ted

Me: with-NP's can only modify subjects + direct  
objects

\* Books were sent to Mike with Sandra.

He: with a third — it's really a kind of comitative

Me: so are instruments

Ruf with  
Rich:

Rich: "everybody  
does it" V

# Agency + Transitivity

11.1.76.

Intransitive  
agentives  
groan, etc

Deletable (?)  
objectS

eat  
drink  
read  
drive  
spark  
write  
row?

Non-causative  
agentive transitives

hit (strike, smash, etc.)  
kick, touch, reach  
look at (examine, inspect)  
test  
replace  
choose (select, decide-on)  
complain

Maybe non-  
causative  
build ...  
destroy ...

? = cause contact

belt = cause grad

bend

lift, drop

(Q Float + Equ)

10.27.76

\* All of each of my friends

\* Each of my friends all ate together

But ∃ Each of my friends wanted to all eat together

i. ∃ 2 clauses in DS

## Negative Deletion

10.28.76.

Idea from Roffey + Dwight:

Bernt's phenomenon is explained by  
Talmy Givón's principle that negatives  
presuppose affirmatives, and by some principle  
that allows the deletion of presupposed material.

Negatives + deletion

10.26.76.

Another case of Beowulf's law:

{      Needless } to say  
-----  
\* Need

Apostives + weird dialects

10.22.76

24.951

Karen Michelson can say:

Fred, and to whom I talked, is sick

[in which  $\Rightarrow$  that]

10.20.76.

Mark Battin:

The place) that I live  
[\*city] —

11's

in church / [\*barlica]

Cleft S + Whiz → Ø ?

10.20.76.

Fact from Mark Gathin:

It was Tom { \* in  
                            behind the door  
                            \* hungry     \* knowing that's  
                            { the villain  
                            \* at large  
                            up for tenure }

? It ε in the set A

Don't reduce unless the predication is contingent

{ \* It was this book about war     \* It's this talk  
  { quantity  
\* It was this key to that door     ? It's Harry from Moscow

Me: These are clearly clefts:

It was { \* even     Tom behind the door  
                            \* also     {  
                            only }

Extrapolation from NP?

10.18.76.

From 24.957

Maybe extrapolation of N complement  
is done by Extrapolation of PP?

## Reflexive Passives

10.19.76.

Why  $\nexists$  \* Es wurde sich ihm geholfen

Remain

1b. 18.76.

Rich: Only { be } - remain invert NP<sub>1</sub> + NP<sub>2</sub>

The problem { was } remained apathy  
Apathy { was } the problem  
remained

Out for  
change  
pred: \* A jinzie became Clyde

Me NB: ♫ Neg

\* The problem doesn't remain apathy

ff/5

\* The problem doesn't continue to be apathy

Maybe: \* Neg(CONTINUE(STATE))

Why: He didn't { stay } worse  
remain

# Argument for Journey

10.13.76.

## Cave-to-Athen flight

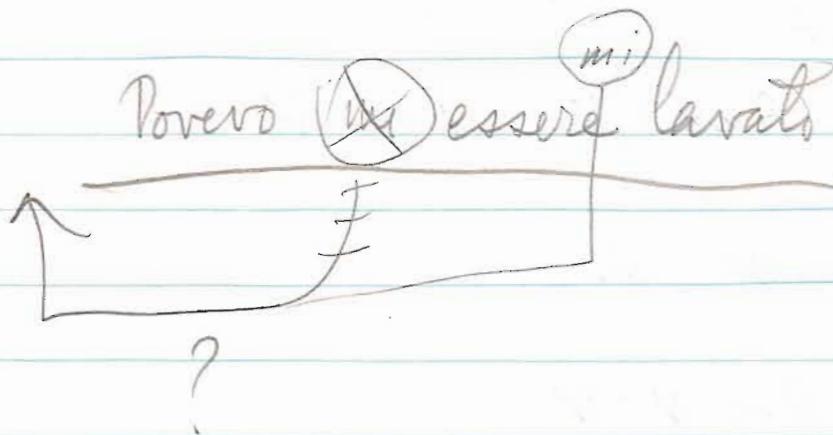
True? → Since only ~~wishes~~ incorporate,  
this looks as if it's one ~~wish~~:

Journey

# Italian Clitic Climbing

10.13.76.

From rap with Dominique and Nathalie:



Yes but  
clitics go after  
infinitives

Lungi: Mi, <sup>\*sono</sup> dovuto essere lavato  
          <sup>\*ho</sup>

Aux dovere Aux V  
    ↑    ↑  
    DoVere   essere  
    ↑    ↑  
    dovere   dove

Mi dovo essere lavato mentre ero sotto l'ipnosi  
myself must have washed while I was under hypnosis

(s)j deve essere svegliato mentre eravamo fuori  
(himself) he must have woken up while we were out

E' dovuto svegliarsi

(has a different meaning): he had to wake up

Ho capito che ho dovuto essermi lavato mentre ero ---  
I realized \* mi sono dovuto essere lavato

solo dovuto essermi lavato

see back

Rizzi points out that none of the phenomena that he proposes to explain with the restructuring process (e.g. clitic climbing > Aux switch) do not take place in the context

Aux V : Aux V

although they do in

Aux V V

and

V Aux V

# Butcher Rippings

10.8.76.

\* \* { These things, to Joan  
To Joan, these things } I said that we'd  
bring up later

NB\* In the bath the bear I put

Some

But 3 OK ss with 2 clauses

replied:

To the boys, steak I talked about, and to Harry

{ I talked about fish

(\* you)



Must repeat

(\* These files, to the Hurn Library)

{ To the Hurn Library, these files } I would only

turn over if they show me some feathly pictures

Like

10.7.76.

Title for paper: "Like - wow!"

Luke I can't stand him

Why is this OK?

Models + very well

10. 6. 76.

I { could  
?? can  
may  
might  
\* mayat  
\* will  
\* should

(\*) very well be able to help you

# IO Freeze

9.30.76.

From 24.951:

Who did he give what?

Why is this good, when this isn't

Who did he give a throttle?

Idioms and No matter-clauses

9.30.76.

Bumper sticker:

Snoopy    No matter how you slice it, golf is a great game

{ ?? It doesn't matter) how you slice it }  
    { one slices it }  
    { they slice it }  
?\* Regardless

Benefactive → 1

9.27.76.

Parking lot attendant:

Would you mind telling me how I look on the roof?



How I look for me on the roof?

Have as a MN

9.27.76.

Different tests have different thresholds.

He hasn't { any money  
\* no money  
\* (any) fun  
Ted polish my shoes

Has he { ? any money  
\* no money  
\* Any fun  
\* Ted polish my shoes

? → { money.

He has { fun  
\* Ted polish my shoes

Only + quantifier

9.22.76.

\* I only saw everything.

? I only met all the people.

I only met all the men.

NP Shift + stranding

9.9.76.

Hey!

I will refer to P as a law [any expression of the  
from  $A \Rightarrow B$ ]

So some P can be stranded.

Hmmmm.

## Polarity Items

1.

August 1976 - Tunis

Observation of Benoit: negative sentences allow more deletions than positive ones.

9.7.76.

Example: \*(Il y'a) besoin de courir.

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Nul} \\ \text{Aucun} \\ \text{Pas} \end{array} \right\}$  besoin de courir. = \*(No) need to run

\*(In)utile de courir

(Ce n'est) pas la peine de courir. = \*(Not) worth running

Literary       $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Rien ne sert de} \\ \text{Il ne sert rien de} \\ \text{Que lui sert de} \end{array} \right\}$  courir = No [good] use  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{running} \\ (\text{for him}) \end{array} \right\}$

NB: \* Il sert quelque chose de courir

Pas question de vous aider

\*(Pas) grave =  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{(Don't) worry} \\ \text{(No harm done)} \end{array} \right\}$  (say, after someone has stepped on your toes)

(Il) n'importe que = It [doesn't matter] that [it matters]

Aucune importance = No matter

## Plausibility Items

2.

9.7.76.

\* (Im)possible!

\* (In)croyable! = \* (Un)believable! / (In)credible!

{  
No  
Not a  
Fat } chance

Nothing doing!

Pas de jeu = no fair

No harm done

No {  
kidding  
shit  
stuff  
fooling } !

(Nach dir) keine Sorge = Dont worry

No sweat

No problem

\* (No) time to eat

Keine Eile = No hurry

No way!

No accounting for tastes.

\* (NOT) likely

Needless to say,<sup>s</sup>

NB: In negative (etc.) environments,  
need to → need<sub>Modal</sub>

## The Possessivized Pronoun Constraint

9.6.76.

1. Benoit: \*this's isn't done by stupid OC - if a man were named That, we'd have Mr. That's hat fine.  
So the constraint is: don't possessivize deictics which are used as pronouns.

2. Me: This suggests a more general law - don't follow any pronoun with s.

\* The picture of you's width

? The man who met you\*(yesterday)'s hat

3. "Follow" is to be construed generously:

→ { Ann } and Bob's house  
? { you }

\* Bob and { you's } similarity

4. Maybe this is somehow connected with deletion sites:

? The poor's plight

\* The ten's similarity

Benoit: If so, then why  
is { His } OK OR?

{ That's }  
This obeys stricter (and more?) laws

generic oil

8.28.76

From Dick Oehrle's Thesis, p. 47

When I walked into the room, I noticed

= D0  
(16)    that } John's } kick had caused the house  
            | \* a    |  
of cards to collapse = D0 (17)

But

(18)    A kick may cause a house of card to collapse



long

"Soft facts" p.1

8.17.76.

"In linguistics there is and has long been a tendency to adopt the metatheoretical framework of the hard sciences, including attitudes about what counts as a fact, with the result that a wide variety of controversies have to do with unspoken premises about data."

Why is long OK here?

?\* said that S

I have long wanted to X.

? I hoped that  $X > ?$  for Y.

Only OK with  
perfect

\*they may long try for X

\*They were long trying that's

\* studied Turkish.

I have long {  
 ? suspected  
 ? known  
 ?? realized } that S

Pretty poor even w/o long,  
though.

I have long been {  
 ?? aware  
 ?? afraid  
 \* surprised } that S

Mystery Tap

8.16.76.

The Eagle Has Landed p. 152 l-20

He's a bad bastard vs Arthur

NB:

Arthur is a bad bastard {

?? Arthur is  
? is Arthur  
he is  
\* is he  
?? is he }

## If-Statements

Bill Graham

8.6.76

Ignore me at your peril = If [you ignore me] i)

Similarly : { at your risk } { I will penal you }  
{ to your detriment }

Always, there will be semantically = predicates which can take a sentential argument

NB: ~~Ignore me at Jinsiper! } }~~

→ Or: If [you ignore me], it is at your peril

Nounness? +  
Ripability

Free 13-26

Daniel:

That would be great for taking a  
picture of

# Possessivization

6.7.76.

NB



at the best of X  $\Rightarrow$  at X's best

on the part of X  $\Rightarrow$  on John's part

for the sake of X  $\Rightarrow$  for X's sake  
[out for short X]

All the articles here are definite, which suggests the existence of a constraint to that effect in the statement of the rule.

NB also: here's a case where it seems D to have condition on rules — it is possible, but it seems pointless to generate both

on {the} part of X  
a } ←

and to throw out this  
"on semantic grounds"

Rap with Morris:

Nearer to Vee + delectability

5.27.76.

- I. The nearer to Vee, the less delectable.
- II. The more basic a S, the more delectability.

I sprayed { \* (paint) (on the wall) }  
                  { \* (the wall) (with paint) }

I blamed { \* (Harry) (for the mishap) }  
                  { \* (the mishap) (on Harry) }

Therefore, this is less basic

I made { \* (the eggs) (into cookies) }  
                  { \* (cookies) (out of the eggs) }

Basic

Morris:

{ Your }  
Every acorn developed (into an oak tree).

\* An acorn developed into { your } oak tree.

{ Your }  
Every oak tree developed (out of an acorn)

An oak tree developed out of { your } acorn

(Hidden If?)

Thoughts from reading Erich's thesis:

5.27.76.

Your business would prosper\*(here)



If your business were here, it would prosper

? Your child would be lucky



If you had a child, [it] [he] would be lucky

(Articlelessness +  
m > m)

5.8.76.

\* Y be in mind.

X have Y in mind.

X's idea is Y

[Permanent, created by X]

Y be on X's mind.

X have Y on X's mind.

X's concern is Y

[Temporary, not deep-rooted]

5.11.76

X bring Y to mind

X put Z in mind of Y

NB: The P which allow  
articlelessness are  
in and to

9.24.76

and at and from He returned from school  
left

[Cf. 3.5.76.]

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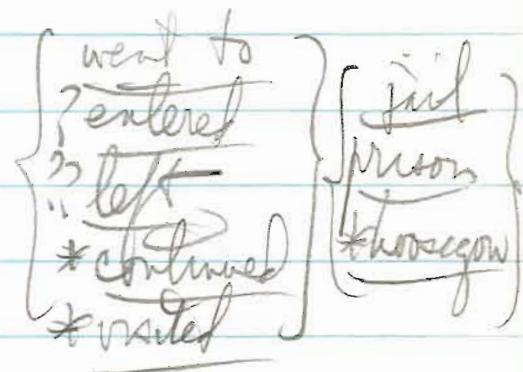
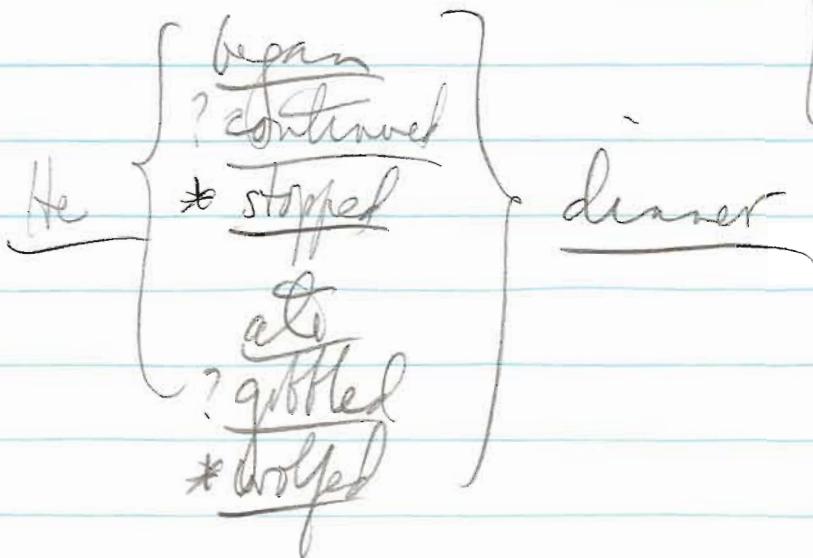
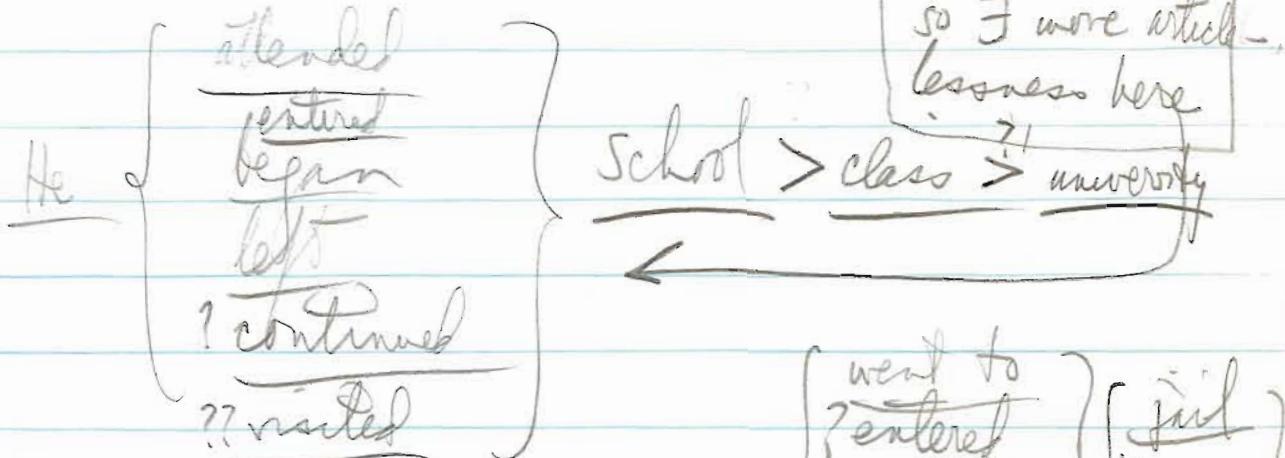
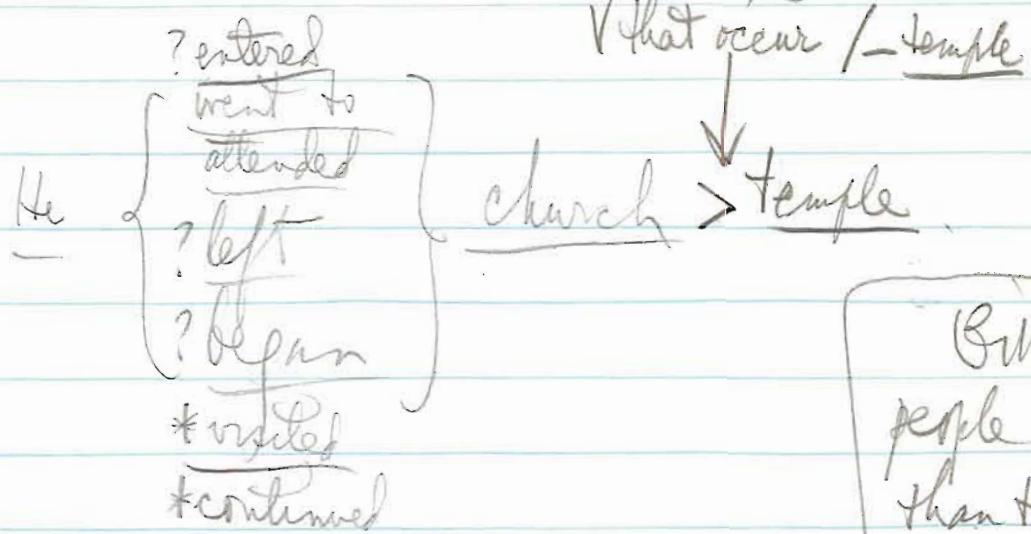
5.7.76.

{  
poor  
pauper  
arm  
bednyj ← Russian  
} = pitiable

All are impossible in predicate  
positions on this reading.

(Articlelessness)

I.e., 3 fever 5.5.76.



\*\* He drank Happy Hour

## Articlelessness

5.5.76.

Return always takes to, except / - home

French

en { \* metropole  
 + ville  
 \* village }

en volant [at the wheel]

en lit [in bed]

Bill: Articleless N are social products

Exceptions: { up } { stream > river }  
 { down } { + brook }  
 { \* creek }

Only metaphoric [ at sea ] go to sea ?  
 \* lake { \* lake }

# Articlelessness

3.

5.5.7c.

So: the first place where T deletion is  
/ go to -

go to market > be at market

Rich

<u>w/o article</u>	<u>with article only</u>
<u>in origin</u>	<u>in a flash</u>
<u>in return</u>	<u>on the way</u>
<u>in question</u>	<u>at the beginning / end</u>
<u>at scene</u>	<u>by the rules</u>
<u>in mind</u>	<u>follow in X's footsteps</u>
<u>at / on / in hand</u>	<u>think of the worst</u>
<u>under attack</u>	<u>in the way</u>
<u>on face</u>	
<u>on fire</u>	
<u>underway</u>	
<u>from hand to mouth</u>	
<u>sight of hand</u>	

N3: Ōshima-san:

3 idioms with from

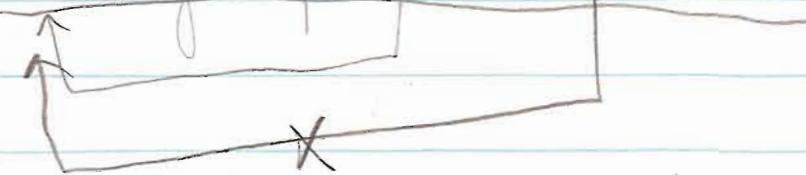
[3 from school, etc.]

so Articlelessness depends on  
shortness of both prepositions  
+ noun.

# Unacceptable Ambiguity

5.5.76.

Who do you expect to want to leave?



# Contractions + Ripping

4.27.76.

Who do you { think  
?? hope  
? know  
\*scream } Is coming

# Infect and Lexicalism

4.13.76.

From The Elephants:

Ⓐ

{ I injected [the cattle with  $\text{D}_3\text{COH}_2\text{NH}_7$ ] }  
My injection of  $\text{D}_3\text{COH}_2\text{NH}_7$  into the cattle }

Most V seem to allow only Ⓛ when nominalized:

My presentation { of the award to Hank }  
                          { \*of Hank with the award }

But since injection allows both, we can say,  
within lexicalism, only one of the following

1. Ⓛ and Ⓝ are related by a lexical rule, not by a T.
2.  $\exists T$ , which must be shown to apply to non-derived N too [I doubt that this is possible].  
Then Ⓛ → Ⓝ will be done by a widened rule.
- 3.

Will → Ø

4.12.76.

{ Below } I { gave arguments }  
\* today } — { argue } that S  
                  { present evidence }

So Will → Ø will work better in a paper than elsewhere. Why?

Ann

might used to have been

4.10.76.

# Articlelessness

4.8.76

Articleless body parts:

Y is on hand { X remained on hand  
X kept Y on hand }

Y event is at hand

X keeps Y in mind

good at heart

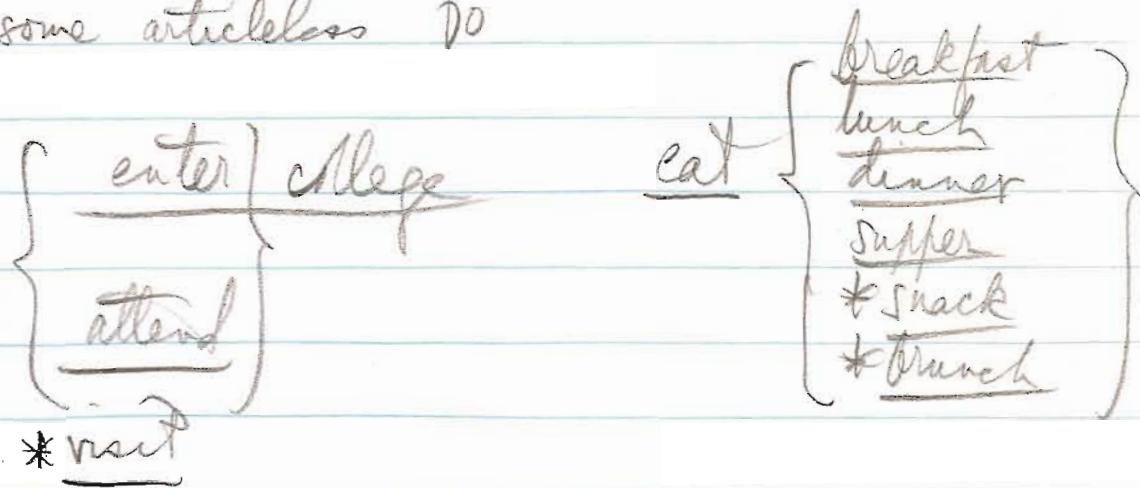
on foot

- Articlelessness

From rep with Rich Hillard

4.8.76

1. ∃ some articleless DO



2. Before breakfast, Tom wrote to Jane

= { his  
our  
\*her }

3. Rich: short words only : in

{ nigrin  
put  
str  
chicken  
\*california }

4. Me: ∃ immediacy

He is in { Ø } jail  
                  { the }

he's a prisoner

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graph LR; HeIs[He is in] --- Ø[Ø]; jail[jail]; hePrisoner[he's a prisoner] --- Ø
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any

from rap with John Goldsmith:

4.6.76.

?\* Any lion is addressless. 1/1

?\* Any lion doesn't have an udder.

Flip and correct and right  
+ Say → Ø

4.1.76.

? Harry was correct that S

If Harry is correct [that S]

\* "I'm being gypped"

N8: 3 (If) Harry is correct about Q \* how long we waited

for you get the hell out

\* If that S was correct of Harry

{ it was correct of Harry that S }

Saying that S was correct of Harry

I was right that S =

I was right in saying that S ≠

I was right to say that S

So there must be a rule of Say → Ø

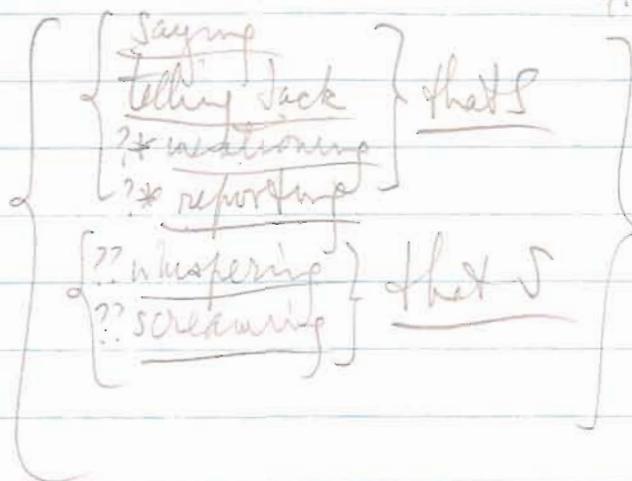
What are its limits? Why not here?

[Obviously because Say that is basic]

Say → Ø and right

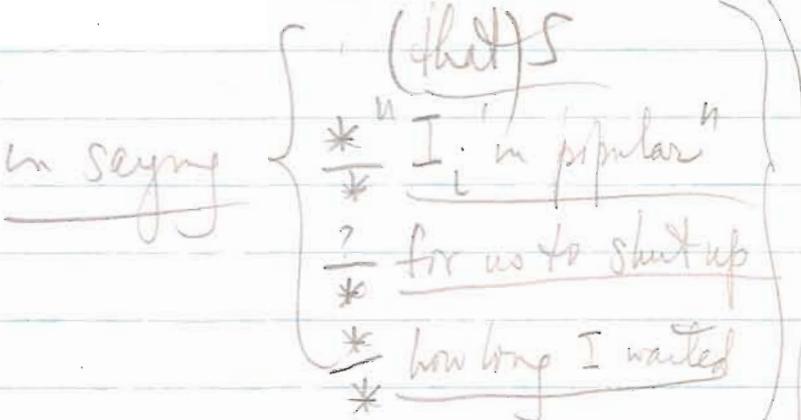
4.1.76.

You are right in



You are right

correct



(\* (that)S)

\*\* "I'm popular"

\* for us to shut up

\* how long I wanted

NB:

Maybe this  
 won't delete  
 because the  
 V has left.

I'm

afraid \* doubt that

? annoyed hopeful

? angry

? aware

sorry

3.

Say → S and right

4.1.76.

Bill was

NB

right sounds

simpler

right of { that S  
to Vx  
in Vng X  
in Nom }

correct { that S  
? to say  
in saying  
in his description }

accurate { \* that S  
\* to say that S  
in { saying X  
characterizing X (o)  
in his { characterization  
? belief  
\* repeat }

Why Bill was true X

NB:

It is true

\* to stand there

to

say  
Ted Jack

? scream

\* inform them / X

\* speak about X

that's

\* forth

\* &

\* " "

Yay!

AND

It is true — that's

IT ALL

3.31.76.

An idkct is a poem

## Negations and RC-oids

3.31.76.

\* He knows everything that there might (~~not~~) be to know

So: that-only S's don't like negation

Andy Rawing

3.24.76

Mink said a sentence like this this morning:

There seem like there's X

## Citizenship

Fact from John Lawler's:

3.20.76.

\* I believe there to look like there's enough milk  
} headway to look like it's finally going to be made }

Andy Rogers's rule produces poor citizens,  
whose poverty shows up in their mewbdebrity, etc.

Potency

From rap with John Lawler:

3.20.76.

1<sup>st</sup> choice for object: an affected human being

2<sup>nd</sup> choice for object: an affected element

So:

Me: What I did to { Harry } was look at { him }  
                  { \*the chair }                                    { \*it }  
                  1    1    1    1

John: What I did to { Bill } was tell Carol  
                  { \*the soup }  
                  1    1

that { he } was full of shit.  
                  { \*it }

{ what I did to the theory was require  
  { global rules to affect Pl }  
  { \*Bill to memorize it }.

## Sources of PPA

3.20.76

bodily activities



activities of the body

bodily injury



injury to the body

10.8.76.

NB: bodily is also only a PPA —

It has no other uses — not in  
predicative position, nor pronominally

## Possessive Ascension and hair color

3.19.76.

Jane's hair is blond  $\Rightarrow$  ?

Possessive Ascension

\* John is blond hair ??  $\Rightarrow$  Rule B

?\* John is blond-haired ??  $\Rightarrow$  Rule C

\* John is a blond hair  $\Rightarrow$  Beheading

How related to?  
John has blond hair

\* Jim's head is red  $\Rightarrow$

\* John is red head c  $\Rightarrow$  Rule B

John is red-headed  $\Rightarrow$

John is a redhead  $\Rightarrow$  Beheading

\* John is a red

IC + -able  
+ do

3.18.76

Hey!

{ Climbing  
To climb }

this mountain is

{ OK/? possible  
OK/? fearful  
OK/? preferable  
OK/\* doable }

[ generic orl +  
devis ]

1.

3.18.76.

Law

generosity in the ground ools a process,  
generosity in the figure sands it

ground

This novel translates well

into { \* Gothic  
? any Western language }

for { \* Fred  
sophomores }

Ted is fan (\* for Jack) to be tickled by

3.19.76.

Borkin: (5.3a) I believe Mary capable of anything ←  
(5.7) I believe Tom capable of not astoundingly competent  
for me, (5.3a) >> (5.7) [ esp. of 3.4-5 ] - thus this also.

figure

So: deictic  
go with  
figure

{ \* Any } pizza, Hank will taste  
This

I believe { (?) the beaver  
? \* a beaver  
? \* a beaver with any brains at all  
\* any beaver }

to be a lot smarter than any domestic pet

3.19.76. But: Conferences plan easily >? this conference planned easily