

After the last dance he walked me home and serenaded me outside the cottage with, 'If I Loved You'. (*Swanny and the Singer*)

In 1948, age 12, I was employed as a newsie with Canada Railway News. They had a contract with the railway to supply news agents to sell hot dogs, ice cream, chocolate bars, and drinks (no cigarettes). We never sold newspapers. (*Young Newsies*)

Often trains pulled 5-9 passenger coaches at a time, each handling 60-80 passengers. The train arrived amid black billowing smoke, cheers, and shouts of 'Here she comes'. (*Courtesy and Service*)

Wally Meyers and his Orchestra made history as the last band to play in the dance pavilion before it burned to the ground. (*Music and the Moonlight Special*)

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I fell asleep to a chorus of croaking frogs against a background of pounding waves and mouth-watering smells of fried fish wafting over from The Moonlight Inn. (*Candy Floss Ice Cream*)

I spotted this fellow on the beach reading a pocket book. I jokingly said to my friends, "That's the guy I'm going to marry." (*The Introduction*)

The family leased a lot in 1927. Although intended for tents they soon built a 10' x 10' kitchen shack. (*The Train Had a Distinct Odor*)

When the music stopped her friends explained that jitney dances cost a nickel each. (*Beach Romance Blossoms*)

Bath-House Harry walked around that dance pavilion in a white linen suit, hands behind his back, and he'd be watching us! (*Bath-House Harry and Tales of Grand Beach*)

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The train would be locked up but there was a skeleton key. Staff checked the train but as long as there was no commotion they left them to sleep or the coach was shuttled to Victoria Beach. (*Chew Milk*)

As kids we collected bottles to exchange for money to ride the merry-go-round. As teenagers we'd go to listen to the latest pop music. (*The Train Had a Distinct Odor*)

We put in an offer to lease the concessions on the boardwalk - the merry-go-round, candy apple and candy floss stands, a restaurant, penny arcade and a fish and chip stand. (*Bill's Groceteria*)