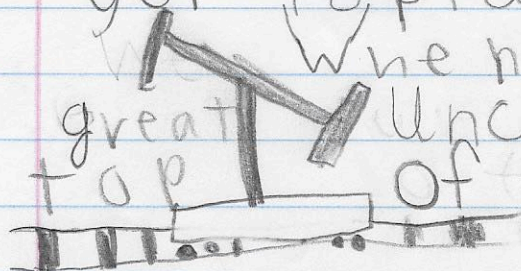


Went to the Heart  
of Dixie Railroad Museum.

They showed us what it would  
have been like on a train for a  
long time. There were beds, food,  
fancy chairs...

We climbed on the trains  
a lot. On Train thirty eight  
we got to ring a bell! We also  
got to play on a handcart!

When Carla Jean's  
great Uncle used to ride  
top of trains to

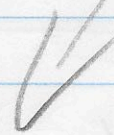


Mississippi! (for probably over  
a hour!) I got on top of  
the caboose but  
it wasn't moving.

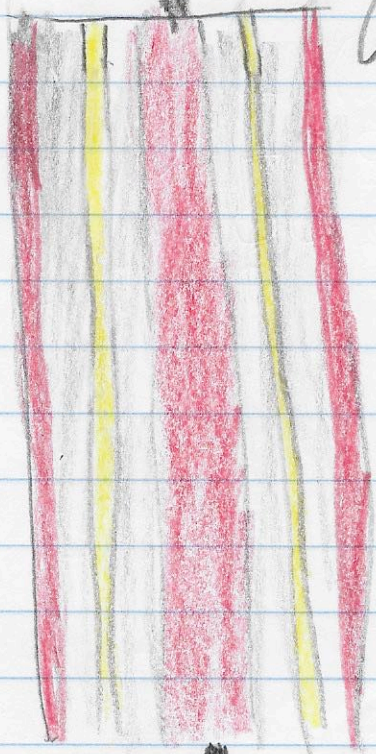
Me and Noah pretended  
to do construction on  
one train because it  
was flat.



We would look for wood here, and bring it here, to pretend to build



The gray part just goes down



Caboose





Heart of Dixie Railroad  
Museum

here, you  
could  
push  
the  
button  
and the  
signal  
went off.





*history  
fun  
excitement*

**RIDE  
THE  
TRAIN**



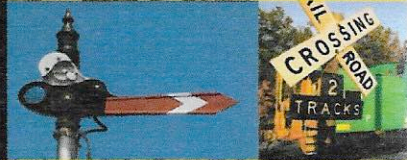
Alabama's only  
narrow gauge  
steam locomotive

Enjoy a  
Railroad  
Birthday Party!



**VISIT  
OUR  
MUSEUM**

**OPERATING  
SIGNAL  
YARD**



William A. Boone  
Railroad Library

DIRECTIONS- Take I-65 to Calera  
Exit 228, travel 0.6 miles south on  
AL Hwy 25, turn left on 9th St.  
Proceed 2 blocks to the museum.

1919 9th St. Calera, AL  
205.668.3435

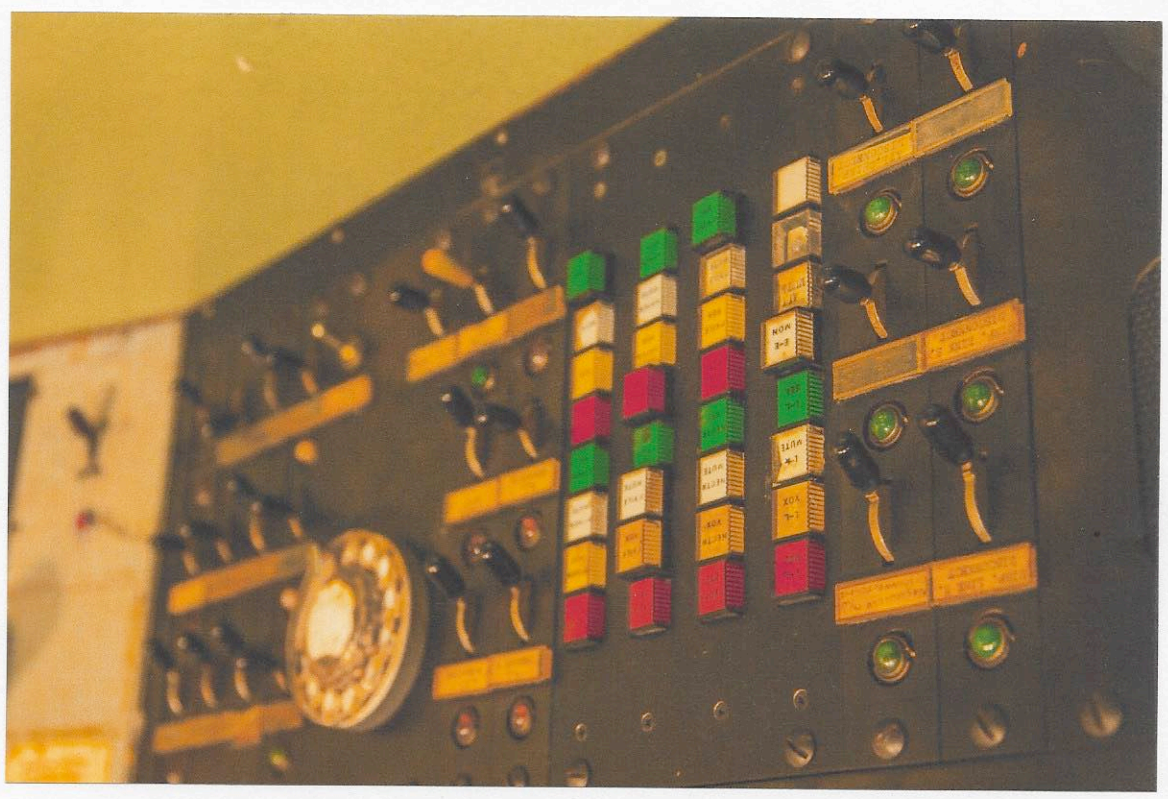
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These are  
the controls  
that help  
the trains  
from  
crashing

The train control channel  
was playing and we could  
hear about the trains in  
the area.

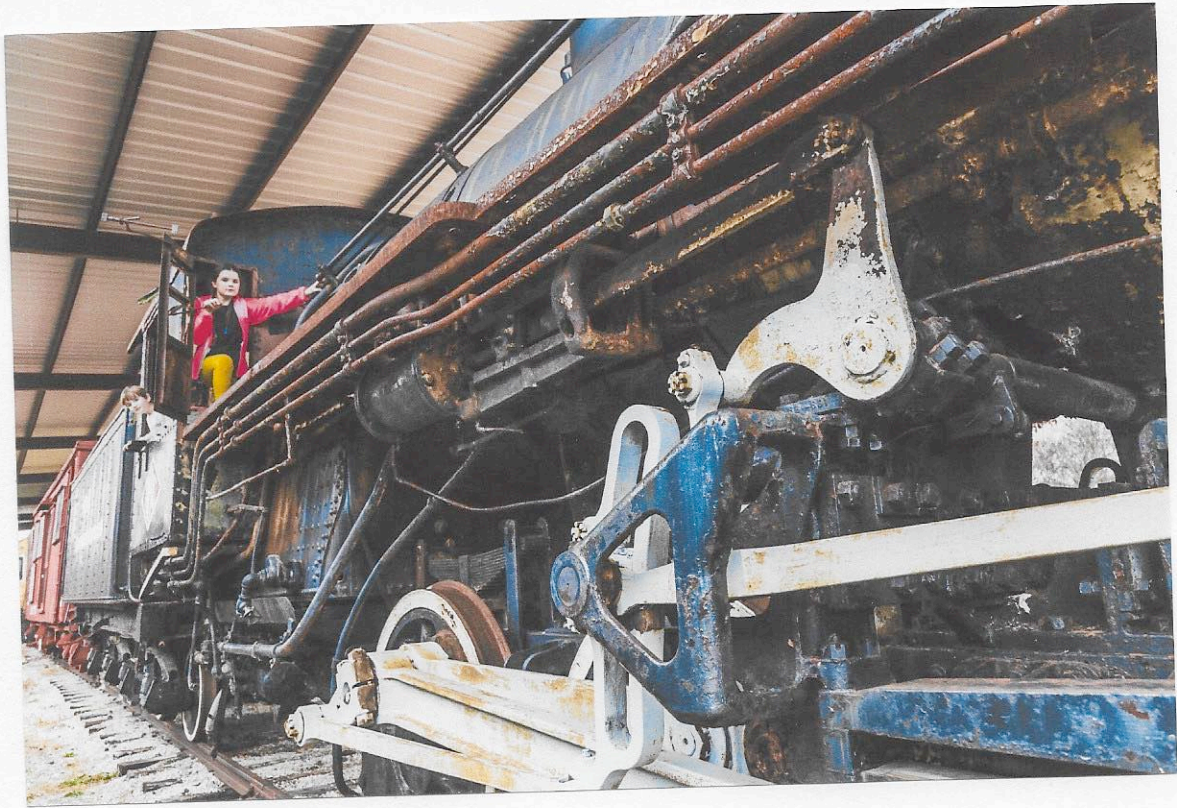


The  
ticket  
Office



Noah on  
The Train





me on  
the  
Train

I couldn't  
get on  
the top  
because  
it was  
too high



on this  
Train we  
could ring  
a bell!



me and  
Noah  
on the  
hand-  
cart







We are  
playing  
construction  
I am  
rolling a  
giant  
piece of  
wood

This  
train  
looks  
like  
a  
tractor  
to me





On  
The  
Train

Carla Jean



on The  
caboose