

Businesses

AAA Dental Lab

"errand boys...looked previously homeless,"
046G0:15:30

run by Helen Goldlist's father, 046G0:12:30

Becker's delicatessen

prices, "indignant when they raised the price
of corned beef...nobody will ever buy
this," 046G0:17:30

Bellevue Theatre

prices, "every Saturday for a quarter,"
046G0:29:30

Chicago 58 factory

"made salamis and stuff," 046G0:50:00

Chicken/Poultry

poultry business run by Barry Goldlist's
father; "customers didn't believe a
supermarket had good chickens,"
046G0:42:00

Eaton's

about Eaton's Annex, Eaton's College, and
Christmas windows, 046G0:47:30

Harbord Bakery

big honey cookies with jam, 046G0:14:00

Honest Ed's

Barry Goldlist's mother would sell chicken
feathers to Honest Ed's for pillows,
046G0:29:00

Kensington Market

changes...no more live animals, 046G0:11:00
father had poultry store on 188 Baldwin
Street, 046G0:03:30
memories of butcher store, 046G0:08:30

Other

store owners knowing you and what you
wanted, 046G0:27:30

Roy's Dupont Poultry

father worked for owner Irving Ungerman,
046G0:03:30

Tom's Place

where father's butcher store was located in
Kensington Market, 046G0:09:00

Children & Youth

Movie theatres

"all the kids in the neighbourhood went for
the double bills on Saturday...for a
quarter," 046G0:30:00

Playing & games

at AAA Dental Lab..."making animals out of
dental molds," 046G0:13:30

"knew all the kids on the street,"

046G0:39:00

Walking to school

using laneways to get to Talmud Torah and
doing errands without parents etc.,
046G0:19:00

Working & jobs

for family business helping out on weekends,
046G0:14:30

helped sell and kill chickens etc.,
046G0:06:00

City Hall & Other Governments

Bylaws

Kensington Market and live animal ban "kept
in crates...felt to be cruel," 046G0:11:00

Education

King Edward Public School

watched wrecking ball smashing old school,
046G0:18:00

University of Toronto

much smaller place in the fifties,
046G0:48:00

Ethnicity & Culture

Italian community

lived with Italian family in their home when
they sold the house/overlap closing date,
046G0:33:00

Jewish community

moving away, education was reason,
046G0:51:00

moving away and friends who didn't move
away and feeling embarrassed about
house, 046G0:31:30

neighbourhood, "where the Jewish immigrant
population lived," 046G0:01:30

neighbours, former tenant...now son's father-
in-law etc., 046G0:04:30

Language

Hebrew & Yiddish; "Yiddish was our first
language," 046G0:02:30

Health Care

Doctors

house calls, "home visit is something that
happened at the time," 046G0:44:00

Houses of Worship

Shaarei Tzedec shul

founded by Joe Greenberg, 046G0:46:30

Synagogues

locations, 046G0:26:00, 047G0:10:00,
062B1:22:30, 106K0:23:00

Talmud Torah

using laneways to get to Talmud Torah,
046G0:19:00

Housing & Home Life

Backyards

playing, didn't play there, it was small,
046G0:37:00

Boarders

"could make mortgage payments and pay off
the house faster...started off as
strangers...ate dinner together...then
wasn't like that," 046G0:21:00

Porches & verandas

"on hot summer nights...whole street sitting
on front porch" etc., 046G0:37:00

Laneways

Automobiles

parked his Oldsmobile in the laneway...only
car on the street "the only people who
had cars were people who lived in the
suburbs," 046G0:23:00

Travel

"just a way to make a shortcut for us,"
046G0:36:30
using laneways to get to Talmud Torah,
046G0:19:00

Names

Cherniak, Leah (current owner of 40 Borden),
046G0:28:30

Farkas, Mr. (boarder at 40 Borden),
046G0:21:00

Goldlist, Barry

immigration of parents and arrival at 40
Borden St., 046G0:00:30

Goldlist, Mr. (father of Barry Goldlist)

"father loved to work...worked an awful lot,"
046G0:11:30

Greenberg, Joe

should write his memoirs...decades of his
practice...and synagogue he helped
found, 046G0:44:00

Mirvish, Ed (mother of)

Barry Goldlist's mother sold chicken feathers
to her for pillows, 046G0:29:00

Ungerman, Irving

first person to give a job to Barry's Goldlist's
father, 046G0:42:30

Weinberg, Fred (pediatrician at the time)

"famous at the time...had a collection of
antique medical equipment,"
046G0:43:00

Neighbourhood & Community

Jewish Community Centre (JCC)

social club called the Tweeners,
046G0:30:30

Moving away

moving back downtown "worked so hard to
get out of this neighbourhood" etc,
046G0:24:30

reasons why people moved away, education
for their children, 046G0:51:00

Neighbours & neighbours' relations

different ethnic groups "my father would mix
with anybody," 046G0:39:30

Noise

"don't have much sympathy for those who
moved close to the action
(entertainment)," 046G0:49:30

Parks & playgrounds

streets as playground boundaries; some
neighbouring streets were too far,
046G0:48:30

Safety

"world was different then...send you out to
buy milk...wouldn't do that nowadays,"
046G0:17:00

Occupations & Finances

Butchers

father had poultry store on 188 Baldwin St.,
046G0:03:30

"father loved to work...worked an awful lot,"
046G0:11:30

run by Barry Goldlist's father, "customers
didn't believe a supermarket had good
chickens," 046G0:42:00

Cottage industry

poultry, selling chicken feathers to Honest
Ed's for pillows, 046G0:29:00

Delivery

by horse for milk and eggs "leave a message
in empty milk bottle...if changing order,"
046G0:34:00

Mail delivery

people complaining about mail delivery, "only
once on Saturday," 046G0:35:30

Women working

most not working out of home, 046G0:34:00

Streets & Intersections

Baldwin St., 188

father had a poultry store, 046G0:03:30

Borden St., 40

an infill house where Barry Goldlist grew up,
046G0:01:00

Barry Goldlist visiting his renovated home
years later, 046G0:28:00

boarder, 046G0:21:00

current owner, 046G0:28:30

immigration of parents and arrival at 40
Borden St., 046G0:00:30
College & Spadina
stores on College mentioned, 046G0:17:00
Traffic
on parking and traffic on Spadina & College,
046G0:40:30

Transportation

Automobiles
parked his Oldsmobile in the laneway...only
car on the street "the only people who
had cars were people who lived in the
suburbs," 046G0:23:00

Horses
delivery for milk and eggs "horse knew where
to stop," 046G0:34:00
Parking
"no need to get permits because nobody had
cars downtown in those days,"
046G0:23:30