

My Red Face (A)

Read the book and answer these questions.



Unscramble these sentences.

1. used to started travelling I getting
2. quickly filled up The bus
3. my Dad I turned it was round
4. off the bus I couldn't wait to get
5. 19 years died ago my father Sadly

Answer these questions.

1. What is the name of the person who wrote the story?
2. When did she start work? Where?
3. How did she travel to work?
4. What was her favourite meal?
5. What does 'Three sheets to the wind' mean?
6. How did Freda feel about her dad?
7. How would you have felt?

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My Red Face (B)

Read the book and answer these questions.



Fill in the missing words.

1. In 1960 I started _____.
2. They were very _____ and _____.
3. The bus _____ up quickly.
4. People were _____ into each other.
5. I couldn't _____ to get off the _____.
6. I did _____ him and still _____ him.

Answer yes or no.

1. Freda worked as a trainee sewing machinist.
2. The older ladies did not help her.
3. She did not manage to get a seat on the bus.
4. Her dad stood up swaying backwards and forwards.
5. She went home with her dad.

My Red Face (C)

Fill in the missing words.



Join the two halves together.

1. In 1960 I started work

2. They were

3. Work was finished ...

4. It might be chops or ...

5. I stood up and ...

6. That bus journey ...

.... and I was ready to go home.

.... I will never forget.

.... as a trainee sewing machinist.

.... my favourite meat and potato pie.

.... very helpful and friendly.

.... offered him my seat.

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