King of the Road

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Intro [C] / / / /   / / / /

[C] Trailer for [F] sale or rent, [G7] rooms to let, [C] fifty cents.
No phone, no [F] pool, no pets, I [G7] ain't got no cigarettes
Ah, but, [C] two hours of [F] pushin' broom
Buys an [G7] eight by twelve [C] four-bit room
I'm a [C7] man of [F] means by no means, [G7] king of the [C] road.

[C] Third boxcar, [F] midnight train, [G7] destination, [C] Bangor, Maine.
Old worn out [F] suits and shoes,
I [G7] don't pay no union dues,
I smoke [C] old stogies [F] I have found [G7] short, but not too [C] big around
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I know [C] every engineer on [F] every train
[G7] All of their children, and [C] all of their names
And [C] every handout in [F] every town
And [G7] every lock that ain't locked, when no one's around, I sing,

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