

ATA Ted Downs Memorial Auction 125: May 2020

Australian Train, Tram and Bus Books

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1	100 Years of Melbourne Trams / <i>Metropolitan Transit Authority</i>	1985	PB A4 32pp EC	5		
2	A Century of New South Wales Tramcars Vol II Electric Era 1903 - 1908 / <i>K. McCarthy and N. Chinn</i>	1968	HB B5 199pp VGC	10		
3	Across Australia by Indian-Pacific / <i>Patsy Adam-Smith & Lindsay Rodda</i>	1971	HB A4 82pp GC	6		
4	Adelaide Tramways Pocket Guide. Facsimile of 1918 Tramway Publications / <i>State Transport Authority</i>	November 1979	PB B4 20pp VGC	7		
5	Along Parallel Lines : A History of the Railways of New South Wales 1850 - 1986 / <i>John Gunn</i>	1989	HB B5 581pp EC	15		
6	All Stations West: Story of the Sydney-Perth standard gauge railway / <i>G H Fearnside</i>	1970	HB A5 172pp GC	10		
7	Armidale and District (NSW) Historical Society Journal No. 20: Railway Issue	Jan 1977	PB A4 142PP VGC	8		
8	The Australian Double Decker / <i>G. Travers</i>	1977	PB B5 72pp VGC	7		
9	Australian Trains and Railways / <i>Ron Testro</i>	1972	HB B5 40pp EC	5		
10	A Vision Fulfilled: Laying the Track from Alice Springs to Darwin / <i>David Hancock</i>	2004	HB A4 120pp EC	9		
11	The Bay Line : A history of transport to Glenelg / <i>State Transit Authority</i>	Undated	PB A4 35pp EC	5		
12	Brisbane City Council Bus Fleet / <i>R.A. Birrell</i>	1987	PB A524pp VGC	4		
13	Brisbane Tramways The Last Decade / <i>Howard Clark, David Keenan 1985 Reprint</i>	1977	PB B5 60pp EC	8		
14	Brisbane's Railways: Steam to Electric / <i>A. M. West</i>	1979	PB B5 52pp EC	8		
15	Chasing Australia's last steam train / <i>Mark & Kevan Hardacre</i>	1977	HB A4 126pp GC	8		
16	Coaches, Riverboats and Railways / <i>Ann Howard</i>	1982	HB B5 42pp EC	5		
17	Destination G.P.O. : Electric Tramway Rolling Stock of Hobart and Launceston / <i>J. Richardson & I. Cooper</i>	1971	PB B5 56pp VGC	7		
18	Destination Paradise : The Electric Tramway and Trolleybus Rollingstock of the Municipal Tramways Trust, Adelaide / <i>R. T. Wheaton</i>	1975	PB B5 52pp VGC	7		
19	The Electric Railways of Victoria 1919 - 1979 / <i>S. Dornan, R. Henderson</i>	1979	PB B5 104pp VGC	9		
20	Exploring Queensland's Railways West and South from Toowoomba / <i>Brian Webber</i>	2015	PB A4 160pp EC	12		
21	Full Steam across the Mountains / <i>Phil Belbin & David Burke</i>	1984	HB A4 144pp EC	10		
22	The Golden Steam of Ballarat / <i>D. King & N. Dooley</i>	1973	HB B5 203pp FC	8		
23	Gone on the Ghan / <i>Derek Whitelock</i>	1986	HB A4 188pp EC	7		
24	Hear the Train Blow : Patsy Adam-Smith's classic autobiography of growing up in the bush / <i>Patsy Adam-Smith</i>	1982	HB B5 180pp EC	7		
25	Hotham Valley Tourist Railway Souvenir Book / <i>John Purcell</i>	Late 1980s	PB B5 44pp EC	7		
26	In Praise of Trains in Australia / <i>Gary McDonald</i>	1978	HB B4 80pp EC	12		
27	Locomotives New South Wales Rail System / <i>State Rail</i>	Dec 1984	PB A4 56pp GC	5		
28	On Track - The State Rail Fleet / <i>State Rail</i>	1995	PB B5 24pp VGC	4		
29	Railroading in Tasmania 1868 - 1961 / <i>Thomas Cooley</i>	1962	HB B5 212pp VGC	10		
30	Rails to the Tableland : The Story of the Cairns Railway / <i>R. F. Ellis</i>	1976	PB B5 72pp VGC	9		
31	Rails to the Top End : Adelaide - Darwin Transcontinental Railway / <i>Robin Bromby</i>	2004	HB A5 96pp EC	9		
32	Railway Portraits / <i>Robert & Bruce Wheatley</i>	2006	HB 28x28cm 112pp EC	18		
33	Railways of Australia / <i>C.C. Singleton & David Burke. First edition</i>	1963	HB A5 160pp FC	10		
34	The Railways of New South Wales 1855-1955 / <i>Department of Railways NSW</i>	1955	HB A4 304pp VGC	25		
35	Richmond Vale Railway Album No. 1 / <i>Steve McNicol</i>	1991	PB B5 40pp EC	7		
36	South Australian Railways Locomotives - Steam and Diesel Electric - and Rolling Stock / <i>South Australian Railways</i>	March 1972	PB B5 56pp VGC	7		
37	Steam Locomotives of the Victorian Railways Vol 1: First Fifty Years / <i>N. Cave, J. Buckland, D. Beardsell. In slip cover</i>	2002	HB A4 236 EC	25		
38	Steam on the downgrade : the declining years of steam power on the railways of Australia / <i>Brian Andrews & Richard Warren</i>	1967	HB A4 86pp GC	8		
39	Sketches from Beside the Line / <i>Kenneth Bowen</i>	1993	HB A4 128pp EC	12		
40	Trains of Australia Vol 1 Revised / <i>Topmill</i>	2012	PB A4 48pp EC	4		
41	Trams of Australia Vol 1 Revised / <i>Topmill</i>	mid 1990s	PB A4 48pp EC	4		
42	Transport in the Hills District 1805-1990 / <i>H. Carr, N. Pullen, L. McCluskey (Castle Hill NSW)</i>	1990	PB A5 132pp VGC	7		
43	Trolley Buses of Tasmania / <i>Ian Cooper</i>	1979	PB B5 88pp GC	7		
44	Turning a dream into reality: Story of the Great South Pacific Express / <i>John Wright</i>	1999	HB A4 81pp EC	6		
45	When we rode the rails / <i>Patsy Adam-Smith</i>	1983	HB A4 246pp EC	8		
46	With Iron Rails : Bicentennial history of the railways in NSW / <i>David Burke</i>	1988	HB A4 248pp EC	18		
47	The Wolgan Valley Railway - Its Construction / <i>Henry Deane</i>	1979	PB B5 28pp VGC	6		
48	Your guide to: Port Dock Station Railway Museum / <i>compiled by Robert Sampson</i>	1989	PB A5 28pp EC	5		
49	Your guide to: Museum of Historic Engines, Goulburn / <i>Leon Oberg</i>	1972	PB B5 40pp EC	6		

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AUCTION 125

MAY 2020

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3. Otherwise, if your maximum bid is the highest of all other bids, your bid is successful and you will pay the value of the second highest other maximum bid plus 20%, or your maximum bid, whatever is the lesser, but not less than your minimum bid.
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