

News from Trains, Planes & Automobiles September 2022

First Monday Toy Auction Monday 5th September 2022 at 6:00pm

Highlights include:

- Lots of Australian HO-gauge including brass locomotives, rolling stock, sets and kits
- Australian railway memorabilia including signs, lamps and coach fittings
- Australian railway books, prints and posters
- Large range of Tri-ang OOgauge locomotives, coaches and wagons
- More OO-gauge from Hornby, Electrotren and others
- Huge selection of Trax
 Australian 1:43 scale cars and
 1:76 scale buses
- Matchbox Yesteryears and Collectibles
- Fire engines from Matchbox and Corgi
- Slot cars including sets and accessories



Featured item: Lot 294
Berg's HO-gauge NSW D59 Class 2-8-2 Locomotive,
unpainted brass.

As promised, this auction features lots of trains, notably a large selection of **Australian HO-gauge**, including some excellent brass locomotives. There's plenty of other HO/OO-gauge including British and European models, also a complete **TT-gauge** set from Rokal.

We have some very interesting Australian **railway memorabilia**, also books, prints, posters and photographs including some Kenneth G. Bowen and Brian Baigent prints.

Also from Australia there's the range of **Trax** 1:43 scale cars and **Trux** 1:76 scale buses. These have been very popular lately and we're pleased to be able to offer some more this month.

In other cars, we have **Matchbox** Models of Yesteryear and Collectibles of many different types, also a good selection of **fire engines**. And there are some **slot cars**, which we don't see very often.

The auction starts at 6:00pm next Monday, September 5th, in our Auction Rooms at The Gearin in Katoomba. All are welcome to attend. There is plenty of parking and refreshments are available.

If you can't join us in person, you can participate by sending us absentee bids before the auction, or bidding live online at invaluable.com. Telephone bidding is also available by prior arrangement on lots starting at \$200 or more.

The lots can be viewed in our Auction Rooms next Saturday, September 3rd, from 10:00am to 4:00pm, and on the auction day next Monday from 10:00am to 4:00pm.

If you have any questions, please call us on (02) 4787 7974 or send us an email.

THIS MONTH'S NEWS FROM TPA

More Auctions

Once again, our warehouse is full to bursting with great toys and collectables, so we're squeezing another auction into September. This will be one of our Mid-Month Auctions, on **Monday September 19th**. Like our regular auctions, it will be conducted live in our Auction Rooms and also streamed online at invaluable.com.

Three weeks after that will be our First Monday Toy Auction for October. As usual, this will be held on the *second* Monday of the month, so as not to conflict with the Sydney model train show and the NSW long weekend.

Then we'll continue with our First Monday Toy Auctions in November and December, and we're planning an extra auction in December so you can stock up on Christmas presents (perhaps for yourself).

We'll be in touch with full details before each of these auctions. Keep an eye on our website antiquetoys.com.au to see what's coming up.

Keith's Trivia

Here are four more questions from Keith's eclectic collection of facts:

- 1. What part of a Pullman car is an antimacassar?
- 2. What UK-designed post-WWII aeroplane was made by Cunliffe-Owen's company?
- 3. What did Wolseley make for Australia in 1887 in their company managed by Herbert Austin?
- 4. What were the first (Christian) names of J.J.C. Bradfield of Sydney Harbour Bridge fame?

Answers to the July trivia questions:

- 1. The Zeppelin rail car was designed by Franz Kruckenberg, a pioneer of high-speed rail systems.
- 2. The "Tradewind" was a flying boat which set a turboprop endurance record of 8 hours and 6 minutes.
- 3. The Matador range of vehicles was made by Australian Motor Industries from 1961 to 1976.
- 4. A carronade is a short gun capable of doing tremendous damage at close range, usually installed on early frigates.

Spring in the Blue Mountains

Winter is ending and the blossoms are coming out. This is a lovely time of the year to visit the Beautiful Blue Mountains.

So come and see us at **Trains, Planes and Automobiles** in Katoomba. Have a look at our antique toys, collectables and hobby supplies, and enjoy the scenery. Our shop is open on Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from 10:00am to 4:00pm.

And why not stay a while? At **The Gearin** we also offer affordable accommodation. Check out thegearin.com.au or call **0405 589 906** for more information and rates.

Whether you want to visit the shop, attend our auctions, or have a Blue Mountains holiday, we'd love to see you.

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