

FARES

(Subject to alteration without notice)

All fares shown hereunder include reserved seats, sleeping berths (where applicable), and meals on the Port Pirie—Alice Springs line.

	Adult Fares		Children Four Years and Under Fifteen Years	
	1st Class	2nd Class	1st Class	2nd Class
	\$	\$	\$	\$

SINGLE FARES

To Alice Springs

From—

Marree ..	24.45	18.65	15.48	12.15
Port Augusta ..	32.30	24.45	19.73	15.38
Port Pirie ..	34.50	26.25	20.98	16.43
Adelaide ..	39.20	30.05	23.43	18.43
Melbourne ..	55.05	39.25	33.35	23.18
Sydney ..	67.45	45.85	41.55	26.63

RETURN FARES

Between Alice Springs

And—

Marree ..	48.90	37.30	30.95	24.30
Port Augusta ..	64.60	48.90	39.45	30.75
Port Pirie ..	69.00	52.50	41.95	32.85
Adelaide ..	76.15	58.30	45.73	35.95
Melbourne ..	105.50	74.95	64.40	44.58
Sydney ..	128.60	86.90	79.95	50.85

Passenger bookings may be completed at Railways Interstate Booking Offices or Tourist Bureaux.

Rail accommodation for **forward** journeys may be booked twelve calendar months in advance.

Return rail accommodation may be booked by passengers purchasing return tickets, up to thirteen calendar months in advance.

Further enquiries concerning rail travel to Central Australia should be addressed to the Secretary, Commonwealth Railways, 325 Collins Street, Melbourne, Vic. 3000, or the Chief Traffic Manager, Commonwealth Railways, Port Augusta, S.A. 5700.



COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS

CENTRAL AUSTRALIA RAILWAY

TIME-TABLE

with

CONNECTING INTERSTATE SERVICES

BETWEEN

SYDNEY — MELBOURNE — ADELAIDE

AND ALICE SPRINGS

1st FEBRUARY, 1968

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TIME-TABLE

SYDNEY—ADELAIDE—ALICE SPRINGS						ALICE SPRINGS—ADELAIDE—SYDNEY							
Miles from Adelaide	Stations					Times	Miles from Alice Springs	Stations					Times
						SAT., TUES. (E.S.T.)	—	ALICE SPRINGS					SUN., WED.
1072	SYDNEY RR	..	..	..	dep.	8.00 p.m.††	6	Macdonnell	..	..	..	dep.	7.15 a.m.
						8.10 p.m.‖	20	Ewaninga	..	..	..	dep.	7.32 a.m.*
483	MELBOURNE RR	..	..	..	arr.	SU., WED. 9.00 a.m.††	41	Ooraminna	..	..	..	dep.	8.03 a.m.†
						SUN. 9.45 a.m.‖	48	Deep Well	..	..	..	dep.	8.49 a.m.*
						WED. 9.55 a.m.‖	62	Rodinga	..	..	..	dep.	9.07 a.m.
	(Change trains)				dep.	SU., WED. 8.40 p.m.	88	Bundooma	..	..	..	dep.	9.42 a.m.
409	Ballarat RR	..	..	..	arr.	10.43 p.m.	113	Mount Squire	..	..	..	dep.	10.42 a.m.†
					dep.	10.58 p.m.	122	Rumbalara	..	..	..	dep.	11.42 p.m.†
196	Serviceton	..	..	..	arr.	MON., THUR. 3.20 a.m. (C.S.T.)	142	FINKE	..	..	..	dep.	12.04 p.m.
					dep.	3.00 a.m.	162	Duffield	..	..	..	dep.	1.10 p.m.
60	Murray Bridge RR§	..	..	..	arr.	6.15 a.m.	184	Abminga	..	..	..	dep.	2.04 p.m.†
—	ADELAIDE RR	..	..	..	arr.	6.35 a.m.	194	Bloods Creek	..	..	..	dep.	3.02 p.m.
	(Change trains)				dep.	9.00 a.m.	207	Ilbunga	..	..	..	dep.	3.27 p.m.*
134	PORT PIRIE RR§	..	..	..	arr.	X12.30 p.m.	227	Pedirka	..	..	..	dep.	3.56 p.m.†
	(Change trains)				dep.	3.48 p.m.	249	Mount Sarah	..	..	..	dep.	4.44 p.m.†
190	PORT AUGUSTA RR	..	..	..	dep.	4.15 p.m.	268	Alberga	..	..	..	dep.	5.36 p.m.
186	Stirling North	..	..	..	dep.	5.00 p.m.**	293	OODNADATTA	..	..	..	dep.	6.31 p.m.
199	Emeroo	..	..	..	dep.	5.40 p.m.	318	Mount Dutton	..	..	..	dep.	7.42 p.m.
212	Wilkatana	..	..	..	dep.	5.57 p.m.*	338	Peake Creek	..	..	..	dep.	8.41 p.m.†
224	Yadlamalka	..	..	..	dep.	6.14 p.m.*	348	Warrina	..	..	..	dep.	9.29 p.m.*
237	Neuroodla	..	..	..	dep.	6.29 p.m.*	357	Edwards Creek	..	..	..	dep.	9.54 p.m.*
248	Cotabena	..	..	..	dep.	6.43 p.m.*	368	Duff Creek	..	..	..	dep.	10.22 p.m.
261	Moralana	..	..	..	dep.	6.56 p.m.*	389	Box Creek	..	..	..	dep.	10.48 p.m.
277	Brachina	..	..	..	dep.	7.09 p.m.*						11.40 p.m.*	
283	Commodore	..	..	..	dep.	7.30 p.m.*	398	Anna Creek	..	..	..	dep.	MON., THUR. 12.26 a.m.†
291	Parachilna	..	..	..	dep.	7.38 p.m.*	415	William Creek	..	..	..	dep.	1.21 a.m.
301	Nilpena	..	..	..	dep.	7.48 p.m.*	437	Strangways Springs	..	..	..	dep.	2.24 a.m.*
311	Beltana	..	..	..	dep.	8.00 p.m.*	445	Beresford	..	..	..	dep.	2.42 a.m.†
335	Copley	..	..	..	dep.	8.11 p.m.*	460	Coward Springs	..	..	..	dep.	3.18 a.m.†
342	Telford (Leigh Creek)	..	..	..	dep.	8.40 p.m.	468	Margaret	..	..	..	dep.	3.37 a.m.*
355	Lyndhurst	..	..	..	dep.	8.53 p.m.	477	Curdimurka	..	..	..	dep.	3.58 a.m.†
371	Farina	..	..	..	dep.	9.08 p.m.*	498	Bopeechee	..	..	..	dep.	4.51 a.m.*
403	MARREE RR§	..	..	..	arr.	9.24 p.m.*	507	Alberrie Creek	..	..	..	dep.	5.16 a.m.
	(Change trains)				dep.	10.00 p.m.	518	Wangianna	..	..	..	dep.	5.44 a.m.†
412	Callana	..	..	..	dep.	10.30 p.m.	531	Callana	..	..	..	dep.	6.26 a.m.*
425	Wangianna	..	..	..	dep.	10.55 p.m.*	540	MARREE RR§	..	..	..	arr.	6.50 a.m.
						11.33 p.m.†		(Change trains)				dep.	7.15 a.m.
436	Alberrie Creek	..	..	..	dep.	TUE., FRI. 12.03 a.m.	573	Farina	..	..	..	dep.	7.53 a.m.*
446	Bopeechee	..	..	..	dep.	12.29 a.m.*	588	Lyndhurst	..	..	..	dep.	8.10 a.m.*
466	Curdimurka	..	..	..	dep.	1.26 a.m.†	601	Telford (Leigh Creek)	..	..	..	dep.	8.27 a.m.
475	Margaret	..	..	..	dep.	1.49 a.m.*	609	Copley	..	..	..	dep.	8.40 a.m.
483	Coward Springs	..	..	..	dep.	2.07 a.m.†	632	Beltana	..	..	..	dep.	9.11 a.m.*
498	Beresford	..	..	..	dep.	2.49 a.m.†	642	Nilpena	..	..	..	dep.	9.23 a.m.*
505	Strangways Springs	..	..	..	dep.	3.09 a.m.*	652	Parachilna	..	..	..	dep.	9.34 a.m.*
528	William Creek	..	..	..	dep.	4.11 a.m.	660	Commodore	..	..	..	dep.	9.43 a.m.*
545	Anna Creek	..	..	..	dep.	5.14 a.m.†	667	Brachina	..	..	..	dep.	9.50 a.m.*
555	Box Creek	..	..	..	dep.	5.42 a.m.*	682	Moralana	..	..	..	dep.	10.06 a.m.*
575	Duff Creek	..	..	..	dep.	6.34 a.m.	695	Cotabena	..	..	..	dep.	10.20 a.m.*
586	Edwards Creek	..	..	..	dep.	7.02 a.m.	706	Neuroodla	..	..	..	dep.	10.39 a.m.*
596	Warrina	..	..	..	dep.	7.29 a.m.*	719	Yadlamalka	..	..	..	dep.	10.54 a.m.*
606	Peake Creek	..	..	..	dep.	7.57 a.m.*	731	Wilkatana	..	..	..	dep.	11.09 a.m.*
625	Mount Dutton	..	..	..	dep.	8.50 a.m.†	744	Emeroo	..	..	..	dep.	11.25 a.m.*
650	OODNADATTA	..	..	..	dep.	10.07 a.m.	757	Stirling North	..	..	..	arr.	11.42 a.m.
							761	PORT AUGUSTA RR	..	..	..	arr.	12.15 p.m.†
676	Alberga	..	..	..	dep.	11.20 a.m.	809	PORT PIRIE RR§	..	..	..	arr.	1.30 p.m.
694	Mount Sarah	..	..	..	dep.	12.03 p.m.		(Change trains)				dep.	1.55 p.m.
716	Pedirka	..	..	..	dep.	12.55 p.m.†	943	ADELAIDE RR	..	..	..	arr.	5.17 p.m.
736	Ilbunga	..	..	..	dep.	1.47 p.m.†		(Change trains)				dep.	7.00 p.m.
749	Bloods Creek	..	..	..	dep.	2.18 p.m.*	1003	Murray Bridge RR§	..	..	..	arr.	9.20 p.m.
759	Abminga	..	..	..	dep.	2.44 p.m.						dep.	9.40 p.m.
781	Duffield	..	..	..	dep.	3.40 p.m.†							TUES., FRI. (C.S.T.)
801	FINKE	..	..	..	dep.	4.52 p.m.	1139	Serviceton	..	..	..	arr.	1.15 a.m. (E.S.T.)
821	Rumbalara	..	..	..	dep.	5.47 p.m.						dep.	1.53 a.m.
830	Mount Squire	..	..	..	thro.	6.09 p.m.*	1352	Ballarat RR	..	..	..	arr.	6.38 a.m.
855	Bundooma	..	..	..	dep.	7.10 p.m.†	1426	MELBOURNE RR	..	..	..	arr.	6.58 a.m.
881	Rodinga	..	..	..	dep.	8.13 p.m.		(Change trains) (see Note)	..	..	..	dep.	8.45 a.m.
895	Deep Well	..	..	..	dep.	8.54 p.m.						6.45 p.m.‖	
902	Ooraminna	..	..	..	thro.	9.16 p.m.*	2015	SYDNEY RR	..	..	..	arr.	8.00 p.m.††
923	Ewaninga	..	..	..	dep.	10.08 p.m.†							8.40 a.m.‖
937	Macdonnell	..	..	..	thro.	10.45 p.m.*							9.00 a.m.††
943	ALICE SPRINGS	..	..	..	arr.	11.00 p.m.							WED., SAT.
						TUES., FRI.							

A dining car is attached between Port Pirie and Alice Springs.

NOTES: Trains will not depart from Port Pirie, Port Augusta, Stirling North (northbound), Telford (southbound), Marree or Alice Springs ahead of time, but elsewhere on the Central Australia Railway may run ahead of time as circumstances permit.

Through connections may be made in Melbourne between the Overland Express (between Adelaide and Melbourne) and the Daylight Express (between Melbourne and Sydney), avoiding the stop-over in Melbourne. Full details are available from Railway Inquiry Offices.

Explanation of Abbreviations appearing in the Time-Table.—E.S.T. denotes Eastern Standard Time, which is 30 minutes ahead of Central Standard Time. C.S.T. denotes Central Standard Time. RR denotes Refreshment Room at which meals may be obtained. RR§ denotes Refreshment Room at which light refreshments only may be obtained.

Symbols denote: †† "Southern Aurora". ‖ "Spirit of Progress".

† Stops when required. * Does not stop.

** The portion from Port Augusta is attached at Stirling North. (The train from Port Pirie does not call at Port Augusta.)

† The portion for Port Augusta is detached at Stirling North. (The train to Port Pirie does not call at Port Augusta.)

AVAILABILITY OF TICKETS.—Ordinary tickets between Adelaide, Port Pirie, Port Augusta, Marree and Alice Springs: Single Tickets—14 days; Return tickets—2 months.

Ordinary inter-system tickets between other systems:

Single tickets between adjoining Systems—one month; Single tickets between three or more Systems—three months; Return tickets are available for six months.

Break of journey is permitted at any station, provided the journey to destination is completed within the periods above mentioned.

FREIGHTING OF MOTOR VEHICLES

Passengers who so desire may arrange to have their motor vehicles carried by rail between Port Augusta or Marree and Alice Springs in either direction. They are advised that the carriage of such vehicles is AT THE SOLE RISK OF THE OWNER.

At least seven days' notice should be given to any one of the under-mentioned officials of desire to rail motor vehicles :—

Secretary, Commonwealth Railways, 325 Collins Street, Melbourne, Vic. 3000 (Telephone 62 5911).

Commonwealth Railways Representative, Shopping Circle, Australia Square, Sydney, N.S.W. 2000 (Telephone 27 6052).

Commonwealth Railways Representative, Railway Station, Adelaide, S.A. 5000 (Telephone 51 2381).

Chief Traffic Manager, Commonwealth Railways, Port Augusta, S.A. 5700 (Telephone 2253).

Commonwealth Railways Representative, Room 6, First Floor, Padbury Buildings, Forrest Place, Perth, W.A. 6000 (Telephone 23 4918).

Manager, North Australia Railway, Darwin, N.T. 5790 (Telephone 2939).

Stationmaster, Alice Springs, N.T. 5750 (Telephone 2 1011).

In special circumstances, car bookings may be accepted less than seven days in advance.

Passengers, before contacting the above officials, should arrange to complete their passenger bookings at any Railway Interstate Booking Office.

Loading Times

Northbound

Port Augusta (On day of travel) 2.00 p.m.-3.00 p.m.
Marree .. (On day of travel) Before 4.00 p.m.

Southbound

Alice Springs (On day prior to day of travel) Before 12 Noon.

Delivery

Alice Springs—Available as from 7.00 a.m. on morning after arrival of the passenger train.

Marree and Port Augusta—Available on arrival of passenger train.

FREIGHT RATES ON MOTOR VEHICLES

A concession in freight rates is allowed on motor cars, utilities, panel vans and station wagons, provided that the equivalent of two adult first-class or three adult second-class fares is paid for the same journey as the motor vehicle.

Freight rates on motor vehicles between Port Augusta and Marree, and Alice Springs are :—

Tare Weight	Port Augusta—Alice Springs		Marree—Alice Springs	
	Ordinary	Concession	Ordinary	Concession
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Exceeding 10 cwt. but not exceeding 15 cwt. ..	52.40	42.29	41.35	33.45
Exceeding 15 cwt. but not exceeding 25 cwt. ..	66.15	53.29	50.65	40.89
Exceeding 25 cwt. but not exceeding 35 cwt. ..	75.25	60.57	57.55	46.41
Exceeding 35 cwt. but not exceeding 45 cwt. ..	90.45	72.73	68.35	55.05

Rates for vehicles weighing less than 10 cwt. are available on application.

LUGGAGE

Free Allowance

Passengers undertaking journeys between capital cities—

1st Class, 168 lb. 2nd Class, 112 lb.

Passengers undertaking journeys other than between capital cities—

1st Class, 112 lb. 2nd Class, 84 lb.

Luggage Checks

Passengers may "check" their luggage between any of the places at which inter-system rail tickets are on issue.

As the space available for luggage in sleeping compartments is necessarily limited, passengers are recommended to take with them in the compartment one suitcase not exceeding 28 inches in length which can be placed in the rack provided for this purpose and one smaller case (say 14-16 inches).

Other luggage should be "checked through" in the brakevan.