

SOUTHERN RAILWAY
Railway Express Agency Lettering - issued 1938

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Southern Railway issued the roman style lettering for REA in 1938. This lettering was used into the 1940s until SR issued the Block (gothic) style lettering for REA. This lettering was used only for SR heavyweight baggage cars in service for Railway Express Agency. The larger letters R, E & A were 6 inches tall and all other letters were 5 inches tall. The lettering was painted imitation gold, sometimes referred to a “dulux gold” or “dulux yellow” The above graphics are not scaled to any particular model scale, but can be scaled up or down to any scale as long as dimensions of height & width are maintained. I have provided additional drawings that are to scale.