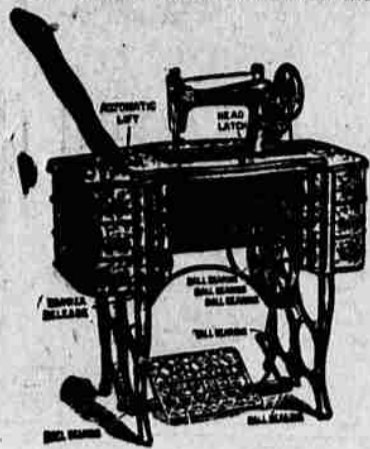


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#### Pears Reach Destination In Perfect Condition With Great Rush.

Portland, Or., Oct. 8.—The great railroad systems are vying with one another to make record time on fruit shipments from the Pacific northwest. The traffic department of the Northwestern Fruit Exchange of this city has just received word that a carload of pears shipped by the Rogue River Fruit and Produce association had reached New York in 11 days, five hours and 15 minutes. The railroads as a rule consider that they are making excellent time from the Pacific coast when they land fruit shipments in New York within 13 or 14 days.

The carload of pears that made the record time to the New York market, arrived in perfect condition. It was of the Comice variety and was shipped from the famous Hollywood orchards which are owned by A. C. Allen, the prominent Medford fruit man.

The schedule time made for this carload beforehand was 130 hours from Umatilla to Chicago and the actual run was made in 133 hours and 15 minutes. The shipment was made by the Union Pacific and Illinois Central systems.

In order to move the apple crop more promptly and in far better shape than ever before there was this season a complete readjustment of schedules from the Pacific coast to the eastern markets. Heretofore fruit shipments have been carried on more or less in an experimental way and at times much loss has been shown as a result of slow movement.

Since the railroads have decided to carry the fruit products east on the same fast freight trains that are used to transport the lesskeeping varieties from California, there has been a notable improvement in the condition of the northern fruit when it reached its eastern destination.

The condition of the pear market in the east is rather badly mixed. There are so many different qualities of fruit offered there by the Pacific coast and from eastern places that buyers are very discriminating in their purchases. While for some of the product of the Pacific coast, the prices obtained were scarcely more than the freight charge with the cost of the box added, fruit sent from the Rogue River values under distinctive brands has been sold at from two to three times what some of the others have brought.

Class meeting 12:15 p. m., Mrs. Bolton, leader.

Epworth League, 6:30 o'clock, leader, Mrs. Fyke, leader.

Evening worship, 7:30 p. m., subject: "The Glory of the Incarnation." E. B. Fyke, Pastor.

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Lemons—45 and 50c.

Green tomatoes—2 1/2c per lb.

Chili peppers—40c.

Honey—20c. 3 lbs. for 50c.

Bartlett pears—4c lb, or \$1.50 per box.

Beet sugar—Cash, \$5.60; 30 days,

\$5.80; same grade 30 days, \$6.20.

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Shells, prime, \$7.00@7.25; good to choice, \$6.50; common to fair, \$4.00@5.00; cows, top, \$5.75; fair to good, \$5.00@5.50; bulls, \$4.50@5.00; stags, \$5.00@5.75; calves, choice, \$7.00@8.00.

SHEEP.

Top, weathers, \$6.25; fair to good, \$2.25@2.75; ewes, best, \$6.50@8.75; fair to good, \$1.50@2.00 yearling lambs, best, \$3.25@3.75.

HOGS.

Hogs—Best, \$7.00@8.00; common to good, \$7.50.

VEGETABLES AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Squash and pumpkins—2c lb.

Celery—10c straight.

Onions—\$2.50 cwt., small lots 3c.

New potatoes—1 1/2c.

Beans—White, 3 1-2c; Lima, 10 cents.

Cabbage—2c lb.

Cucumbers—field, 5c, 3 for 10.

Fresh tomatoes—10c; 80@85c per box.

Sweet potatoes—5c per lb.

Sweet potatoes—5c per lb. or 6 lbs.

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