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## P E A R S

## PRODUCTION AND AVERAGE PRICE PER BUSHEL RECEIVED BY FARMERS.

---Thousand bushels---

STATE	Production 1942	Price for crop	Production 1943	Price for crop	Production 1944	Price for crop	Production 1945	Price for crop
Maine	10	\$1.50	5	\$2.75	10	\$2.70	1	\$4.20
New Hampshire	12	1.65	4	2.75	10	2.20	1	4.20
Vermont	4	1.75	1	2.75	3	2.65	-	--
Massachusetts	50	1.50	20	3.25	48	2.30	10	4.00
Rhode Island	6	1.65	4	3.25	7	2.60	3	4.20
Connecticut	96	1.70	38	3.50	77	3.30	37	4.50
New York	1,241	1.25	528	3.00	1,157	2.35	272	3.40
New Jersey	71	.70	48	1.50	52	1.55	37	1.70
Pennsylvania	491	1.10	174	2.25	464	1.70	120	2.50
Ohio	422	1.00	173	2.60	373	1.65	238	2.20
Indiana	201	.70	72	1.55	157	1.15	146	1.20
Illinois	471	.70	232	1.55	335	1.35	354	1.25
Michigan	1,000	1.30	481	2.85	1,193	1.90	178	2.50
Iowa	71	.95	50	1.85	55	2.10	58	1.50
Missouri	415	.75	170	1.70	175	1.95	370	1.50
Nebraska	28	1.25	13	3.00	10	2.70	12	1.95
Kansas	144	.75	52	2.10	63	2.00	124	1.60
Delaware	8	.70	2	1.50	7	1.35	3	1.50
Maryland	54	.65	20	1.50	52	1.20	23	1.65
Virginia	528	.75	26	1.90	428	1.25	61	2.05
W. Virginia	145	.95	12	2.45	132	1.50	18	2.20
North Carolina	440	.90	88	2.00	354	1.85	360	1.75
South Carolina	187	.80	36	1.65	160	1.60	191	1.35
Georgia	507	.65	138	1.40	500	1.15	502	1.15
Florida	189	.60	99	1.20	176	1.10	157	1.10
Kentucky	292	.85	80	1.80	135	1.60	248	1.40
Tennessee	415	.90	132	1.80	188	1.80	467	1.35
Alabama	400	.75	112	1.45	312	1.45	416	1.35
Mississippi	519	.65	136	1.60	354	1.45	401	1.35
Arkansas	202	.95	80	1.85	228	1.70	231	1.75
Louisiana	239	.65	78	1.70	245	1.45	228	1.30
Oklahoma	227	.85	75	2.00	96	2.00	203	1.30
Texas	508	.85	211	2.00	502	1.80	496	1.60
Idaho	48	1.80	36	2.50	69	2.50	59	2.35
Colorado	177	1.90	264	3.20	157	2.75	282	2.00
New Mexico	53	1.20	53	2.60	50	3.15	54	2.75
Arizona	9	2.40	11	2.70	10	2.75	5	3.00
Utah	82	3.25	200	2.80	170	3.00	223	2.00
Nevada	1	3.00	5	3.50	6	3.50	4	2.25
WASHINGTON	6,675	1.87	5,266	2.69	7,820	2.15	7,922	2.18
Oregon	4,328	2.38	2,817	4.02	4,354	3.16	5,134	3.12
California	9,751	1.54	12,543	1.87	10,127	2.09	13,959	1.96
UNITED STATES	30,717	\$1.54	24,585	\$2.36	30,821	\$2.17	33,754	\$2.13

## PRODUCTION IN THREE PACIFIC STATES

STATE	Production 1942	Price for crop	Production 1943	Price for crop	Production 1944	Price for crop	Production 1945	Price for crop
WASH-Bartletts	5,063	1.78	3,096	2.32	5,080	1.87	6,302	1.90
Others	1,612	2.14	1,360	3.74	1,740	3.18	1,620	3.25
ORE-Bartletts	1,824	1.99	1,386	3.27	1,794	2.74	2,250	2.75
Others	2,504	2.67	1,431	4.74	2,560	3.45	2,884	3.40
CALIF-Bartletts	8,834	1.55	11,293	1.85	8,877	2.09	12,084	1.95
Others	917	1.46	1,250	2.04	1,250	2.08	1,875	2.00

PEARS

PRODUCTION OF BARTLETTS AND "OTHER" VARIETIES:  
 CALIFORNIA, OREGON & WASHINGTON 1930-1945  
 (Thousand bushels)

YEAR	CALIFORNIA	OREGON	WASHINGTON	TOTAL 3 STATES
-- BARTLETTS --				
1930	10,043	1,449	3,448	14,940
1931	8,126	1,200	2,707	12,033
1932	9,042	1,323	3,047	13,412
1933	8,042	1,178	3,634	12,854
1934	8,626	1,283	3,476	13,385
1935	6,084	1,450	3,728	11,262
1936	8,917	1,680	4,000	14,597
1937	8,417	1,118	3,737	13,272
1938	9,751	1,437	4,340	15,528
1939	9,209	1,620	3,700	14,529
1940	7,917	1,690	3,800	13,407
1941	8,584	1,774	5,200	15,558
1942	8,834	1,824	5,063	15,721
1943	11,293	1,386	3,906	16,585
1944	8,877	1,794	6,080	16,751
1945	12,084	2,250	6,302	20,636
-- OTHER VARIETIES --				
1930	1,333	1,951	1,252	4,536
1931	916	800	1,127	2,843
1932	1,125	1,621	1,005	3,751
1933	1,167	1,641	1,040	3,848
1934	1,083	1,343	1,052	3,478
1935	708	1,925	1,472	4,105
1936	1,084	2,080	1,400	4,564
1937	917	2,432	1,863	5,212
1938	2,000	2,812	2,160	6,972
1939	1,333	2,609	2,079	6,021
1940	1,500	2,755	2,300	6,555
1941	708	2,276	1,754	4,738
1942	917	2,504	1,612	5,033
1943	1,250	1,431	1,360	4,041
1944	1,250	2,560	1,740	5,550
1945	1,875	2,884	1,620	6,379

For some stated in certain years production includes some quantities unharvested on account of market conditions or scarcity of harvest labor. Estimates in bushels since 1942 of such quantities are as follows: 1942: Washington, Other 30,000; Oregon, Bartletts 40,000, Others 150,000; California, Bartletts 83,000. 1943: California Bartletts 209,000. 1944: Washington Bartletts 287,000; California Bartletts 125,000. 1945: California Bartletts 458,000.

## COMPARATIVE WEEKLY CARLOT SHIPMENTS - PEARS

Week ending	Wash.	Ore.	Calif	Total U. S.	Week Ending	Wash.	Ore.	Calif.	Total U. S.
Aug. 4, 1945	6	-	663	678	Dec. 8, 1945	136	174	26	337
5, 1944	15	-	415	432	9, 1944	78	205	6	288
Aug. 11, 1945	263	-	621	890	Dec. 15, 1945	97	110	17	224
12, 1944	406	-	571	983	16, 1944	85	142	9	242
Aug. 18, 1945	381	2	673	1094	Dec. 22, 1945	69	96	20	185
19, 1944	401	-	712	1133	23, 1944	74	99	9	183
Aug. 25, 1945	411	81	804	1361	Dec. 29, 1945	69	81	10	160
28, 1944	401	32	642	1124	30, 1944	73	44	1	119
Sept. 1, 1945	447	185	843	1529	Jan. 5, 1946	60	58	11	129
2, 1944	538	105	447	1361	6, 1945	86	52	2	140
Sept. 8, 1945	308	206	708	1372	Jan. 12, 1946	76	41	14	131
9, 1944	458	182	312	1108	13, 1945	72	75	1	149
Sept. 15, 1945	336	297	525	1248	Jan. 19, 1946	69	79	6	154
16, 1944	535	283	171	1129	20, 1945	68	81	3	153
Sept. 22, 1945	399	356	307	1121	Jan. 26, 1946	58	77	2	137
23, 1944	478	322	94	1025	27, 1945	36	43	4	90
Sept. 29, 1945	353	419	202	1040	Feb. 2, 1946	30	82	8	120
30, 1944	518	290	69	695	3, 1945	40	90	7	137
Oct. 6, 1945	400	518	129	1114	Feb. 9, 1946	61	90	2	153
7, 1944	533	292	59	1025	10, 1945	40	73	10	123
Oct. 13, 1945	469	384	142	1023	Feb. 16, 1946	48	112	6	166
14, 1944	599	252	73	981	17, 1945	48	90	11	149
Oct. 20, 1945	482	336	103	934	Feb. 23, 1946	11	90	4	105
21, 1944	522	161	46	763	24, 1945	25	62	12	99
Oct. 27, 1945	422	297	81	811	Mar. 2, 1946	13	96	2	111
28, 1944	446	139	16	620	3, 1945	16	58	13	87
Nov. 3, 1945	271	170	24	469	Mar. 9, 1946	16	67	10	93
4, 1944	302	149	23	481	10, 1945	13	68	11	92
Nov. 10, 1945	205	125	38	369	Mar. 16, 1946	17	42	3	62
11, 1944	160	130	18	311	17, 1945	10	48	14	72
Nov. 17, 1945	141	101	19	262	Mar. 23, 1946	8	23	1	32
18, 1944	145	127	24	299	24, 1945	0	21	8	29
Nov. 24, 1945	120	63	17	201	Mar. 30, 1946	2	25	3	30
25, 1944	86	117	12	218	31, 1945	0	30	12	42
Dec. 1, 1945	107	81	10	201	Apr. 6, 1946	0	75	3	78
2, 1944	79	147	5	232	7, 1945	0	44	9	53

CARLOT SHIPMENTS BY COUNTY AND BILLING STATION  
DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1945

## P E A R S

COUNTY & STATION	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL
<u>WASHINGTON</u>													
CHELAN:													
Cashmere	29	17	-	-	-	-	-	42	81	78	46	37	330
Chelan	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	5	26	17	5	3	57
Dryden	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	4	81	107	12	16	227
Entiat	15	12	11	-	-	-	-	11	29	28	4	2	112
Leavenworth	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	4	2	13	36
Monitor	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	7	24	21	2	15	74
Peshastin	20	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	54	31	59	188
Wenatchee	25	26	3	-	-	-	-	141	168	93	42	50	548
KLICKITAT:													
Bingen-White Salmon	27	9	7	-	-	-	-	4	38	77	42	15	219
OKANOGAN:													
Okanogan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7	10	5	3	26
Oroville	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	21	2	-	25
Pateros	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Tonasket	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	6	5	-	14
Brewster	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	4
SPOKANE:													
Houser, Ida for Wash shpt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2
Spokane	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	4
YAKIMA:													
Duena	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	112	27	1	39	-	191
Gleed	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	63	39	68	5	7	195
Grandview	23	1	-	-	-	-	-	70	32	15	19	27	187
Nachés	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	22	88	35	-	154
Parker	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	8	12
Sawyer	3	5	3	-	-	-	-	31	46	22	26	23	159
Selah	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	31	60	54	21	7	176
Sunnyside	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	19	-	-	-	29
Tieton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	40	114	46	-	217
Wapato	22	6	-	-	-	-	-	60	19	20	15	26	168
Yakima	52	43	6	-	-	-	-	726	750	995	264	99	2935
Zillah	32	6	-	-	-	-	-	114	48	31	4	5	240
GRAND TOTAL--	279	145	30	-	-	-	-	1458	1595	1932	677	415	6531
<u>OREGON</u>													
DOUGLAS:													
Roseburg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
Sutherlin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	6	-	-	-	13
HOOD RIVER:													
Hood River	166	175	47	3	-	-	-	18	255	556	213	186	1619
JACKSON:													
Ashland	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	6	38	46	16	5	118
Medford	128	121	147	104	-	-	-	236	1110	986	215	338	3385
LANE:													
Eugene	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	7
UMATILLA:													
Milton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3
GRAND TOTAL	297	300	194	107	-	-	-	267	1418	1589	447	529	5148

CARLOT SHIPMENTS BY COUNTY AND BILLING STATION FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1945  
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COUNTY & STATION	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL
<u>IDAHO</u>													
<u>ADAMS</u>													
Council	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	1	-	-	8
<u>CANYON</u>													
Nampa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	-	-	-	5
<u>GEM</u>													
Emmett	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
<u>NEZ PERCE</u>													
Lewiston	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
<u>OWYHEE</u>													
Homedale	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	6
Marsing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
<u>GRAND TOTAL</u>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	13	1	-	-	23

UNLOADS OF NORTHWEST PEARS IN 23 CITIES 1944-1945

Destination	1944			Total N.W. 1945	1944			Total N.W. 1945
	Idaho	Ore.	Wash.		Idaho	Ore.	Wash.	
Atlanta, Ga.	---	46	10	56	---	61	11	72
Baltimore, Md.	---	31	89	120	---	51	100	151
Boston, Mass.	---	146	112	258	---	196	166	362
Chicago, Ill.	---	233	354	587	---	2	335	576
Cincinnati, Ohio	---	36	71	107	---	1	30	83
Cleveland, Ohio	---	73	68	141	---	98	55	153
Dallas, Texas	---	13	12	25	---	1	21	22
Denver, Colo.	6	21	24	51	---	24	15	39
Detroit, Mich.	---	147	77	224	---	147	70	217
Ft. Worth, Texas	---	6	1	7	---	1	---	1
Kansas City, Mo.	2	33	67	102	---	41	30	71
Los Angeles, Calif.*	---	82	35	117	---	142	53	195
Minneapolis, Minn.	---	3	221	224	1	4	182	187
New Orleans, La.	---	83	5	88	---	62	13	75
New York, N.Y.	---	790	465	1255	---	1103	496	1599
Philadelphia, Pa.	---	233	209	442	2	261	191	454
Pittsburgh, Pa.	---	99	156	255	---	128	127	255
Portland, Ore.	---	9	28	37	---	4	1	5
St. Louis, Mo.	---	17	77	94	---	29	29	58
St. Paul, Minn.	---	1	69	70	---	1	50	51
San Francisco, Calif.**	---	26	29	55	---	49	29	78
Seattle, Wash.	---	---	4	4	---	3	5	8
Washington, D. C.	---	34	11	45	---	55	20	75
<u>TOTAL</u>	8	2162	2194	4364	7	2846	1934	4787

\* Includes truck 1944 Ore 15; 1945 Ore 21.

\*\* " " 1944 Ore 4; 1945 Ore 6.

UNLOADS OF PEARS IN 23 CITIES1945-46 SEASONW A S H I N G T O N

CITY	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.
Atlanta, Ga.	--	2	--	1	3	--	1	3	--	--
Baltimore, Md.	--	1	11	22	23	18	14	8	7	5
Boston, Mass.	1	4	13	57	22	21	27	7	9	1
Chicago, Ill.	--	24	21	50	33	38	35	26	8	--
Cincinnati, Ohio	--	7	50	23	7	5	2	2	3	--
Cleveland, Ohio	--	--	1	11	20	17	19	9	3	--
Dallas, Texas	--	7	--	--	--	--	1	1	--	--
Denver, Colo.	--	3	7	2	2	--	--	--	--	--
Detroit, Mich.	--	3	4	10	20	12	11	5	2	--
Ft. Worth, Texas	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Kansas City, Mo.	--	40	3	1	1	2	1	--	--	--
Los Angeles, Calif.	--	--	--	7	9	17	8	9	3	--
Minneapolis, Minn.	--	61	74	21	14	6	1	--	1	--
New Orleans, La.	--	--	4	--	3	1	2	1	1	--
New York, N.Y.	--	8	59	57	70	101	110	59	10	4
Philadelphia, Pa.	--	2	15	46	45	27	16	9	2	--
Pittsburgh, Pa.	--	5	23	9	44	31	13	8	5	1
Portland, Ore.	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--
St. Louis, Mo.	--	2	--	10	4	--	6	--	1	--
St. Paul, Minn.	--	14	28	5	2	1	1	--	--	--
San Francisco, Calif.	--	--	--	6	5	10	4	--	--	--
Seattle, Wash.	--	--	--	--	--	5	--	--	--	--
Washington, D. C.	--	--	1	2	10	--	3	1	1	--

O R E G O N

Atlanta, Ga.	--	--	--	24	18	3	3	3	2	4
Baltimore, Md.	--	--	9	16	18	3	1	4	2	--
Boston, Mass.	--	--	35	61	49	20	10	7	17	8
Chicago, Ill.	--	--	49	147	59	7	20	32	28	16
Cincinnati, Ohio	--	1	147	17	6	--	3	1	2	--
Cleveland, Ohio	--	--	4	31	9	2	10	9	13	3
Dallas, Texas	--	--	7	5	5	2	4	1	--	--
Denver, Colo.	--	--	11	9	2	1	--	--	--	--
Detroit, Mich.	--	--	11	62	20	9	14	21	2	6
Ft. Worth, Texas	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--
Kansas City, Mo.	--	1	10	17	5	6	--	3	2	1
Los Angeles, Calif.	--	--	3	8	40	25	30	17	11	2
Minneapolis, Minn.	--	--	--	4	--	--	--	--	--	--
New Orleans, La.	--	--	20	18	4	10	5	--	1	--
New York, N.Y.	--	--	147	331	223	79	71	94	91	58
Philadelphia, Pa.	--	--	32	66	57	20	20	19	17	5
Pittsburgh, Pa.	--	--	28	24	24	12	12	24	16	2
Portland, Ore.	--	2	1	1	--	--	--	1	--	--
St. Louis, Mo.	--	--	--	15	8	--	1	--	5	--
St. Paul, Minn.	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--
San Francisco, Calif.	--	--	3	20	3	6	2	5	1	1
Seattle, Wash.	--	1	--	2	--	--	--	--	--	--
Washington, D. C.	--	--	--	14	17	6	8	12	3	2



## PEARS - CARLOT SHIPMENTS IN 1945

State	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Calif. N.D.	2	2	19	17	1	17	1289	2838	1584	177	5	4	5955
Calif. S.D.	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	2	--	1	1	--	5
Calif. C.D.	12	40	33	13	--	--	67	458	321	243	98	70	1355
Colorado	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	154	74	100	--	--	328
Georgia	--	--	--	--	--	--	4	6	--	--	--	--	10
Idaho	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	9	13	1	--	--	23
Illinois	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	28	32	--	--	61
Kansas	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	5	--	--	6
Michigan	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10	--	--	10
Missouri	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	1	--	3
New York	9	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	9	13	6	1	38
Ohio	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	5	--	--	6
Oregon	297	300	194	107	--	--	--	267	1407	1592	447	529	5140
Texas	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4	--	--	--	--	4
Utah	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	25	186	20	--	--	231
Washington	279	145	30	--	--	--	--	1458	1595	1921	672	412	6512
<b>TOTAL U.S.</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>487</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1361</b>	<b>5222</b>	<b>5219</b>	<b>4122</b>	<b>1230</b>	<b>1016</b>	<b>19687</b>

## IMPORTS

Argentina	--	--	78	69	49	114	--	--	--	--	--	--	310
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## TRUCK SHIPMENTS (Incomplete)

Colorado	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	39	42	5	2	--	88
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## CARLOT SHIPMENTS OF PEARS BY STATES

Calendar years 1936 to 1945

STATE	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Alabama	39	--	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Arkansas	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
California	6832	7293	8071	6657	5717	4457	4430	7152	4614	7315
Colorado	139	24	64	29	84	114	83	264	63	328
Delaware	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Florida	8	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Georgia	4	2	3	--	--	--	3	--	9	10
Idaho	18	5	17	11	20	17	12	2	27	23
Illinois	28	699	12	138	267	332	360	108	144	61
Indiana	--	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Iowa	--	14	2	9	1	5	1	--	1	--
Kentucky	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Kansas	--	3	--	1	2	--	4	--	--	6
Maryland	8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Michigan	539	141	187	223	42	113	87	37	194	10
Mississippi	48	--	7	--	2	--	5	--	1	--
Missouri	--	11	--	2	4	--	4	9	--	3
Nebraska	2	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
New Jersey	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
New Mexico	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
New York	371	314	471	435	251	53	493	120	343	38
Ohio	22	15	18	35	7	6	19	7	16	6
Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Oregon	4109	3495	3932	4019	4482	3445	4007	3191	3566	5140
Pennsylvania	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
S. Carolina	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tennessee	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Texas	22	21	--	--	12	--	4	4	--	4
Utah	20	1	29	30	27	28	4	134	107	231
Virginia	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
WASHINGTON	5891	5715	5327	4608	4599	5959	5589	4530	7153	6512
W. Virginia	3	8	1	--	1	2	--	--	--	--
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>18,106</b>	<b>17,769</b>	<b>18,145</b>	<b>16,197</b>	<b>15,516</b>	<b>14,531</b>	<b>15,105</b>	<b>15,558</b>	<b>16,238</b>	<b>19,687</b>
Imports										
Origin not spec.--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	393	310

U. S. Cold Storage Holdings of Pears

Date	Bartletts Packed	Bartletts loose	All other varieties	Bu Baskets all varieties
September 1, 1945	1,140,000	2,941,000	224,000	63,000
" 1944	896,000	3,728,000	148,000	131,000
" 1943	--	--	--	--
5-yr. average 1940-1944	--	--	--	--
October 1, 1945	569,000	3,402,000	1,960,000	96,000
" 1944	243,000	2,145,000	2,322,000	396,000
" 1943	151,000	2,140,000	1,776,000	165,000
5-yr. average 1940-1944	--	--	--	--
November 1, 1945	46,000	373,000	2,386,000	142,000
" 1944	44,000	636,000	2,600,000	228,000
" 1943	32,000	416,000	1,296,000	101,000
5-yr. average 1940-44	36,000	326,000	2,343,000	121,000
December 1, 1945	57,000	19,000	2,193,000	125,000
" 1944	19,000	37,000	2,235,000	82,000
" 1943	32,000	26,000	958,000	40,000
5-yr. average 1940-44	31,000	38,000	1,732,000	59,000
January 1, 1946	9,000	3,000	1,432,000	108,000
" 1945	31,000	1,000	1,327,000	85,000
" 1944	23,000	15,000	663,000	23,000
5-yr. average 1941-45	35,000	10,000	1,135,000	51,000
February 1, 1946	6,000	1,000	676,000	34,000
" 1945	27,000	--	911,000	43,000
" 1944	13,000	10,000	400,000	13,000
5-yr. average 1941-45	12,000	10,000	736,000	26,000
March 1, 1946	9,000	--	419,000	10,000
" 1945	23,000	20,000	436,000	33,000
" 1944	6,000	6,000	218,000	6,000
5-yr. average 1941-45	8,000	8,000	415,000	16,000
April 1, 1946	4,000	--	146,000	3,000
" 1945	14,000	--	154,000	18,000
" 1944	4,000	3,000	93,000	2,000
5-yr. average 1941-45	6,000	1,000	176,000	8,000
May 1, 1946	3,000	--	32,000	--
" 1945	3,000	1,000	22,000	6,000
" 1944	1,000	--	15,000	--
5-yr. average 1941-45	3,000	1,000	44,000	2,000

Cold Storage Holdings of Pears in Pacific Coast States (Selected dates)  
(Boxes and bushel baskets)

	October 1		January 1		April 1	
	1945	1944	1946	1945	1946	1945
WASHINGTON	2,494,000	2,355,000	397,000	322,000	--	--
Oregon	875,000	1,390,000	753,000	680,000	114,000	93,000
California	2,227,000	868,000	172,000	233,000	5,000	60,000
TOTAL U. S.	5,927,000	5,106,000	1,552,000	1,444,000	153,000	186,000

UTILIZATION & PRICES PAID GROWERS  
FOR WASHINGTON PEARS  
(Average 1942, 1943 & 1944)

Utilization	Production & Sales			Price		
	1942	1943	1944	1942	1943	1944
	(Tons)			(\$ per ton)		
		<u>BARTLETT</u>	<u>PEARS</u>			
Total sold fresh	32,350	39,300	71,000	78.40	110.00	79.60
By rail	18,425	17,475	51,325			
By truck	13,925	21,825	19,675			
Total sold process	89,050	52,400	88,000	68.60	80.10	70.80
Canned	87,094	50,865	85,875	68.60	80.60	72.00
Dried (Fresh Basis)	-	1,350	1,500	-	64.00	6.00*
Other	-	-	625	-	-	34.50
Dumped	1,956	185	-	66.40	78.00	-
Total quantity sold	121,400	91,700	159,000	71.20	92.90	74.80
Farm home use	5,175	5,950	5,950			
Unharvested	-	-	7,175			
<u>TOTAL PRODUCTION</u>	126,575	97,650	172,125			
		<u>OTHER</u>	<u>PEARS</u>			
Total sold fresh	37,425	30,200	41,000	87.20	160.00	132.80
By rail	33,675	28,400	39,250			
By truck	3,750	1,800	1,750			
Total sold process	600	2,250	1,950	4.20	9.60	8.00
Canned	-	50	-	-	60.00	-
Dried (fresh basis)	573	1,100	1,700	3.50	6.50	8.00
Wine	16	1,075	125	20.00	8.00	6.00
Other	11	-	125	20.00	-	10.00
Dumped	-	25	-	-	80.00	-
Total quantity sold	38,025	32,450	42,950	85.80	149.59	127.20
Farm home use	1,525	1,550	1,550			
Unharvested	750	-	-			
<u>TOTAL PRODUCTION</u>	40,300	34,000	44,500			

\*Overripe pears used for drying. 3.75 in 1943; 3.50 in 1944.

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- Pears, western: Weighted average auction price per box,  
specified varieties, all grades, at New York and Chicago,  
August-January, 1944-45 and 1945-46

Market and period	Bartlett		Bosc		D'Anjou	
	1944	1945	1944	1945	1944	1945
	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.
<u>New York:</u>						
August.....	4.74	4.77	---	---	---	---
September.....	4.22	3.44	4.33	3.97	4.34	3.89
Week ended -						
Oct. 5.....	4.40	4.66	4.13	4.64	4.49	4.54
12.....	4.31	4.74	4.72	4.56	4.85	4.05
19.....	4.23	4.76	4.30	4.90	4.64	5.06
<u>Chicago:</u>						
August.....	4.37	4.72	---	---	---	---
September.....	3.88	3.74	4.00	---	3.13	---
Week ended -						
Oct. 5.....	4.28	4.63	4.00	4.58	4.16	4.94
12.....	3.16	4.56	4.01	4.44	3.54	4.71
19.....	3.21	4.19	4.01	4.32	4.62	4.58

New York:	Bosc		D'Anjou		Chicago	Bosc		D'Anjou	
	1944-45	1945-46	1944-45	1945-46		1944-45	1945-46	1944-45	1945-46
Oct.....	4.16	4.62	4.34	4.56	Oct.....	3.94	4.04	4.47	4.74
Nov.....	3.59	4.00	4.55	5.12	Nov.....	3.65	4.61	4.42	5.17
Dec.....	3.72	5.17	4.69	5.32	Dec.....	3.29	-	4.40	5.27
Week ended.....					Week ended				
Jan. 18.....	3.35	4.84	4.06	5.41	Jan. 18	-	5.43	4.53	4.34

## NEW YORK AUCTION WASHINGTON PEARS

1945-1946 season

Date	#Bxs	BARTLETTS		D'ANJOU			BOSC			
		Range	Avg.	#Bxs	Range	Avg.	#Bxs	Range	Avg.	
Aug.	27	1900	--	4.77						
	27	380	---	4.77						
	27	620	---	4.77						
	28	760	---	4.77						
	28	3175	4.25-4.77	4.63						
	29	760	---	4.77						
	29	2045	4.64-4.77	4.72						
	30	1725	---	4.77						
	30	500	---	4.77						
	31	480	4.40-4.77	4.75						
Sept.	4	310	2.80-4.50	3.98						
	4	2660	3.00-4.10	3.78						
	4	380	2.90-3.90	3.42						
	5	1440	2.80-4.77	3.85						
	6	950	3.00-4.77	3.82						
	6	3860	2.55-4.77	3.78						
	6	570	2.80-4.65	3.57						
	7	380	2.75-4.45	3.75						
	7	380	2.50-4.20	3.45						
	7	1390	2.20-3.25	2.86						
	10	3730	1.75-3.55	2.47						
	11	1480	1.85-3.05	2.61						
	12	2770	1.30-2.75	2.15						
	12	170	.75-.95	.89						
	13	3445	1.20-2.65	2.21						
	13	235	.90-1.35	1.16						
	14	760	2.25-2.65	2.44						
	14	380	1.85-2.20	2.00						
	14	185	---	.90						
	17	85	1.40-1.65	1.61						
	18	570	2.25-3.20	2.69						
	18	190	2.25-2.75	2.56						
	18	880	2.30-3.75	3.40						
	19	760	2.00-3.40	3.00						
	20	570	2.40-2.85	2.73						
	20	190	2.40-2.65	2.53						
	24	1290	1.75-3.35	2.84						
	24	190	2.70-3.05	2.95						
Oct.	1	500	3.65-3.85	3.83						
	1	95	3.00-3.55	3.42						
	3	350	3.65-4.05	3.91			685	3.70-4.25	4.01	
	3	135	3.45-3.75	3.66			180	3.25-4.00	3.42	
	3	720	4.25-4.98	4.72						
	4	1405	4.00-5.07	4.91						
	10				145	3.10-4.99	4.53	285	3.70-4.96	4.59
	10				160	2.65-4.45	4.10			
	15				610	---	5.15	210	4.00-4.40	4.27
	15				185	4.20-4.45	4.30	515	4.15-4.50	4.43
	16							85	3.35-4.50	4.94
	17				660	4.15-5.24	5.20	325	4.15-4.75	4.59
	17							430	4.05-4.85	4.70
	17							755	4.25-4.80	4.57
	20							540	3.95-4.35	4.34
	20							155	4.10-4.40	4.28
	20							50	4.00-4.50	4.30
	25				720	2.95-5.15	4.55	460	3.90-4.50	4.42
	25							295	3.95-4.50	4.40
	29				610	4.40-5.15	5.00	245	4.10-4.35	4.20
	29							615	4.15-4.50	4.37
	30							270	3.80-4.50	4.20
	30							120	3.75-4.05	3.97
Nov.	2				755	4.70-5.15	5.10			
	5				1510	4.35-5.15	5.10	690	3.85-4.85	4.32
	5				160	---	5.15			
	7				35	---	4.75	705	3.75-5.12	4.49
	7				290	4.60-4.65	4.63	800	3.70-5.00	4.43
	8				375	4.55-4.90	4.67	525	3.50-5.14	4.58
	8							460		4.28

NEW YORK AUCTION WASHINGTON PEARS  
1945-1946 season

Date	BARTLETT'S			D'ANJOU'S			BOSC		
	#Bxs	Range	Avg.	#Bxs	Range	Avg.	#Bxs	Range	Avg.
Nov. 13							370	4.25-5.00	4.57
13							625	3.45-4.80	4.34
13							780	4.95-5.30	5.29
19							135	4.75-5.30	5.19
19							40	---	5.30
19							520	3.50-4.60	4.38
20							755	---	5.30
23							755	---	5.30
27							65	---	5.30
27							200	---	5.30
29				125	---	5.30	550	4.25-5.30	5.16
29							60	4.20-4.90	4.61
Dec. 4							60	4.60-4.90	4.82
4							125	4.20-4.60	4.56
12				140	---	5.38			
12				140	---	5.38			
12				475	---	5.38			
13							240	4.20-5.38	4.96
14				540	5.26-5.38	5.29			
14				140	---	5.38			
14				475	---	5.38			
18				520	---	5.38			
18				520	---	5.38			
18				575	---	5.38			
21				615	---	5.38			
21				150	---	5.38			
26				2785	---	5.38			
26				515	---	5.38			
26				1050	---	5.38			
27				270	---	5.38	285	---	5.38
27							265	4.80-5.38	5.28
28				755	---	5.38			
28				565	---	5.38			
28				170	---	4.55			
Jan. 2				1960	---	5.38	560	---	5.38
2				330	---	5.38	325	---	5.38
2				635	---	5.38			
2				130	---	4.60			
3				170	---	5.38			
4				55	---	5.38	470	5.00-5.38	5.36
4				26	---	5.38	60	---	3.15
15							760	---	5.45
21				280	---	5.33			
21				190	---	5.33			
21				255	---	5.45			
28				130	---	4.54			
29				510	---	5.45			
29				1000	---	5.45			
31				1520	---	5.45			
Feb. 4				510	---	5.45			
4				760	---	5.45			
4				150	---	5.45			
7				760	---	5.45			
8				380	---	5.45			
8				380	---	5.45			
18				500	---	5.57			
18				160	---	5.30			
20				625	---	5.57			
Mar. 1				760	4.75-5.56	5.54			
4				755	3.60-4.10	3.89			
7				800	4.45-5.35	5.07			

CHICAGO AUCTION WASHINGTON PEARS  
1945-46 season

Date	BARTLETTS			D' ANJOUS			BOSC		
	#Bxs	Range	Avg.	#Bxs	Range	Avg.	#Bxs	Range	Avg.
Aug. 20	1457	1.75-1.90	1.77						
21	1498	1.40-1.45	1.43						
23	1548	1.45-1.50	1.43						
23	1566	1.10-1.25	1.12						
27	2987	1.25-1.45	1.35						
30	1565	1.30-1.40	1.36						
Sept.	No Sales			No Sales			No Sales		
Oct. 1				647	--	4.94			
2							675	3.30-4.40	4.10
4	570	3.15-4.94	4.45				85	--	4.15
4	190	3.15-4.20	4.06						
17				983	--	5.10	378	3.85-4.50	4.33
17				171	3.95-4.80	4.57	378	3.60-4.30	4.18
18	1206	1.20-1.50	1.35	756	3.70-4.80	4.61			
18	400	.90-1.00	.94						
18	314	--	1.00						
25							314	3.00-4.45	4.24
25							147	2.30-4.25	3.72
25							295	2.65-3.55	3.30
30				606	--	5.10			
Nov. 8							361	3.30-4.55	4.47
8							377	3.15-3.80	3.69
14							760	3.55-4.70	4.55
14							387	3.50-4.70	4.42
30				760	--	5.25			
Dec. 4				756	--	5.25			
5				148	--	5.25			
8				52	--	5.28			
8				756	--	5.25			
8				147	--	5.25			
8				53	--	5.25			
11				756	--	5.33			
26				266	--	5.25			
Jan. 3.				756	--	5.33			
11				760	--	5.40			
14				525	--	5.40			
Feb. 26				756	3.75-5.10	4.84			