

# FREIGHT TRAIN IN FAST RUN BETWEEN TACOMA AND CHICAGO

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**Milwaukee Road Brings Consignment  
of Silk and Salmon from Coast City in  
Four Hours Less than Four Days.**

A record breaking run from Tacoma to Chicago has just been completed by a through freight train over the lines of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway and its Puget sound extension, on a schedule almost as fast as that of present fast passenger trains between those points.

The train consisted of four carloads of silk from the orient and four carloads of salmon.

The silk was received at Tacoma from the transpacific steamer Onanfa at 1:45 p. m. Sunday, Oct. 31. The eight car train left Tacoma over the Puget Sound line at 6:45 p. m. Sunday and arrived in Chicago at 2:10 p. m. yesterday.

B. A. Clements, who has been for several years chief clerk to Vice President Ira G. Rawn of the Illinois Central, has been appointed by President Harahan to the new position of general agent of the company.

At a meeting of directors of the Illinois Central in New York yesterday all of the officers were reelected with the exception of the vice president.