

5977. Adulteration of gelatin. U. S. * * * v. 1 Barrel of Gelatin. Consent decree of condemnation and forfeiture. Product ordered released on bond. (F. & D. No. 8337. I. S. No. 28856-k. S. No. E-860.)

On July 16, 1917, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Georgia, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel for the seizure and condemnation of 1 barrel, containing 150 pounds of gelatin, remaining unsold in the original unbroken package at Atlanta, Ga., alleging that the article had been shipped on June 15, 1917, by W. K. Jahn Co., Chicago, Ill., and transported from the State of Illinois into the State of Georgia, and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act.

Adulteration of the article was alleged in the libel for the reason that it contained an added poisonous and deleterious ingredient, to wit, zinc, which might render said article injurious to health.

On August 13, 1917, the said W. K. Jahn Co., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product should be released to said claimant upon the payment of the costs of the proceedings and the execution of a bond in the sum of \$500, in conformity with section 10 of the act.

CARL VROOMAN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*