

were imitations of and were offered for sale and sold under the distinctive names of other articles.

At the March 1929, term of the said District Court, a plea of guilty to the information was entered on behalf of the defendant company, and the court imposed a fine of \$400.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

16344. Adulteration of walnut meats. U. S. v. 10 Cartons of Walnut Meats. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 23325. I. S. No. 0682. S. No. 1446.)

On January 12, 1929, the United States attorney for the Western District of Washington, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 10 cartons of walnut meats, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Seattle, Wash., alleging that the article had been shipped (by the Leon Mayer Co.), from Los Angeles, Calif., and transported from the State of California into the State of Washington, arriving at Seattle on or about December 19, 1928, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act. The article was labeled in part: "From Leon Mayer * * * Los Angeles, Calif."

It was alleged in the libel that the article was adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy, putrid, and decomposed vegetable substance.

On February 6, 1929, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

16345. Adulteration of frozen geese. U. S. v. 1 Barrel of Frozen Geese. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 23156. I. S. No. 04582. S. No. 1256.)

On October 23, 1928, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 1 barrel of frozen geese at Chicago, Ill., alleging that the article had been shipped by A. N. Leiberg, from Ellendale, Minn., December 26, 1927, and transported from the State of Minnesota into the State of Illinois, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act.

It was alleged in the libel that the article was adulterated in that it consisted in part of a filthy, decomposed, and putrid animal substance.

On March 13, 1929, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

16346. Adulteration of walnuts. U. S. v. 53 Sacks of Walnuts. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 23285. I. S. Nos. 01993, 01995. S. No. 1415.)

On December 31, 1928, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 53 sacks of walnuts at Chicago, Ill., alleging that the article had been shipped by the General Cold Storage Co., from Detroit, Mich., November 9, 1928, and transported from the State of Michigan into the State of Illinois, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act.

It was alleged in the libel that the article was adulterated in that it consisted in part of a filthy and decomposed vegetable substance, and in that it consisted in part of a putrid substance.

On March 18, 1929, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

16347. Adulteration of dressed chickens. U. S. v. 8 Barrels of Dressed Chickens. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 22996. I. S. No. 01938. S. No. 1068.)

On August 17, 1928, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure