

29817. Adulteration of raisins. U. S. v. 7 Cases of Raisins. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. & D. No. 43456. Sample No. 25023-D.)

This product, which had been shipped in interstate commerce and remained unsold and in the original packages at the time of examination, was found to be insect-infested.

On September 2, 1938, the United States attorney for the Southern District of Florida, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of seven cases of raisins at Key West, Fla.; alleging that the article had been shipped on or about May 18, 1938, by Fraering Brokerage Co., Inc., from New Orleans, La.; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act. The article was labeled in part: "Dubon Brand * * * Distributed by Dubon Co. of New Orleans, La."

It was alleged to be adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy vegetable substance.

On November 22, 1938, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

HARRY L. BROWN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

29818. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 26 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. & D. No. 43996. Sample No. 35653-D.)

This product, which had been shipped in interstate commerce and remained unsold and in the original packages at the time of examination, was found to be insect-infested.

On September 27, 1938, the United States attorney for the District of Massachusetts, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 26 bags of flour at Charlestown, Mass.; alleging that the article had been shipped on or about October 27, 1937, by Royal Milling Co. from Great Falls, Mont.; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act.

The article was alleged to be adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy vegetable substance.

On November 21, 1938, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

HARRY L. BROWN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

29819. Adulteration of apples. U. S. v. 45 Bushels of Apples. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. & D. No. 44434. Sample No. 46052-D.)

This product was contaminated with arsenic and lead.

On November 8, 1938, the United States attorney for the Western District of Kentucky, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 45 bushels of apples at Dawson Springs, Ky.; alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about November 3, 1938, that it had been transported from Morning Star Orchards, Rothbury, Mich., by Ralph Isaacs to himself at Dawson Springs, Ky.; and charging that it was adulterated in violation of the Food and Drugs Act.

The article was alleged to be adulterated in that it contained added poisonous or deleterious ingredients, arsenic and lead, which might have rendered it injurious to health.

On November 18, 1938, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

HARRY L. BROWN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

29820. Adulteration of black figs. U. S. v. 80 Cases of Dried Black Figs. Consent decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. & D. No. 44314. Sample No. 20307-D.)

This product, which had been shipped in interstate commerce and remained unsold and in the original packages at the time of examination, was found to be insect-infested.

On November 12, 1938, the United States attorney for the District of Hawaii, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 80 cases of dried black figs at Honolulu, Hawaii; alleging that the article had been shipped on or about September 16, 1938, by Los Angeles Nut House from Los Angeles, Calif.; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act.