

United States Department of Agriculture,

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.

NOTICE OF JUDGMENT NO. 1131.

(Given pursuant to section 4 of the Food and Drugs Act.)

ADULTERATION OF MILK.

On or about June 12, 1911, Benjamin F. Zimmerman, of Adamtown, Md., sold and delivered at the Union Station, Washington, D. C., a quantity of milk. Dr. William C. Woodward, health officer of the District of Columbia, acting under authority of the Secretary of Agriculture, caused a sample of this product to be procured and analyzed. As it appeared from the findings of the analyst and report made that the milk was adulterated within the meaning of the Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, said Benjamin F. Zimmerman was afforded an opportunity to be heard, and as it appeared after the said hearing that this sale was made in violation of the act, the said health officer reported the facts to the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia.

In due course a criminal information was filed in the Police Court of the District of Columbia against the said Benjamin F. Zimmerman, charging that said milk was adulterated in that water had been mixed and packed with it in a manner so as to reduce and lower the quality of said milk.

On July 28, 1911, the defendant entered a plea of guilty and the court imposed a fine of \$10.

W. M. HAYS,

Acting Secretary of Agriculture.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *September 26, 1911.*

