

3858. Adulteration of cream. U. S. v. Roy M. Gordon. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$15. (F. & D. No. 270-c.)

On February 6, 1915, the United States attorney for the District of Columbia, acting upon a report by the health officer of said District, authorized by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the police court of the District aforesaid an information against Roy M. Gordon, Jefferson, Md, alleging shipment by said defendant, on November 2, 25, and 27, 1914, from the State of Maryland into the District of Columbia, of quantities of cream which was adulterated.

Adulteration was alleged in the information for the reason that a valuable constituent of the article of food, to wit, butter fat, had been left out and abstracted in whole or in part.

On February 6, 1915, the defendant entered a plea of guilty to the information, and the court imposed a fine of \$15.

CARL VROOMAN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

WASHINGTON, D. C., *May 11, 1915.*