

4017. Adulteration of milk. U. S. v. Beriah W. Head. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$10. (F. & D No. 288-c.)

On June 9, 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 Beriah W. Head, Vienna, Va., alleging shipment by said defendant, in violation of the Food and Drugs Act, on May 5, 1915, from the State of Virginia into the District of Columbia, of a quantity of milk which was adulterated.

It was alleged in the information that the food was adulterated in that a certain substance, to wit, water, had been mixed and packed with the said food so as to reduce and lower and injuriously affect its quality and strength.

On June 9, 1915, the defendant entered a plea of guilty to the information, and the court imposed a fine of \$10.

CARL VROOMAN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 26, 1915.

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