

4306. Adulteration of shell eggs. U. S. * * * v. 13 Cases of Shell Eggs.
Consent decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F.
& D. No. 6853. I. S. No. 11507-I. S. No. C-310.)

On August 26, 1915, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel for the seizure and condemnation of 13 cases, each containing 30 dozen, of shell eggs, remaining unsold in the original unbroken packages at Chicago, Ill., alleging that the product had been shipped on August 12, 1915, and transported from the State of Texas into the State of Illinois, and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act.

Adulteration of the article was alleged in the libel for the reason that, when it was so shipped as aforesaid, it consisted in part of a filthy animal substance; for the further reason that it consisted wholly of a filthy animal substance; for the further reason that it consisted in part of a decomposed animal substance; for the further reason that it consisted wholly of a decomposed animal substance; for the further reason that it consisted in part of a putrid animal substance; and for the further reason that it consisted wholly of a putrid animal substance.

On September 7, 1915, Harry Teichner, claimant, having filed his answer consenting to a decree, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product should be destroyed by the United States marshal.

CARL VROOMAN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*