On May 16, 1922, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

C. W. Pugsley, Acting Secretary of Agriculture.

## 10441. Adulteration of shell eggs. U. S. \* \* \* v. Warren S. Woolsey. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$5. (F. & D. No. 16015. I. S. No. 11005-t.)

On April 7, 1922, the United States attorney for the District of Nebraska, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district an information against Warren S. Woolsey, Dalton, Nebr., alleging shipment by said defendant, in violation of the Food and Drugs Act, on or about August 16, 1921, from the State of Nebraska into the State of Colorado, of a quantity of an article of food, to wit, shell eggs, which was adulterated.

Examination, by the Bureau of Chemistry of this department, of a sample of the article, consisting of 540 eggs taken from 3 cases, showed the presence of 29 black rots, 110 mixed or white rots with black moldy spots, and 387 spot rots with black moldy spots, a total of 526, or 97.4 per cent, inedible eggs.

Adulteration of the article was alleged in the information for the reason that it consisted in part of a filthy, decomposed, and putrid animal substance.

On June 12, 1922, the defendant entered a plea of guilty to the information, and the court imposed a fine of \$5.

C. W. Pugsley, Acting Secretary of Agriculture.

## 10442. Adulteration of oysters. U. S. \* \* \* v. Emil Edward Borst (National Fish & Oyster Co.). Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$10 and costs. (F. & D. No. 16000. I. S. No. 6037-t.)

On April 19, 1922, the United States attorney for the District of Maryland, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district an information against Emil Edward Borst, trading as the National Fish & Oyster Co., Baltimore, Md., alleging shipment by said defendant, in violation of the Food and Drugs Act, on or about November 10, 1921, from the State of Maryland into the State of Pennsylvania, of a quantity of an article of food, to wit, oysters, which was adulterated.

Examination of a sample of the article by the Bureau of Chemistry of this department showed that it contained added water.

Adulteration of the article was alleged in the information for the reason that a substance, to wit, water, had been mixed and packed therewith so as to lower and reduce and injuriously affect its quality and had been substituted in part for oysters, which the article purported to be.

On April 19, 1922, the defendant entered a plea of nolo contendere to the information, and the court imposed a fine of \$10 and costs.

C. W. Pugsley, Acting Secretary of Agriculture.

## 10443. Adulteration of shell eggs. U. S. \* \* \* v. Reddick Lee Crenshaw (R. L. Crenshaw). Plea of guilty. Fine, \$25 and costs. (F. & D. No. 15840. I. S. No. 3352-t.)

On January 10, 1922. the United States attorney for the Western District of Tennessee, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district an information against Reddick Lee Crenshaw, trading as R. L. Crenshaw, Dyer, Tenn., alleging shipment by said defendant, in violation of the Food and Drugs Act, on or about September 21, 1921, from the State of Tennessee into the State of Alabama, of a quantity of an article of food, to wit, shell eggs, which was adulterated.

Examination, by the Bureau of Chemistry of this department, of a sample of the article, consisting of 540 eggs taken from 3 cases, showed the presence of 9 black rots, 15 mixed or white rots, 6 spot rots, and 10 blood rings, a total of 40, or 7.4 per cent, inedible eggs.

Adulteration of the article was alleged in the information for the reason that it consisted in part of a filthy, decomposed, and putrid animal substance.

On April 24, 1922, the defendant entered a plea of guilty to the information, and the court imposed a fine of \$25 and costs.

C. W. Pugsley, Acting Secretary of Agriculture.