ent Manufacturing Co., * * * Philadelphia, Pa. * * * 55% Beef Scrap & Bone Protein 55.00%."

It was alleged in the libel that the article was adulterated in that a substance deficient in protein had been mixed and packed therewith so as to reduce, lower, or injuriously affect its quality and strength and had been substituted wholly or in part for the said article.

Misbranding was alleged for the reason that the statements on the label, "55% Beef Scrap & Bone Protein 55%," were false and misleading and deceived and misled the purchaser; and for the further reason that the article

was offered for sale under the distinctive name of another article.

On June 3, 1930, the Independent Manufacturing Co., Philadelphia, Pa., having appeared as claimant for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be released to the said claimant upon payment of costs and the execution of a bond in the sum of \$200, conditioned in part that it be relabeled so as to conform to the requirements of the Federal food and drugs act.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, Secretary of Agriculture.

17524. Adulteration and misbranding of vanilla extract. U. S. v. 90 Bottles of Vanilla Extract. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. & D. No. 24267. I. S. No. 017651. S. No. 2507.)

Samples of vanilla extract from the herein-described interstate shipment having been found to be deficient in vanilla flavor, and also artificially colored, the Secretary of Agriculture reported the facts to the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Kentucky.

On November 18, 1929, the said United States attorney filed in the District Court of the United States for the district aforesaid a libel praying seizure and condemnation of ninety 4-ounce bottles of vanilla extract at Fort Thomas, Ky., consigned by the Atlanta Supply Co., Atlanta, Ga., August 30, 1929, alleging that the article had been shipped from Atlanta, Ga., and transported from the State of Georgia into the State of Kentucky, and charging adulteration and misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act. The article was labeled in part: "Flavoring Extract, Vanilla, 40% Alcohol, * * * Manufactured by The Atlanta Supply Co., Atlanta, Georgia."

It was alleged in the libel that the article was adulterated in that an artificially colored product, deficient in vanilla, had been substituted in part for the said article, and for the further reason that it was colored in a manner

whereby inferiority was concealed.

Misbranding was alleged for the reason that the statement on the bottle label, "Flavoring Extract, Vanilla," was false and misleading and deceived and misled the purchaser; and for the further reason that the article was an imitation of and was offered for sale under the distinctive name of another article.

On June 24, 1930, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, Secretary of Agriculture.

17525. Adulteration and misbranding of cottonseed meal. U. S. v. 250 Sacks, et al., of Cottonseed Meal. Product ordered released under bond. (F. & D. Nos. 23590, 23591, 23595. I. S. Nos. 05590, 05591, 05594. S. Nos. 1830, 1831, 1841.)

Samples of the product from the herein-described interstate shipments having been found to be cottonseed feed containing less protein and ammonia than labeled, the Secretary of Agriculture reported the facts to the United States attorney for the Southern District of Florida.

On or about April 8, and April 11, 1929, respectively, the United States attorney filed in the District Court of the United States for said district libels praying seizure and condemnation of 750 sacks of alleged cottonseed meal, remaining in the original unbroken packages in part at Orlando, Fla., and in part at Sanford, Fla., alleging that the article had been shipped by the Planters Oil Co., from Albany, Ga., on or about February 15, 1929, and February 21, 1929, and had been transported from the State of Georgia into the State of Florida, and charging adulteration and misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act. The article was labeled in part: "Cottonseed Meal Manufactured by Planters Oil Co., Albany, Ga. Analysis Ammonia 7% Equivalent to Protein 36%."