

**18991. Adulteration of herring. U. S. v. 2 Boxes of Herring. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 26848. I. S. No. 9879. S. No. 5034.)**

Samples of herring from the shipment herein described having been found to be infested with worms, the Secretary of Agriculture reported the matter to the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois.

On August 12, 1931, the United States attorney filed in the District Court of the United States for the district aforesaid a libel praying seizure and condemnation of two boxes of herring at Chicago, Ill., alleging that the article had been shipped by R. R. Midbrod, from Beaver Bay, Minn., on or about July 31, 1931, and had been transported from the State of Minnesota into the State of Illinois, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act.

It was alleged in the libel that the article was adulterated in that it consisted in part of a filthy, decomposed, and putrid animal substance. Adulteration was alleged for the further reason that the article consisted of a portion of an animal unfit for food.

On October 12, 1931, 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.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

**18992. Adulteration of herring. U. S. v. 3 Boxes of Herring. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 27153. I. S. No. 40008. S. No. 5296.)**

Samples of herring from the shipment herein described having been found to contain worms, the Secretary of Agriculture reported the matter to the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois.

On August 19, 1931, the United States attorney filed in the District Court of the United States for the district aforesaid a libel praying seizure and condemnation of three boxes of herring at Chicago, Ill., alleging that the article had been shipped by John M. Jacobson, from Beaver Bay, Minn., on or about August 14, 1931, and had been transported from the State of Minnesota into the State of Illinois, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act.

It was alleged in the libel that the article was adulterated in that it consisted in part of a decomposed, filthy, and putrid animal substance. Adulteration was alleged for the further reason that the article consisted of a portion of an animal unfit for food.

On October 12, 1931, 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.

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**18993. Adulteration of herring. U. S. v. 4 Boxes of Herring. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 26842. I. S. No. 9882. S. No. 5033.)**

Samples of herring from the shipment herein described having been found to contain worms, the Secretary of Agriculture reported the matter to the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois.

On August 12, 1931, the United States attorney filed in the District Court of the United States for the district aforesaid a libel praying seizure and condemnation of four boxes of herring at Chicago, Ill., alleging that the article had been shipped by M. Michaelsen, from Duluth, Minn., on or about July 31, 1931, and had been transported from the State of Minnesota into the State of Illinois, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act.

It was alleged in the libel that the article was adulterated in that it consisted in part of a filthy, decomposed, and putrid animal substance. Adulteration was alleged for the further reason that the article consisted of a portion of an animal unfit for food.

On October 12, 1931, 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.

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