

purest ingredients and is guaranteed to comply with all state and national pure food laws," and (bottle) "Pure Extract Vanilla," were false and misleading and tended to deceive and mislead the purchaser when applied to an article of the composition which this one was found to have. It was alleged to be misbranded further in that it was an imitation of and was offered for sale under the distinctive name of another article.

On August 9, 1939, no claimant having appeared, judgment was entered ordering that the product be delivered to a charitable institution after the labels had been destroyed.

M. L. WILSON, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

30823. Adulteration of crab meat. U. S. v. 32 Pounds, 90 Pounds, and 8 Pounds of Crab Meat. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction. (F. & D. Nos. 45538, 45541. Sample Nos. 23794-D, 62437-D.)

This product contained evidence of the presence of filth.

On June 22 and 23, 1939, the United States attorney for the District of Maryland, acting upon reports by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court libels praying seizure and condemnation of 130 pounds of crab meat at Baltimore, Md.; alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about June 19 and 20, 1939, by Biloxi Seafood Co. from Biloxi, Miss.; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act.

The article was alleged to be adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy animal substance.

On July 14, 1939, no claimant having appeared, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

M. L. WILSON, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

30824. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 36 Tubs of Butter. Consent decree of condemnation. Product released under bond to be reworked. (F. & D. No. 45547. Sample No. 55615-D.)

This product contained less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat.

On or about June 22, 1939, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 36 tubs of butter at Chicago, Ill.; alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about June 7, 1939, by the Farmers Cooperative Creamery Co. from St. Olaf, Iowa; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act.

Adulteration was alleged in that a product containing less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter, a product which should contain not less than 80 percent of milk fat as provided by the act of March 4, 1923.

On June 26, 1939, the Peter Fox Sons Co., Chicago, Ill., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel and having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond conditioned that it be reworked under the supervision of this Department.

M. L. WILSON, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

30825. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 25 Tubs of Butter. Decree of condemnation. Product released under bond to be reworked. (F. & D. No. 45462. Sample No. 69231-D.)

This product contained less than 80 percent of milk fat.

On May 31, 1939, the United States attorney for the District of Massachusetts, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 25 tubs of butter at Boston, Mass., consigned about May 19, 1939; alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce by S. S. Borden Co. from Chicago, Ill.; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs act.

Adulteration was alleged in that a product containing less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter, a product which should contain not less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat, which the article purported to be.

On July 11, 1939, the Buffalo Community Creamery, of Buffalo, Okla., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond conditioned that it be reworked so that it contain not less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat.

M. L. WILSON, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*