3873. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 325 Boxes of butter. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered sold to a commercial concern for use for defense purposes. (F. D. C. No. 7975. Sample No. 4501—F.)

On July 9, 1942, the United States attorney for the Southern District of Indiana filed a libel against 325 63-pound boxes of butter at Indianapolis, Ind., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about June 29, 1942, by the Patton Creamery Co. from Springfield, Mo.; and charging that it was adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy, putrid, or decomposed substance, or was otherwise unfit for food.

On August 28, 1942, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered sold to be rendered into inedible grease and disposed of for defense purposes.

3874. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 10 Tubs of Butter. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 8095. Sample No. 22517–F.)

On July 30, 1942, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania filed a libel against 10 tubs of butter, each tub containing 64 or 65 pounds, at Philadelphia, Pa., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about July 27, 1942, by the Chesapeake Dairy Products Co., Inc., from Mathews, Va.; and charging that it was adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy or decomposed animal substance.

On August 14, 1942, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

3875. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 2 Cases of Butter. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 7921. Sample No. 94115–E.)

On June 30, 1942, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Illinois filed a libel against 2 cases of butter at East St. Louis, Ill., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about June 24, 1942, by Aro Creamery Co. from St. Louis, Mo.; and charging that it was adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy, putrid, or decomposed substance. The article was labeled in part: "Blue Ribbon Brand Creamery Butter."

On August 7, 1942, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed, the decree providing that destruction be accomplished by converting it into soap grease.

3876. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 30 Pounds and 201 Pounds of Butter. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 7909. Sample Nos. 78966–E, 78967–E.)

On June 25, 1942, the United States attorney for the Western District of Pennsylvania filed a libel against a total of 231 pounds of butter at Pittsburgh, Pa., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about June 9, 1942, by the Pickway Dairy Cooperative Association, Inc., from Circleville, Ohio; and charging that it was adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy or decomposed animal substance. The article was labeled in part: (Wrappers of portion) "Great Lakes Brand Creamery Butter Distributed by Jersey Farm Products Co. Pittsburgh, Pa."; (wrappers of remainder) "Creamery Butter."

On August 11, 1942, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

3877. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 2 Cartons, 2 Cartons, and 5 Cartons of Butter. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered denatured and sold for war purposes. (F. D. C. No. 7911. Sample No. 83130—E.)

On June 20, 1942, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Alabama filed a libel against 2 32-pound cartons and 7 30-pound cartons of butter, at Birmingham, Ala., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about June 9, 1942, by the Cudahy Packing Co., from Nashville, Tenn.: and charging that it was adulterated in that it consisted wholly or in part of a filthy and decomposed substance. The article was labeled in part: "Cudahy's Sunlight Creamery Butter," or "1/2 Lb. Patties."

On August 8, 1942, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed. On September 21, 1942, the decree was amended to provide that the product be denatured and sold as salvage fat to be used for war purposes.

3878. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 5 Tubs of Butter. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 8130. Sample No. 22441–F.)

On August 5, 1942, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania filed a libel against 5 tubs of butter, each containing 63, 64, or 65