company, and the court imposed a fine of $400. Counts 1, 3, and 5 of the information, involving the adulteration charges, were dismissed by the court.

W. M. JARDINE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

14874. Misbranding of cottonseed cake. U. S. v. 700 Sacks of Cottonseed Cake. Consent decree of condemnation entered. Product released under bond. (F. & D. No. 21458. I. S. No. 15141-x. S. No. W-1891.)

On December 14, 1926, the United States attorney for the District of Colorado, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 700 sacks of cottonseed cake, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Walden, Colo., consigned by the Brownwood Cotton Oil Mill, Brownwood, Tex., alleging that the article had been shipped from Brownwood, Tex., on or about December 1, 1926, and transported from the State of Texas into the State of Colorado, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act. The article was labeled in part: "Cottonseed Cake Prime Quality Manufactured by Brownwood Cotton Oil Mill Brownwood, Texas Guaranteed Analysis: Protein not less than 43.00 per cent."

Misbranding of the article was alleged in the libel for the reason that the statement "Protein not less than 43.00 per cent," borne on the label, was false and misleading and deceived and misled the purchaser, since the said article did not contain 43 per cent of protein.

On February 4, 1927, C. R. Garner & Co., Walden, Colo., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel and having consented that judgment of condemnation be entered, and the said claimant having executed a bond in the sum of $1,000, conditioned that the product not be sold or otherwise disposed of contrary to law, it was ordered by the court that the product be delivered to the claimant upon payment of the costs of the proceedings.

W. M. JARDINE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

14875. Misbranding of cottonseed cake. U. S. v. 600 Sacks of Cottonseed Cake. Decree of condemnation and forfeiture. Product released under bond. (F. & D. No. 21474. I. S. No. 15187-x. S. No. W-2062.)

On December 20, 1926, the United States attorney for the District of Wyoming, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 600 sacks of cottonseed cake, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Worland, Wyo., alleging that the article had been shipped by the Brownwood Cotton Oil Mill, Brownwood, Tex., on or about December 1, 1926, and transported from the State of Texas into the State of Wyoming, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act. The article was labeled in part: "Cottonseed Cake Prime Quality Manufactured by Brownwood Cotton Oil Mill Brownwood, Texas Guaranteed Analysis: Protein not less than 43.00 per cent."

It was alleged in the libel that the article was misbranded, in that the label bore a statement that each of the said sacks contained 43 per cent of protein, which said statement was false and misleading and deceived and misled the purchaser, since each of the sacks contained less than 43 per cent of protein.

On January 31, 1927, J. F. Smith, William B. Traynor, and Nathan B. Higbee, all of Chicago, Ill., trustees of the Brownwood Cotton Oil Mill, an unincorporated common-law trust association, of Brownwood, Tex., having appeared as owners of the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product might be released to the said owners upon payment of the costs of the proceedings and the execution of a bond in the sum of $3,900, conditioned in part that it be relabeled to show the contents thereof, particularly the amount of protein therein.

W. M. JARDINE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

14876. Adulteration and misbranding of terpeneless lemon extract. U. S. v. 24 Dozen Bottles of Terpeneless Lemon Extract. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 15380. I. S. Nos. 208-t, 209-t. S. No. C-3211.)

On September 15, 1921, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Illinois, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 24 dozen bottles of terpeneless lemon extract, consigned by the