It was alleged in the libel that the article was adulterated, in that it consisted in part of a filthy, decomposed, and putrid vegetable substance.

On February 16, 1927, the Storer Bros. Co., Ada, Ohio, claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel and having consented to the entry of a decree, 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 the costs of the proceedings and the execution of a bond in the sum of $5,000, conditioned in part that it be salvaged and the bad portion denatured or destroyed.

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

14891. Misbranding of cottonseed meal. U. S. v. 300 Sacks of Cottonseed Meal. Decree of condemnation entered. Product released under bond. (F. & D. No. 21618. I. S. No. 2358–x. S. No. C–5106.)

On February 1, 1927, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Tennessee, 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 300 sacks of cottonseed meal, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Knoxville, Tenn., alleging that the article had been shipped by the Rome Oil Mill, Rome, Ga., January 20, 1927, and transported from the State of Georgia into the State of Tennessee, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act. The article was labeled in part: "100 Pounds Cottonseed Meal—Ammonia 8%."

Misbranding of the article was alleged in the libel for the reason that the statement "Ammonia 8%," borne on the label, was false and misleading and deceived and misled the purchaser, since the ammonia content of the said article was less than 8 per cent.

On February 11, 1927, the Davis Grain & Feed Co., Knoxville, Tenn., 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 the costs of the proceedings and the execution of a bond in the sum of $300, conditioned in part that it be relabeled to show the true contents.

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

14892. Misbranding of cottonseed meal. U. S. v. 100 Sacks of Cottonseed Meal. Consent decree adjudging product misbranded and ordering its release under bond. (F. & D. No. 21541. I. S. No. 15430–x. S. No. C–5312.)

On January 25, 1927, the United States attorney for the District of Nebraska, 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 100 sacks of cottonseed meal, at Humboldt, Nebr., alleging that the article had been shipped by the Planters Cottonseed Products Co., from Dallas, Tex., on or about January 14, 1927, and transported from the State of Texas into the State of Nebraska, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act. The article was labeled in part: "Goldenrod Cotton Seed Meal Manufactured by Planters Cottonseed Products Company Dallas, Texas Guaranteed Analysis: Crude Protein not less than 43.00 Per Cent."

It was alleged in the libel that the article was misbranded, in that the statement "Crude Protein not less than 43.00 Per Cent," borne on the label, was false and misleading and deceived and misled the purchaser.

On February 9, 1927, the Planters Cottonseed Products Co., Dallas, Tex., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, and having consented to the condemnation and forfeiture of the property, a decree was entered, finding the product misbranded, and it was ordered by the court that the said product be released to the claimant upon payment of the costs of the proceedings and the execution of a bond in the sum of $1,000, conditioned in part that it be relabeled, "Crude protein not less than 41 per cent."

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

14893. Adulteration of lima beans. U. S. v. 200 Sacks of Lima Beans. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and sale. (F. & D. No. 21613. I. S. No. 9211–x. S. No. E–5943.)

On January 27, 1927, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Georgia, 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 200 sacks of lima beans, remaining in the original