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

On December 12, 1924, Joseph S. Rodovsky and Abraham S. Rodovsky, co-partners, trading as the Universal Importing Co., New York, N. Y., claimants, 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 claimants, upon payment of the costs of the proceedings and the execution of a bond in the sum of \$500, in conformity with section 10 of the act, conditioned in part that the good portion be separated from the bad portion under the supervision of this department, and the bad portion destroyed or denatured.

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

12917. Adulteration of walnuts in shell. U. S. v. 38 Sacks of Walnuts in Shell. Consent decree of condemnation and forfeiture. Product released under bond to be sorted. (F. & D. No. 19052. I. S. No. 14011-v. S. No. E-4973.)

On October 15, 1924, the United States attorney for the Southern District of New York, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying the seizure and condemnation of 38 sacks of walnuts in shell, remaining in the original unbroken packages at New York, N. Y., alleging that the article had been shipped by Philippe Vergnaud, from Bordeaux, France, on or about November 7, 1923, and transported from a foreign country into the State of New York, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act.

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

On December 4, 1924, James W. McGlone, New York, N. Y., 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 \$500, in conformity with section 10 of the act, conditioned in part that the bad portion be separated from the good portion under the supervision of this department, and the bad portion destroyed or denatured.

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

12918. Adulteration of chestnuts. U. S. v. 10 Cases of Chestnuts. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 19169. I. S. No. 13306-v. S. No. E-5015.)

On November 17, 1924, the United States attorney for the Southern District of New York, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying the seizure and condemnation of 10 cases of chestnuts, remaining in the original unbroken packages at New York, N. Y., alleging that the article had been shipped by Guiseppe Vitolo, from Naples, Italy, on or about November 17, 1923, and transported from a foreign country into the State of New York, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act.

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

On December 8, 1924, 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.

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

12919. Adulteration and misbranding of powdered colocynth apple. U. S. v. McIlvaine Bros., a Corporation. Tried to the court and a jury. Verdict of guilty. Fine, \$100 and costs. (F. & D. No. 18361. I. S. No. 473-v.)

On June 6, 1924, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district an information against McIlvaine Bros., a corporation, Philadelphia, Pa., alleging shipment by said company, in violation of the food and drugs act, on or about June 8, 1923, from the State of Pennsylvania into the State of New York, of quantities of powdered colocynth apple which was adulterated and misbranded. The article