portato Dall' Italia Quest' Olio d'Oliva é garentito assolutamente puro sotto analisi chimica, e della migliore qualitá." (Same statements in English, and cut of olive sprays bearing olives.) Misbranding was alleged for the further reason that the article was offered for sale under the distinctive name of another article. Misbranding was alleged with respect to a portion of the product for the further reason that it was in package form and the quantity of the contents was not plainly and conspicuously marked on the outside of the package.

On September 25, 1928, 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.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

16021. Adulteration and misbranding of butter. U. S. v. 19 Tubs of Butter. Consent decree of condemnation and forfeiture. Product released under bond. (F. & D. No. 23038. I. S. No. 02934. S. No. 1017.)

On or about July 27, 1928, 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 seizure and condemnation of 19 tubs of butter, remaining in the original unbroken packages at New York, N. Y., alleging that the article had been shipped by the Golden Star Creamery Association, Bennett, Iowa, on or about July 23, 1928, and had been transported from the State of Iowa into the State of New York, and charging adulteration and misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act.

It was alleged in the libel that the article was adulterated in that a substance deficient in butterfat had been mixed and packed therewith so as to reduce or lower or injuriously affect its quality or strength and had been substituted wholly or in part for the said article.

Misbranding was alleged for the reason that the article was offered for sale under the distinctive name of another article.

On August 8, 1928, the Golden Star Creamery Association (Inc.), Bennett, Iowa, 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 $600, conditioned in part that it be reworked and reprocessed so as to contain at least 80 per cent of butterfat.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

16022. Adulteration of Brazil nuts. U. S. v. 75 Bags of Brazil Nuts. Consent decree of condemnation entered. Product released under bond. (F. & D. No. 22154. S. No. 164.)

On November 11, 1927, the United States attorney for the Western 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 seizure and condemnation of 75 bags of Brazil nuts, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Buffalo, N. Y., alleging that the article had been shipped from New York, N. Y., on September 21, 1927, after importation into this country, by the William A. Camp Co., and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act.

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

On December 21, 1927, the Loblaw Groceterias (Inc.), Buffalo, N. Y., having appeared as claimant for the property and having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be released to the claimant upon the execution of a good and sufficient bond, conditioned in part that it be salvaged under the supervision of this department, and that the said claimant pay the cost of the proceedings.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

16023. Adulteration and misbranding of buttermilk tablets. U. S. v. 138 Bottles of Buttermilk Tablets. Decree of condemnation and forfeiture entered. Product released under bond. (F. & D. No. 22883. I. S. Nos. 25829-x, 25830-x. S. No. 944.)

On July 13, 1928, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Louisiana, 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