District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 50 cases of sardines at Fayette, Ala., alleging that the article had been shipped by the Ramsdell Packing Co., from Eastport, Me., August 13, 1928, and transported from the State of Maine into the State of Alabama, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act. The article was labeled in part: "Stag Brand Sardines * * * Packed by Ramsdell Packing Co., Lubec, Maine."

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

On June 14, 1929, 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.*

16688. Adulteration of shell eggs. U. S. v. 3 Cases of Eggs. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 23859. I. S. No. 08331. S. No. 1944.)

On April 22, 1929, the United States attorney for the Northern 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 3 cases of eggs at Chicago, Ill., alleging that the article had been shipped by the Pleasant View Poultry Farm, Massillon, Ohio, April 6, 1929, and transported from the State of Ohio into the State of Illinois, 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 wholly or in part of a filthy, decomposed, and putrid animal substance.

At the June, 1929, term of said court, 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.*

16689. Adulteration of sardines. U. S. v. 11 Cases of Sardines. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 23012. I. S. No. 02842. S. No. 1100.)

On August 23, 1928, the United States attorney for the Northern 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 11 cases of sardines at Troy, N. Y., alleging that the article had been shipped by H. F. Sawyer & Son, Vinalhaven, Me., June 27, 1928, and transported from the State of Maine into the State of New York, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act. The article was labeled in part: "Three Star Brand Sardines, Packed by H. F. Sawyer & Son, Vinal Haven, Maine."

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 animal substance.

On September 26, 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.*

16690. Adulteration and misbranding of spring water. U. S. v. 300 Bottles of Spring Water. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture and destruction. (F. & D. No. 20719. I. S. No. 8027-x. S. No. E-5609.)

On or about December 17, 1925, the United States attorney for the District of New Jersey, 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 bottles of spring water at East Orange, N. J., alleging that the article had been shipped by the Capon Springs Co., Capon Springs, W. Va. on or about July 27, 1925, and transported from the State of West Virginia into the State of New Jersey, and charging adulteration and misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act as amended. The article was labeled in part: (Blown in 5-gallon glass bottle) "From the Indian Name meaning Healing Waters Capon Springs Water New Jersey Sales Corp. East Orange, N. J.

Adulteration of the article, considered as a food, was alleged in the libel for the reason that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy, decomposed, and putrid vegetable or animal substance.