

## United States Department of Agriculture

### FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

## NOTICES OF JUDGMENT UNDER THE FOOD AND DRUGS ACT

[Given pursuant to section 4 of the food and drugs act]

17801-17825

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**17801. Adulteration of canned pimientos. U. S. v. 5 Cases of Canned Pimientos in Glass, et al. Default decrees of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction.** (F. & D. Nos. 25238, 25323. I. S. Nos. 3819, 3822. S. Nos. 3542, 3597.)

Samples of canned pimientos from the herein-described shipments having been found to contain decomposed material, the Secretary of Agriculture reported the facts to the United States attorney for the Western District of North Carolina.

On October 30 and November 15, 1930, the United States attorney filed in the District Court of the United States for the district aforesaid libels praying seizure and condemnation of nine cases of canned pimientos, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Asheville, N. C., alleging that the article had been shipped by Von Bremen-Asche-DeBruyn (Inc.), from Vienna, Ga., in part on or about August 29 (September 29), 1930, and in part on or about October 3, 1930, and had been transported from the State of Georgia into the State of North Carolina, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act. A portion of the article was labeled in part: (Jar) "Carola Brand Pimientos \* \* \* Von Bremen, Asche & Co. New York, Sole Distributors." The remainder of the said article was labeled in part: (Jar) "Plee-Zing Pimientos Packed \* \* \* By Von Bremen-Asche-DeBruyn, Inc. Distributors."

It was alleged in the libels that the article was adulterated in that it consisted in part of a decomposed vegetable substance.

On December 11 and December 23, 1930, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgments of condemnation and forfeiture were entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

**17802. Adulteration of canned salmon. U. S. v. 60 Cases, et al., of Canned Salmon. Default decrees of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction.** (F. & D. Nos. 25217, 25218. I. S. Nos. 13416, 13417. S. Nos. 3497, 3498.)

Samples of canned salmon from the herein-described interstate shipments having been found to contain decomposed fish, the Secretary of Agriculture reported the matter to the United States attorney for the District of Minnesota.

On October 20 and October 21, 1930, the United States attorney filed in the District Court of the United States for the district aforesaid libels praying seizure and condemnation of 155 cases of canned salmon, in part at St. Paul, Minn., and in part at Minneapolis, Minn., alleging that the article had been shipped by McGovern & McGovern, from Seattle, Wash., in two consignments, on or about September 19 and September 20, 1930, respectively, and had been