

United States Department of Agriculture,

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.

NOTICE OF JUDGMENT NO. 538, FOOD AND DRUGS ACT.

ADULTERATION OF MILK.

On or about May 26, 1910, George A. Willson, Lay Hill, Md., sold and delivered at the Union Station, Washington, D. C., a quantity of milk. Dr. William C. Woodward, health officer of the District of Columbia, acting under authority of the Secretary of Agriculture, caused a sample from the above delivery to be procured and analyzed. As the findings of the analyst and report thereon indicated that the milk was adulterated within the meaning of the Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, the said George A. Willson was afforded an opportunity for hearing, and as it appeared after hearing held that the said sale was in violation of the act, the said health officer reported the facts to the United States attorney for the District of Columbia.

In due course a criminal information against the said George A. Willson was filed in the Police Court of the District of Columbia, charging that the milk was adulterated, in that a valuable constituent thereof, to wit, butter fat, had been left out and abstracted, wholly or in part.

On June 17, 1910, the defendant entered a plea of guilty to the above information, and the court imposed a fine of \$5.

This notice is given pursuant to section 4 of the Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906.

W. M. HAYS,
Acting Secretary of Agriculture.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *July 29, 1910.*

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