

said company, on or about March 24, 1920, in violation of the Food and Drugs Act, as amended, from the State of Missouri into the State of Kansas, of a quantity of unlabeled hominy feed which was misbranded.

Misbranding of the article was alleged in the information for the reason that it was food in package form, and the quantity of the contents was not plainly and conspicuously marked on the outside of the package.

On March 25, 1921, a plea of guilty to the information was entered on behalf of the defendant company, and the court imposed a fine of \$25 and costs.

C. W. PUGSLEY, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

**9824. Adulteration of shell eggs. U. S. \* \* \* v. Isaac Daniel McCormack (Brookland Feed Co.). Plea of guilty. Fine, \$10 and costs. (F. & D. No. 13895. I. S. No. 8427-r.)**

On December 7, 1920, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Arkansas, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district an information against Isaac Daniel McCormack, trading as the Brookland Feed Co., Brookland, Ark., alleging shipment by said defendant, in violation of the Food and Drugs Act, on or about July 14, 1919, from the State of Arkansas into the State of Missouri, of a quantity of shell eggs which were adulterated.

Examination by the Bureau of Chemistry of this department of 180 eggs from each of three cases from the consignment showed the presence of 155, or 28.7 per cent, inedible eggs, consisting of black rots, mixed or white rots, moldy eggs, spot rots, and blood rings.

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

On May 3, 1921, the defendant entered a plea of guilty to the information, and the court imposed a fine of \$10 and costs.

C. W. PUGSLEY, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

**9825. Adulteration of shell eggs. U. S. \* \* \* v. Jeff Russell. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$5. (F. & D. No. 13898. I. S. No. 9556-r.)**

On February 21, 1921, the United States attorney for the Western District of Arkansas, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district an information against Jeff Russell, Hope, Ark., alleging shipment by said defendant, in violation of the Food and Drugs Act, on or about June 15, 1920, from the State of Arkansas into the State of Texas, of a quantity of shell eggs which were adulterated.

Examination by the Bureau of Chemistry of this department of 180 eggs from each of the four cases in the consignment showed that 102, or 14.1 per cent of those examined, were inedible, consisting of black rots, mixed or white rots, spot rots, and heavy blood rings.

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

On May 9, 1921, the defendant entered a plea of guilty to the information, and the court imposed a fine of \$5.

C. W. PUGSLEY, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

**9826. Misbranding of peas. U. S. \* \* \* v. Riley C. Abbott. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$10 and costs. (F. & D. No. 13903. I. S. No. 14475-r.)**

On December 10, 1920, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of North Carolina, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district an information