

article had been shipped by the Point Adams Packing Co., Astoria, Oreg., October 19, 1921, and transported from the State of Oregon into the State of Illinois, and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act. The article was labeled in part, "La Salle Brand Salmon * * *."

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

On April 21, 1922, 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.

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

10366. Adulteration of oranges. U. S. * * * v. 462 Boxes * * * of Oranges. Decree ordering portion of product condemned and forfeited and distributed to charitable institutions. Remainder released to claimant and case dismissed. (F. & D. No. 16079. I. S. No. 4520-t. S. No. C-3485.)

On or about March 23, 1922, the United States attorney for the District of Minnesota, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel for the seizure and condemnation of 462 boxes of oranges, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Minneapolis, Minn., alleging that the article had been shipped by the California Fruit Growers Exchange, from Cucamonga, Calif., on or about March 9, 1922, and transported from the State of California into the State of Minnesota, and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act. A portion of the article was labeled in part: "W. Navels Ambrosia Brand O. K. * * * California Fruit Growers Exchange." The remainder of the article was labeled in part: "W. Navels United Brand Cucamonga * * * Calif."

Adulteration of the article was alleged in substance in the libel for the reason that a substance [frosted oranges] had been mixed and packed with the said article so as to reduce or lower or injuriously affect its quality.

On April 1, 1922, the California Fruit Growers Exchange having entered an appearance as claimant, a decree of condemnation and forfeiture was entered with respect to the 96 boxes of United Brand oranges and it was ordered by the court that they be distributed to charitable institutions and hospitals in Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn. It was further ordered that the case against the 366 boxes of Ambrosia Brand oranges be dismissed and that they be released to the said claimant upon payment of freight and demurrage charges.

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

10367. Adulteration of oranges. U. S. * * * v. 462 Boxes of Oranges * * *. Consent decree of condemnation and forfeiture. Product released under bond. (F. & D. No. 16098. I. S. No. 15578-t. S. No. E-3823.)

On April 4, 1922, 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 for the seizure and condemnation of 462 boxes of oranges, remaining in the original unbroken packages at New York, N. Y., consigned by the California Fruit Growers Exchange, from Prenda, Calif., alleging that the article had been shipped on or about March 22, 1922, and transported from the State of California into the State of New York, and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act. The article was labeled in part, "Red Crescent Brand * * *."

Adulteration of the article was alleged in the libel for the reason that it consisted in whole or in part of frozen oranges.

On or about April 7, 1922, the California Fruit Growers Exchange, claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel and having consented to a decree, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be released to said claimant upon payment of the costs of the proceedings and the execution of a bond in the sum of \$2,000, in conformity with section 10 of the act, said bond to be conditioned in part that the product be sorted under the supervision of this department, the decomposed portion thereof destroyed, and the portion fit for fresh fruit consumption or for manufacture into jelly and marmalade delivered to the said claimant.

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