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CHANGES IN DIRECTORY

Meat Inspection Granted

- *136. Philip Katz Corporation, 623 Plain Street, Brockton, Mass.
- *295. The Sidney Packing Co., Sidney, Ohio.
- 688. Lester Pancero, Rachel Street and Henshaw Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Meat Inspection Withdrawn

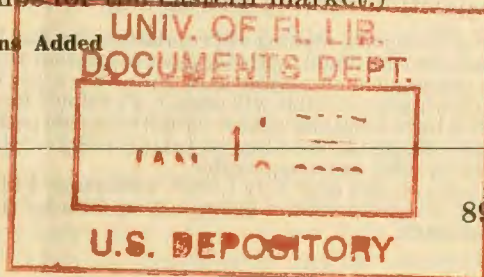
- *194. Chicago Butchers & Illinois Farmers Packing Co., Ottawa, Ill.
- 269. P. V. Bright & Co., 318 West Austin Avenue, Chicago, Ill.
- 877. Chipley Packing Co., Chipley, Fla.
- 120. Hauser Packing Co., Los Angeles, Calif.
- 703. California Dressed Beef Co., Los Angeles, Calif.

(The two latter establishments were granted only temporary meat inspection to cover the slaughter of California lambs for the eastern market.)

Stations Added

Sidney, Ohio, meat inspection.
Yakima, Wash., meat inspection.

* Conducts slaughtering.



Substation Added

Brockton, Mass., substation of Boston, Mass.

Stations Discontinued

Chipley, Fla., meat inspection.

Ottawa, Ill., meat inspection.

Substation Discontinued

Yakima, Wash., meat inspection, substation of Portland, Oreg.

Meat Inspection Extended

42-X. Dold Packing Co., Omaha, Nebr., to include Jacob Dold Packing Co.

411. Vermont Butterine Co., Providence, R. I., to include Wm. J. Higgins.

Change in Name of Official Establishment

757. South Texas Cotton Oil Co., P. O. box 337, Houston, Tex., instead of Magnolia Provision Co.

Change in Name and Address of Official Establishment

807. C. F. Sabine Market, and The Rockafellar Co., 2700 Twenty-seventh Street, Zion City, Ill., instead of The Rockafellar Co., 603 West Twenty-seventh Street.

Change in Name of Subsidiary

937. Liebig Extract Co. (Inc.), and Liebig Products Co. (Inc.), 239 Fourth Avenue, New York, N. Y., instead of Liebig Extract Co. (Inc.), and E. B. E. Manufacturing Co., and Red Cross Packing Co. (Inc.).

Change in Address of Official in Charge

Dr. W. O. Trone, P. O. box 93 (office, 314-315 Federal Building), Dayton, Ohio, instead of P. O. box 979.

Add the Following Officials

Dr. J. E. Ewers (M. I.), care Gibson Packing Co., Yakima, Wash.

Dr. C. T. Snyder (M. I.), care Sidney Packing Co., Sidney, Ohio.

J. W. Swartz, United States Range Livestock Experiment Station, Miles City, Mont.

Remove the Following Officials

Mr. S. S. Jerdan, Jonesboro, Ark. (on account of death).

Dr. W. F. Osborn, Chipley, Fla.

Dr. C. T. Snyder, Ottawa, Ill.

Corrections

On page 44 of the directory Establishment 591 should read "The American Packing & Provision Co." instead of American Packing & Provision Co.

On page 45 of the directory Establishment 750 should read Brooks "Bologna" Co., instead of Brooks "Bologne" Co.

Add the following mail address to Establishment 27, J. P. Squire & Co., "Box 5325, Boston, Mass."

NOTICE REGARDING MEAT INSPECTION**OVERTIME PAY IN THE MEAT-INSPECTION SERVICE**

The following regulation in the form of Memorandum No. 489 relating to the meat-inspection service was issued on June 18, 1924, by the Secretary:

The act of Congress, making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year 1925, makes available additional funds for meat inspection with a view to providing for the cost of duty now performed by department employees as overtime work and reimbursed by official establishments.

As far as the funds available will permit, additional inspectors will be supplied to meat-inspection stations. Where this is impracticable, salaries of individual inspectors will be adjusted so as to allow proper compensation for those engaged in meat inspection involving regularly long hours of service so that hardships to inspectors may be avoided as far as possible.

Accordingly, on and after July 1, 1924, Department Memorandum No. 288 of August 4, 1919, will cease to be effective, except in cases of emergency and under specific instruction from the Chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry.

The effect of this memorandum is to discontinue payment by official establishments for overtime work performed by bureau inspectors, except when the inspector in charge has received specific instructions from the bureau to claim such payment. Under the provisions of Memorandum 489 it can not be expected that the inspection hours will be reduced nor should they be materially increased by the establishments over those of the previous year, except at establishments where the volume of business is considerably enlarged or other extraordinary condition prevails. The representative of the meat packers has given assurance that no increase of inspection hours will occur as a result of establishments being relieved from paying for overtime service.

Whenever an establishment operates any of its departments requiring inspection during long or unusual hours inspection will be furnished but no claim will be made for the payment of overtime. If, however, the inspector in charge has good reason to believe that an establishment has unnecessarily required inspection or that its requirements are out of harmony with those which obtained when the establishments paid for overtime, he will make careful investigation and when the facts warrant such action he will report them to the bureau for consideration of the application of Memorandum 288 to the future operations of that establishment.

Under the general plan outlined in Memorandum 489 available bureau funds are allotted on the basis of overtime performed prior to July 1, 1924. Allotments for the larger stations are utilized to supply additional inspectors, while at various other stations the inspectors who thereafter worked overtime for considerable periods are given proportionate increase in salaries. This is subject to change which may be dictated by experience.

Inspectors in charge will keep in close touch with the situation. Those at the larger stations will utilize the services of the additional inspectors supplied so as to minimize and equalize long or unusual hours of service as far as possible. At other stations readjustment of salaries within the station allowance will be made from time to time, as may be necessary on account of change in working hours or duty, transfer, or other cause, to insure fairness to those who perform long or unusual hours of service, and inspectors in charge of such stations will submit their recommendations whenever such readjustment is indicated.

THE FOOT-AND-MOUTH SITUATION

LONGER INTERVALS BETWEEN FLARE-UPS MARK ERADICATION OF CATTLE PLAGUE

With gradually increasing intervals between recurrences of foot-and-mouth disease in California the situation in suppressing this livestock plague becomes more and more favorable. This was the view of the chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry on August 30, based on official records. No new outbreaks have appeared in Tuolumne County since August 16, and none in Los Angeles County since August 23. In the 14 other countries involved during the outbreak no new cases have occurred for more than two months. The department veterinarians continue to make painstaking inspections so that further cases, if any, will be promptly detected.

In most of the herds in which the disease has been found recently only one animal in each herd was affected. This means that the system of thorough inspection resulted in prompt discovery and suppression before the virus had time to spread.

In the infected range area in Tuolumne County mounted inspectors are gathering up stray cattle and disposing of them by the slaughter and burial method. None of these animals have shown lesions of the disease for about two weeks, but the value of such stock is small compared with the ravages the disease would make if any of these animals should develop the disease and spread it to other stock. A constant patrol of the ranges will be continued.

Further evidence that foot-and-mouth disease has yielded to scientific methods is the 100 per cent result obtained with test animals on disinfected premises. After an infected herd is slaughtered, buried, and the premises disinfected, the veterinary officials always use a few test animals for at least 30 days before general restocking of the premises is permitted. The test animals will show symptoms of the disease in case any dormant infection had escaped the action of the disinfecting chemicals. Thus far on more than 200 premises no test animal has shown any signs of foot-and-mouth disease, nor have any of the other new stock brought on the premises later been affected. This is considered rather remarkable in

view of the treacherous nature and persistence of the virus, and speaks well for the work of the disinfecting crews.

Increasing numbers of States have modified their regulations dealing with the foot-and-mouth outbreak to conform to those of the department's Bureau of Animal Industry. This makes for uniformity of administrative and field work.

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, JULY, 1924

Station	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats	Swine
Baltimore	6,631	2,344	4,428		74,338
Brooklyn	4,977	7,537	26,754		
Buffalo	7,398	3,816	8,978		84,644
Chicago	174,219	51,111	247,605	73	618,408
Cincinnati	10,756	8,766	6,621	2	70,169
Cleveland	8,926	9,450	10,053		87,869
Detroit	5,509	6,788	4,270		111,969
Fort Worth	47,975	40,300	12,405	102	26,427
Indianapolis	15,969	3,516	5,661		141,633
Jersey City	5,701	6,585	36,070		56,238
Kansas City	85,129	39,486	92,566	106	292,558
Milwaukee	10,342	24,279	4,681		107,966
National Stock Yards	27,748	16,027	60,010	154	128,406
New York	29,370	45,509	126,562	44	78,295
Omaha	82,358	6,750	152,105	28	278,661
Philadelphia	8,435	8,270	15,300		80,103
St. Louis	13,871	4,644	10,393	1	165,182
Sioux City	31,877	2,042	4,168		208,318
South St. Joseph	30,012	7,775	57,227	10	118,576
South St. Paul	24,824	47,575	10,177		211,994
All other establishments	132,077	78,722	154,700	318	1,172,060
Total: July, 1924	764,104	421,292	1,050,734	838	4,113,814
July, 1923	724,896	378,513	961,791	842	3,983,435
7 months ended July, 1924	5,042,873	2,859,995	6,708,655	14,551	32,206,083
7 months ended July, 1923	4,977,529	2,649,591	6,643,261	9,883	30,992,931

Horses slaughtered at all establishments, July, 1924, 571. Inspections of lard prepared at all establishments, 170,776,745 pounds; compound and other substitutes, 35,195,067 pounds. Corresponding inspections for July, 1923: Lard, 169,305,456 pounds; compound and other substitutes 26,681,817 pounds. (These totals do not represent actual production, as the same lard or compound may have been inspected and recorded more than once in the process of manufacture.)

Carcasses Condemned During June, 1924

Cause	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Swine
Emaciation	281	101	13	72
Hog cholera				1,101
Inflammatory diseases	539	173	263	2,089
Immaturity		153		
Tuberculosis	3,659	81		9,534
All other causes	689	183	433	4,175
Total	5,168	691	709	16,971

IMPORTS OF FOOD ANIMALS AND OF MEATS AND FOOD PRODUCTS

The statements following show the imports of food animals and of meats and meat food products inspected by the Bureau of Animal Industry during July, 1924, with figures for other periods for comparison.

Imports of food animals

Country of export	Cattle	Swine	Sheep	Goats
Mexico	6,441		3,518	352
Canada	10,511	1,999	148	1
Great Britain	126			
Total: July, 1924	17,078	1,999	3,666	353
July, 1923	7,370	33	2,032	56
7 months ended July, 1924	100,183	7,171	25,543	7,721
7 months ended July, 1923	58,018	1,585	15,444	75

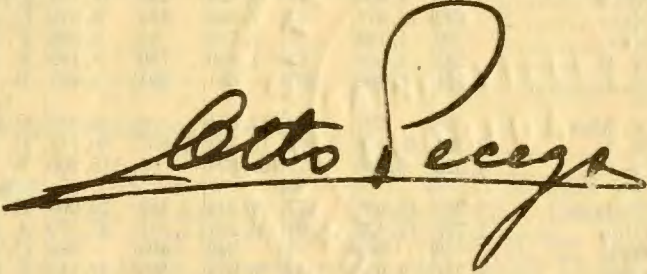
Imports of meat and meat food products

Country of export	Fresh and refrigerated		Canned and cured	Other products	Total weight
	Beef	Other			
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
Argentina.....	794, 576	1, 740	705, 764	22, 649	1, 524, 729
Canada.....	495, 755	885, 348	49, 468	118, 070	1, 548, 641
Uruguay.....	99, 037	807	510, 014	-----	609, 858
Other countries.....	-----	-----	35, 986	33, 842	69, 828
Total: July, 1924.....	1, 389, 368	887, 895	1, 301, 232	174, 561	3, 753, 056
July, 1923.....	670, 819	467, 040	989, 014	33, 388	2, 160, 261
7 months ended July, 1924.....	8, 877, 366	6, 493, 338	6, 685, 553	1, 019, 967	23, 076, 224
7 months ended July, 1923.....	3, 738, 828	7, 100, 989	7, 411, 098	814, 743	19, 065, 658

Condemned in July, 1924: Beef, 115 pounds; pork, 286 pounds; total, 401 pounds.
 Refused entry: Pork, 1,508 pounds.

FOREIGN OFFICIAL AUTHORIZED TO SIGN INSPECTION CERTIFICATES FOR MEAT AND PRODUCTS FOR IMPORTATION INTO THE UNITED STATES

The following is an additional name, address, and facsimile signature of a foreign national Government official authorized to sign and issue certificates of inspection for meat and meat food products offered for importation into the United States:

Country and name	Signature
BRAZIL	
Otto Pecego.....	

SUMMARY OF TUBERCULOSIS-ERADICATION WORK IN COOPERATION WITH THE VARIOUS STATES, JULY, 1924

State	Tuberculin tests during month			Total to date			Inspector in charge	State official
	Herds or lots	Cattle tested	Cattle re-tested	Once-tested free herds	Accredited herds	Herds under supervision		
Ala.....	198	2,296	2	1,413	174	1,965	R. E. Jackson...	C. A. Cary, Auburn.
Ariz.....	104	2,842	79	2,235	10	2,763	F. L. Schneider...	S. E. Douglas, Phoenix.
Ark.....				834	45	965	L. E. Lyons.....	J. H. Bux, Little Rock.
Calif.....				2,004	25	2,174	R. Snyder.....	J. P. Iverson, Sacramento.
Colo.....	13	280	4	1,099	27	1,313	W. E. Howe.....	C. G. Lamb, Denver.
Conn.....	164	3,021	71	1,445	479	1,732	R. L. Smith.....	J. M. Whittlesey, Hartford.
Del.....	115	1,078	65	1,442	753	2,775	W. G. Middleton.	O. A. Newton, Bridgeville.
D. C.....				270	10	288	J. A. Kiernan...	
Fla.....	165	2,396	12	5,003	312	5,948	G. G. Fish.....	J. V. Knapp, Tallahassee.
Ga.....	49	1,404	5	3,796	45	4,560	A. L. Hirleman...	P. F. Bahnsen, Atlanta.
Idaho.....	166	1,732	29	14,968	98	16,863	W. A. Sullivan...	W. R. Smith, Boise.
Ill.....	4,081	36,451	1,592	1,692	656	45,200	J. J. Lintner...	F. A. Laird, Springfield.
Ind.....	3,278	23,202	209	26,570	7,498	34,436	J. E. Gibson...	R. C. Julien, Indianapolis.
Iowa.....	4,380	68,947	1,305	30,779	3,624	47,284	J. A. Barger.....	M. G. Thomburg, Des Moines.
Kans.....	203	5,242	70	5,690	938	6,900	N. L. Townsend...	J. H. Mercer, Topeka.
Ky.....	949	5,712	20	24,838	271	28,978	W. F. Biles.....	W. H. Simmons, Frankfort.
La.....	222	3,768	51	1,542	111	2,071	A. F. Staub.....	E. P. Flower, Baton Rouge.
Me.....	841	5,795	27	12,918	1,580	14,345	J. B. Reidy.....	H. M. Tucker, Augusta.
Md.....	635	6,945	423	1,929	1,179	6,170	T. A. Ladson...	James B. George, Baltimore.
Mass.....	140	2,755	611	548	155	1,075	E. A. Crossman...	L. H. Howard, Boston.
Mich.....	4,340	31,395	946	48,540	279	58,509	T. S. Rich.....	H. W. Norton, jr., Lansing.
Minn.....	1,721	28,627	945	10,265	4,016	17,046	W. J. Fretz.....	C. E. Cotton, St. Paul.
Miss.....	43	1,075	2	468	118	724	H. L. Fry.....	P. P. Garner.
Mo.....	1,110	8,591	67	46,739	378	48,396	Ralph Graham...	H. A. Wilson, Jefferson City.
Mont.....	349	4,898	16	16,924	146	17,724	J. W. Murdoch...	W. J. Butler, Helena.
Nebr.....	892	10,377	37	7,668	354	8,379	C. H. Hays.....	L. R. Cantwell, Lincoln.
Nev.....	60	1,188	5	1,750	15	2,366	F. E. Murray...	Edward Records, Reno.
N. H.....	235	1,508	82	1,820	750	3,189	E. A. Crossman...	A. L. Felkner, Concord.
N. J.....	211	3,196	253	681	291	1,437	W. G. Middleton.	J. H. McNeil, Trenton.
N. Mex.....	86	697	3	2,041	4	2,252	F. L. Schneider...	Mat Keenan, Albuquerque.
N. Y.....	3,521	49,576	5,469	15,733	7,857	30,713	H. B. Leonard...	H. J. Henry, Albany.
N. C.....	4,323	8,946	75	104,894	65	115,200	W. C. Dendinger.	Wm. Moore, Raleigh.
N. Dak.....	1,063	17,030	177	14,244	2,489	19,299	H. H. Cohenour...	W. F. Crewe, Bismarck.
Ohio.....	1,779	11,473	191	21,281	1,511	25,579	A. J. De Fosset...	F. A. Zimmer, Columbus.
Okla.....	18	669	6	248	408	686	C. J. Becker.....	J. A. Whitehurst, Oklahoma.
Oreg.....	1,257	9,955	47	23,978	520	22,143	S. B. Foster.....	W. H. Lytle, Salem.
Pa.....	1,930	16,375	345	16,694	2,824	21,775	P. E. Quinn.....	T. E. Munce, Harrisburg.
R. I.....	1	52	0	31	23	58	E. A. Crossman...	T. E. Robinson, Providence.
S. C.....	103	1,207	5	756	176	4,382	W. K. Lewis.....	W. K. Lewis, Columbia.
S. Dak.....	68	2,297	39	459	369	952	J. O. Wilson.....	A. E. Beaumont, Pierre.
Tenn.....	106	2,258	6	160	378	12,731	E. I. Smith.....	W. B. Lincoln, Nashville.
Tex.....	234	5,732	70	602	213	1,069	L. J. Allen.....	L. G. Cloud, Fort Worth.
Utah.....	211	1,438	7	8,899	102	9,833	F. E. Murray...	A. J. Webb, Salt Lake City.
Vt.....	253	4,680	168	1,799	2,596	6,811	L. H. Adams.....	Edward H. Jones, Whitefield.
Va.....	495	4,247	97	1,016	1,223	2,536	R. E. Brookbank.	J. G. Ferneyhough, Richmond.
Wash.....	429	4,351	64	23,706	153	25,461	J. C. Exline.....	L. C. Pelton, Olympia.
W. Va.....	310	2,643	16	4,931	502	4,510	George W. Neff...	J. H. Stewart, Charleston.
Wis.....	4,035	69,615	1,114	41,461	4,306	50,244	J. S. Healy.....	John D. Jones, jr., Madison.
Wyo.....	22	329	0	4,627	9	5,219	John T. Dallas...	A. W. French, Cheyenne.
Total.....	44,908	478,291	14,827	563,430	50,065	747,028		

LICENSES FOR VETERINARY BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS, AUGUST, 1924

LICENSES ISSUED

License No.	Date	Name and address of firm	Products
5	1924 Aug. 15	Parke, Davis & Co., Parke-dale Farm, near Rochester, Mich., and Atwater and McDougall Streets, Detroit, Mich.	Anthrax vaccine; antianthrax serum; antiblackleg serum; antidistemper serum (canine); antihemorrhagic-septicemia serum; anti-influenza serum (equine); antistreptococci serum (equine); anti-white-scour serum (bovine); autogenous bacterin; blackleg aggressin; blackleg filtrate; blackleg vaccine; canine distemper mixed bacteria; colon bacterin (equine); equine influenza mixed bacterin; hemorrhagic-septicemia bacterin; hemorrhagic-septicemia vaccine; mallein; mixed-infection bacterin (bovine); mixed-infection bacterin (lepine); mixed-infection phylacogen (equine); normal horse serum; pneumonia phylacogen (equine); rabies vaccine; staphylococcus-streptococcus bacterin (canine); streptococcus-staphylococcus bacterin (equine); tetanus antitoxin; tuberculin; white-scour bacterin (bovine).
17	Aug. 20	Beebe Laboratories (Inc.), Larpenteur Avenue and White Bear Car Line, St. Paul, Minn.	Avian tuberculin.
49	Aug. 27	Slee Laboratories, Swiftwater, Pa.	Tetanus antitoxin.
107	Aug. 26	Jensen-Salsbery Laboratories (Inc.), 520 West Pennway, Kansas City, Mo., and Shawnee Road and Forest Avenue, Kansas City, Kans.	Hemorrhagic-septicemia aggressin.
165	Aug. 26	American Scientific Laboratories (Inc.), 59 West Austin Avenue, Chicago, Ill.	Pullorin.

LICENSES TERMINATED

United States veterinary licenses No. 5, issued January 1, 1921, August 23, 1921, October 2, 1922, and May 5, 1924, to the Parke, Davis & Co., Detroit, Mich., were terminated August 15, 1924, owing to the discontinuance of the production of certain products. As listed above, the company now holds United States veterinary license No. 5, dated August 15, 1924.

United States veterinary license No. 49, issued January 1, 1921, to the Slee Laboratories, Swiftwater, Pa., was terminated August 27, 1924, owing to discontinuance of production of anticanine-distemper serum. As listed above, the company now holds United States veterinary license No. 49, dated August 27, 1924.

United States veterinary license No. 138, issued March 17, 1921, to the Pasteur Laboratories of America, New York, N. Y., was terminated on August 30, 1924, on account of discontinuance of importing concentrated mallein and tuberculin.

ANTI-HOG-CHOLERA SERUM AND HOG-CHOLERA VIRUS PRODUCED UNDER UNITED STATES VETERINARY LICENSE, JULY, 1924

Serum			Virus	
Ordinary	Clear	Total	Simultaneous	Hyper-immunizing
C. c. 53, 159, 352	C. c. 22, 892, 311	C. c. 76, 051, 663	C. c. 4, 922, 770	C. c. 12, 688, 544

AMENDMENT TO THE FISCAL REGULATIONS

TRANSPORTATION OF EFFECTS OF OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

The preamble of paragraph 90 of the Fiscal Regulations of the department is hereby amended to read as follows:

90. *Transportation of effects, etc., of officers and employees.*—An employee transferred from one official station to another for permanent duty when allowed traveling expenses may, within the discretion and under written instructions from the chief of the bureau in which he serves, be allowed freight and drayage charges, together with packing and crating charges on articles ordinarily so prepared for shipment, on (a) household goods and personal effects, including animals for domestic use, and (b) personal property which will be used in official work at the new station, including an automobile or motor cycle. Transfers of such property at Government expense will be authorized only from present or former permanent stations to a new permanent station. Specific authorization must be secured in all cases where the shipment to be made involves a former instead of the present permanent station: *Provided, however,* That an employee will not be deprived of any allowance herein authorized through the selection of residence in a suburb of his official station. All shipments of freight shall be made in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 90 (b). Shipments may be made by express of articles of a perishable nature or required for immediate use at the official station to which an employee may be transferred, such as wearing apparel, tableware, bedding, and kitchen utensils, but not including furniture and jewelry: *Provided,* That this shall apply only in cases where shipment by freight would cause delay and inconvenience. Shipments may also be made by motor truck when the cost of shipment by this means does not exceed the cost by freight, taking into consideration charges of packing, crating, and drayage, and as excess baggage when the excess weight does not exceed 200 pounds. Shipments as excess baggage should be released at the lowest valuation applicable.

The principal change made by the foregoing amendment is that authority is given to transport effects not only from the official station from which the employee is being transferred, as was the previous rule, but also where specific approval of the chief of bureau has been secured, from a former post of duty. This change follows the Comptroller General's decision of June 9, 1920 (26 Comp. Dec. 996), to the Secretary of Agriculture. The portion of the former paragraph which specified the classes of material subject to transportation at Government expense has also been rewritten to conform more closely to the language of the Comptroller General in his decision to the Secretary of Agriculture of May 14, 1923, A. D. 7629, wherein the scope of the regulation which the Secretary may properly issue is indicated as follows:

"The regulation may therefore provide that an employee transferred from one official station to another for permanent duty may under properly designated authority be allowed transportation at Government expense * * * of household goods and personal effects, including a specified limited number of domestic animals for family use, with provision for reasonable expenses for packing and crating such property. The regulation may also provide for the transfer at public expense of the personal property of the employee used in official work, including automobile or motorcycle * * *."

REESTABLISHMENT OF INSPECTION AT A PUBLIC STOCKYARD

Inspection has been reestablished at the Union Stock Yards, Houston, Tex., and that place is again designated a public stockyard as defined in paragraph 9, section 1, Regulation 1, B. A. I. Order 273.

TEXAS-FEVER QUARANTINE—PLACES TO WHICH SOUTHERN CATTLE MAY BE SHIPPED FOR IMMEDIATE SLAUGHTER

Permission Withdrawn

INDIANA: *Indianapolis.*—Indianapolis Union Stock Yards Co.

PERMITTED DISINFECTANT

Change of Name from "Kresoleum" to "Dinsol"

In accordance with the provisions of Circular Letter No. 1261, dated May 26, 1924, permission was granted for the use of "Kresoleum" manufactured by Meyer Bros. Drug Co., St. Louis, Mo., as a saponified cresol solution, in the general disinfection of cars, yards, and other premises.

At the request of Meyer Bros. Drug Co. the name of the above-mentioned disinfectant, "Kresoleum," is now changed to "Dinsol."

RESULTS OF PROSECUTIONS FOR VIOLATIONS OF LAWS

Penalties have been imposed in prosecutions for violations of regulatory laws, as reported to the bureau, as follows:

Livestock Quarantine Law

American Railway Express Co. (five cases), interstate transportation of cattle without tuberculin test, \$500 fines.

Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlanta Railway Co., failure to mark waybills "Southern cattle," \$100 fine.

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co., interstate transportation of 1 dead hog in same car with live animals, \$100 fine.

E. E. Bass, Columbia, Miss., driving cattle interstate without inspection, dipping, and certification, \$10 fine.

T. B. Forbes, Sandy Hook, Miss., same offence, \$10 fine.

A. J. Robertson, Columbia, Miss., same offence, \$5 fine.

K. S. Smith, McComb, Miss., driving a cow interstate without inspection, dipping, certification, or tuberculin test, \$5 fine.

Southern Pacific Co., interstate transportation of cows without tuberculin test, \$100 fine.

C. F. Stalter, Maysville, Ky., interstate transportation of 65 cows and heifers without tuberculin test, \$100 fine.

Yazoo & Mississippi Valley Railroad Co., same offence, \$100 fine.

Twenty-Eight-Hour Law

Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Co., \$250 fine.

Illinois Central Railroad Co., \$100 fine.

Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Co., \$100 fine.

New York, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad Co. (four cases), \$400 fines.

Pennsylvania Railroad Co. (13 cases), \$1,300 fines.

Meat-Inspection Law

Clifford H. Tarbox, Tunnel, N. Y., offering unsound calf carcass for interstate shipment, \$75 fine.

Thomas J. Herring, Coleman, La., offering unsound meats for interstate shipment, \$25 fine.

The following have been fined the amounts indicated for offering uninspected meats for interstate shipment:

Swift & Co., Billings, Mont. (two cases), \$40 fines.

Chung Jan & Co., San Francisco, Calif., \$50 fine.

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