

in evidence in any civil or criminal action in any of the courts of the United States.

Sec. 10. That the supervising inspector or any inspector of naval stores, if he shall have reason to believe that any rosin subject to the provisions of this act has been or is adulterated or false packed or misbranded or falsely graded in any manner, or upon which the certificate of inspection or the marks or the grading have been altered, forged, changed or defaced in any manner, shall have the right to enter the place or places where the same is kept, stored or found, and to open any barrel, package or container in which the same may be and to take therefrom a sufficient quantity of rosin as a sample for inspection. Such sample shall be sealed by the said inspector taking the same, who shall at the same time mark or label the same in such a manner as to indicate the time and place of taking the same and the owner of the barrel, package or other container from which it is taken, as well as any other facts necessary to identify the sample so taken with the original. The owner, claimant or custodian of such rosin shall have the right to be present, if he desires, in person or by agent, at such sampling and to demand and receive of such inspector a sample in all respects like that taken by said inspector. It shall be the duty of the supervising inspector of naval stores to compare the samples so taken with the standards or types of rosin provided by the Secretary of Agriculture, and a certificate of the result of such comparison and inspection made by such supervising inspector of naval stores shall be prima facie evidence of the nature, grade, type and quality of the contents of the barrel, package or other container from which such sample was so taken, and the contents of such certificate shall be admissible in evidence in any criminal or civil action in any court of the United States.

Sec. 11. That no other or further inspection than that provided for in this act shall be had or required of any spirits of turpentine or rosin subject to inspection under the terms of this act.

Sec. 12. That all naval stores which shall be manufactured or offered for sale in the District of Columbia or in any Territory of the United States, or which shall be offered for sale in unbroken packages in any State other than that in which they shall have been respectively manufactured or produced, or which shall be received from any foreign country, or intended or offered for shipment to any other State or any foreign country, shall be subject to all of the provisions of this act, and the rules and regulations prescribed for the government thereof by the said Secretary of Agriculture.

Sec. 13. That any barrel, package, or container of naval stores which is being transported from any State, Territory or the District of Columbia to any other State, Territory or the District of Columbia for sale, or, having been transported, remains unsold, unloaded or in the original package, or if it be sold or offered for sale in the District of Columbia or the Territories of the United States, or if it be imported from a foreign country for sale, or if it is intended for export to a foreign country, or shall be subject to the provisions of this act, without having attached or affixed thereto or marked or branded thereon the certificate of inspection by an inspector of naval stores of the United States, or if any such certificate so attached or affixed thereto or marked or branded thereon shall have been altered,

forged or defaced in any respect, or if any such naval stores shall have been adulterated, falsely packed or changed in grade, quality or quantity from that originally shown or indicated by the certificate of inspection of the United States inspector of naval stores attached or affixed thereto or marked or branded thereon, while in interstate or foreign commerce, or subject to the provisions of this act, shall be forfeited to the United States and proceeded against in any district court of the United States within the district where the same shall be found and seized for confiscation by a process of libel for condemnation. And if such naval stores are condemned for violation of this section, the same shall be sold as the court may direct, and the proceeds thereof, less the legal costs and charges, shall be paid into the Treasury of the United States; but such naval stores shall not be sold in any jurisdiction contrary to the laws thereof. The proceedings of such libel cases shall conform as near as may be to the proceedings in admiralty, and all such proceedings shall be at the suit or and in the name of the United States.

Sec. 14. That no person, firm, or corporation, or any officer, agent or employe of any such person, firm or corporation, shall ship or offer for shipment, or transport or receive for transportation, within the District of Columbia, or in any Territory of the United States, or from or to any foreign country, or from any State or Territory of the United States to any other State or Territory of the United States, in interstate or foreign commerce, any naval stores which shall not have been inspected by a district inspector or local inspector of naval stores in accordance with the provisions of this act and the rules and regulations prescribed therefor by the Secretary of Agriculture, and which shall not have plainly attached or affixed thereto or marked or branded thereon the certificate of such inspection by such inspector of naval stores of the United States. And any person, firm, or corporation, or officer, agent or employe of any such person, firm or corporation, who shall violate this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished, upon conviction thereof, by a fine of not more than five thousand dollars or by imprisonment for not more than two years, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Sec. 15. That no person, firm or corporation, or officer, agent, or employe thereof, shall forge, counterfeit, simulate or falsely represent or shall without proper authority use, fail to use or detach, or shall knowingly or wrongfully alter, deface, destroy, or fail to deface or destroy any certificate, mark, brand or other identification device provided for in this act, or as directed or required by the rules and regulations prescribed hereunder by the Secretary of Agriculture, on any package, barrel or container of naval stores subject to the provisions of this act, or mark, brand or certificate in relation thereto, authorized or required by this act or the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Agriculture, and any person, firm or corporation, or any officer, agent or employe thereof, who shall violate any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and if convicted thereof shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding \$5,000, or by imprisonment of not more than five years, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Sec. 16. That any person, firm or cor-

poration, or any agent or employe of any person, firm or corporation, who shall give, pay or offer, directly or indirectly, to any local inspector, district inspector or the supervising inspector of the naval stores of the United States, or any other officer or employe of the United States authorized to perform any of the duties prescribed by this act, or by the elrus and regulations of the Secretary of Agriculture, any money or other thing of value with intent to influence said local inspector, district inspector or supervising inspector, or other officer or employe of the United States in the discharge of any duty herein provided for, or who shall conspire with any other person, firm or corporation so to do, or who shall interfere with, obstruct or prevent the performance of his duties under this act and said rules and regulations of said Secretary of Agriculture by any local inspector or supervising inspector of naval stores, or any officer or employe of the United States authorized to perform any of the duties herein provided for or by the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Agriculture; or any person, firm or corporation, or any officer, agent or employe of any such person, firm or corporation, who shall false represent any facts for the purpose of securing a certificate of inspection from any inspector of naval stores of the United States, or who shall attempt to do so, or who shall conspire with any other person or corporation to that end, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$5,000 or by imprisonment for not more than two years, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Sec. 17. That if any local inspector, district inspector or the supervising inspector of naval stores, or any other officer or employe of the United States, authorized to perform any of the duties prescribed by this act, or by the said rules and regulations of the Secretary of Agriculture, shall accept any money, gift or other thing of value from any person, firm or corporation, or any officer, agent or employe thereof, given with intent to influence his official action, or who shall receive or accept from any person, firm or corporation, or any officer, agent or employe thereof, any gift, money or other thing of value with any purpose or intent whatsoever, or who shall while acting as such officer or employe of the United States accept or hold any position or employment with or under any person, firm or corporation engaged in the manufacture, production, sale, exportation or consumption of naval stores, shall be deemed guilty of felony, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by summary discharge from office and by a fine of not more than \$10,000 or by imprisonment of not more than five years, or by both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

Sec. 18. That if any person, firm or corporation, or any officer, agent or employe of any such person, firm or corporation shall sell or offer for sale or knowingly aid or assist in the sale, offer for sale, consignment or shipment of any naval stores subject to the provisions of this act, which shall not have been inspected by an inspector of naval stores of the United States, and upon the package, barrel or container thereof there shall not be attached, affixed, marked or branded the certificate of inspection by such inspector of naval stores in accordance with the provisions of this act and the regulations of said Secretary of Agriculture, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$5,000, or by imprisonment of not more than two years, or by both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

Sec. 19. That if any person, firm or corporation, or any officer, agent, or employe thereof shall falsely state or represent that any naval stores subject to the provisions of this act, offered by him for sale, exchange, transportation or shipment, have been inspected by a district inspector, local inspector or the supervising inspector of naval stores, or by any officer or employe of the United States, or if any such person, firm or corporation, or any officer, agent or employe thereof shall falsely represent that any such naval stores so sold, offered for sale, transportation, or shipment is of a quality, grade, weight or quantity different from the actual quality, grade, weight, or quantity thereof, as shown by the certificate of inspection thereof shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than five thousand dollars, or by imprisonment of not more than two years, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Sec. 20. That whenever any package, barrel, or container in which naval stores were or had been contained, which had been inspected and had thereon the certificate, mark, or brand of inspection, is emptied it shall be the duty of the person in whose hands the same then is to destroy utterly the certificate, mark or brand of inspection thereon, and said barrel, package, or container shall not be again used by any person unless and until said certificates, marks or brands of inspection thereon have been destroyed, and any person who neglects or refuses so to destroy such certificate, mark, or brand of inspection on any such barrel, package, or container, or who shall use such barrel, package or container for the purpose of refilling same with naval stores without first destroying such certificate, mark or brand of inspection thereon shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall

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