

The article was alleged to be misbranded in that the containers were so made, formed, or filled as to be misleading. It was alleged to be misbranded further in that the statement "One Pound Net" was false and misleading; and in that it was in package form and did not bear an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents.

On May 6, 1940, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed. On May 10, 1940, the decree was amended to permit the sale of the product at a nominal price to a charitable organization which was directed to distribute a part of it without cost to various welfare agencies.

#### MAPLE SIRUP

**949. Adulteration of maple sirup. U. S. v. 4 Drums of Maple Sirup. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered destroyed and containers salvaged. (F. D. C. No. 1996. Sample No. 14586-E.)**

This product contained lead.

On May 21, 1940, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania filed a libel against four drums of maple sirup at Philadelphia, Pa., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about October 31, 1939, by De Witt Grocery Co. from Brattleboro, Vt.; and charging that it was adulterated in that it contained a poisonous or deleterious substance, lead, which might have rendered it injurious to health.

On June 8, 1940, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and it was ordered that the sirup be destroyed and that the drums be returned to the shipper.

#### SPICES

**950. Misbranding of celery seed and mustard seed. U. S. v. 17 Cases of Celery Seed and 13½ Cases of Mustard Seed. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 1764. Sample Nos. 73127-D, 73128-D.)**

The celery seed occupied on an average of only 48 percent and the mustard seed occupied less than 60 percent of the capacity of the cartons in which they were packed.

On April 5, 1940, the United States attorney for the Western District of Washington filed a libel against 17 cases of celery seed and 13½ cases of mustard seed at Seattle, Wash., alleging that the articles had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about July 13 and 27, 1939, by McClintock Stern Co., Inc., from San Francisco, Calif.; and charging that they were misbranded in that the containers were so made, formed, or filled as to be misleading. The articles were labeled in part: (Carton) "Whole Celery [or "Whole Mustard"] \* \* \* Shur-fine Brand National Retailer-Owned Grocers, Inc. Distributors Chicago, Illinois."

On May 29, 1940, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the products were ordered destroyed.

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