

DISPOSITION: On or about December 4, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a charitable or public institution.

VEGETABLES

7305. Adulteration of beans. U. S. v. 300 Bags of Beans. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 13395. Sample No. 58988-F.)

LABEL FILED: August 29, 1944, Eastern District of Virginia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 14, 1943, from Amarillo, Tex.

PRODUCT: 300 100-pound bags of beans, at Richmond, Va., in possession of Wm. R. Hill & Co.

The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. The bags were rodent-gnawed, and contained rodent pellets and urine stains. Examination of samples showed that the article contained rodent excreta, rodent hairs, and insect fragments.

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: September 16, 1944. Wm. R. Hill, trading as Wm. R. Hill & Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. The unfit portion was segregated and denatured for use as animal feed, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

7306. Adulteration of blackeye beans. U. S. v. 89 Bags of Blackeye Beans. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered sold. (F. D. C. No. 14504. Sample No. 90073-F.)

LABEL FILED: November 21, 1944, Eastern District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 4, 1944, by the Woolner Sales Corporation, from Indianapolis, Ind.

PRODUCT: 89 100-pound bags of blackeye beans, at St. Louis, Mo.

LABEL, IN PART: "California Blackeyes."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of beetles and weevils.

DISPOSITION: December 20, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered sold, under the direction of the Federal Security Agency, to be used for purposes other than human consumption.

7307. Misbranding of canned green beans. U. S. v. 139 Cases of Green Beans. Decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond to be relabeled. (F. D. C. No. 13438. Sample No. 71757-F.)

LABEL FILED: August 29, 1944, District of Idaho.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 7, 1943, by the Blue Lake Producers Cooperative, from Salem, Oreg.

PRODUCT: 139 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 3-ounce cans, of cut green beans, at Lewiston, Idaho.

LABEL, IN PART: "Marion Brand Pieces Cut Green Beans."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the vignette of a dish containing middle cuts of green beans, and the term, "Pieces Cut Green Beans," were misleading as applied to the article, which was a by-product consisting mainly of end cuts and tips of string beans.

DISPOSITION: October 5, 1944. A decree of condemnation was entered, and the product was ordered released under bond to be relabeled under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.