

PRODUCT: 329 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 4-ounce cans, of peas, at Oklahoma City, Okla.

LABEL, IN PART: (Cans) "Star of Wisconsin [or "Betty" or "Beth Brand"] Early June Peas."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Misbranding, Section 403 (h) (1), this product was below standard.

DISPOSITION: May 23, 1944. The Wallace Brokerage Co., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be relabeled under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

7316. Adulteration of green split peas. U. S. v. 116 Bags of Green Split Peas. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond for salvaging. (F. D. C. No. 14145. Sample No. 59895-F.)

LIBEL FILED: November 13, 1944, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On November 15, 1943, by Allen V. Smith, Inc., from Garfield, Wash.

PRODUCT: 116 100-pound bags of green split peas, at Chicago, Ill.

LABEL, IN PART: "Smith's Selected Fancy Quick Cooking Green Split Peas."

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of weevils, larvae, insect fragments, and insect excreta.

DISPOSITION: December 15, 1944. Allen V. Smith, Inc., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for salvaging in accordance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

7317. Misbranding of potatoes. U. S. v. Mid-South Supply Association. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$25. (F. D. C. No. 12533. Sample No. 38722-F.)

INFORMATION FILED: July 12, 1944, Eastern District of Arkansas, against the Mid-South Supply Association, a corporation, Conway, Ark.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 15, 1943, from the State of Arkansas into the State of Illinois.

LABEL, IN PART: "100 Lbs. * * * Triumph Co-Op Potatoes."

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the statement "100 Lbs." was false and misleading since the sacks contained less than the declared weight; and, Section 403 (e) (2), the article was in package form and its label failed to bear an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents.

DISPOSITION: October 9, 1944. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the defendant was fined \$25.

7318. Misbranding of potatoes. U. S. v. 300 Sacks of Potatoes. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond to be resacked. (F. D. C. No. 13385. Sample No. 72928-F.)

LIBEL FILED: August 28, 1944, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 7, 1944, by the United Produce Co., Holt, Calif.

PRODUCT: 300 sacks of potatoes at New York, N. Y.

Examination showed that the article was short-weight.

LABEL, IN PART: (Sacks) "Duck Brand Potatoes Weyl-Zuckerman & Co. Stockton Calif. 100 Lbs. Net Weight."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (2), the product was a food in package form and failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents, since the label statement "100 Lbs. Net Weight" was inaccurate.

DISPOSITION: September 6, 1944. The Idaho Baking Potato Distributors, Inc., New York, N. Y., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be resacked to the declared weight, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.