

PRODUCT: 2,700 pints of oysters at Pittsburgh, Pa.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (4), water had been added to the product and mixed and packed with it so as to increase its bulk or weight and reduce its quality.

DISPOSITION: February 9, 1945. John H. Leonard, claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that it be brought into conformity with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

7802. Adulteration of oysters. U. S. v. 64 Pints and 264 Pints of Oysters (and 2 other seizure actions against oysters). Consent decrees of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. Nos. 14812, 14838, 14843. Sample Nos. 85286-F, 85289-F, 85290-F.)

LIBELS FILED: December 21, 29, and 30, 1944, Middle District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 13, 14, and 20, 1944, by Charles W. Howeth and Brother, from Crisfield, Md.

PRODUCT: 1,095 pints of oysters at York, Pa.

LABEL, IN PART: (Portion) "H & B Brand Famous Salt Water Oysters."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (4), water had been added to the product and mixed and packed with it so as to increase its bulk or weight and reduce its quality.

DISPOSITION: January 19, 1945. Charles W. Howeth, claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libels, judgments of condemnation were 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 excess liquid was removed and the cans were filled with oysters. Oysters of unsatisfactory quality were destroyed.

7803. Adulteration of oysters. U. S. v. 225 Cans of Oysters (and 2 other seizure actions against oysters). Default decrees of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. Nos. 14811, 14815, 14837. Sample Nos. 85285-F, 85287-F, 85288-F.)

LIBELS FILED: Between December 21 and 29, 1944, Middle District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 14 and 18, 1944, by Hickman and Sterling, from Crisfield, Md.

PRODUCT: 564 1-pint cans of oysters at York, Pa.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (4), water had been added to the product and mixed and packed with it so as to increase its bulk or weight and reduce its quality.

DISPOSITION: February 22, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

7804. Adulteration of oysters. U. S. v. 94 Cans of Oysters. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered delivered to a charitable institution. (F. D. C. No. 14770. Sample No. 92393-F.)

LIBEL FILED: December 14, 1944, Western District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 5, 1944, by the J. H. White Co., from Baltimore, Md.

PRODUCT: 94 1-pint cans of oysters at Erie, Pa.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (4), water had been added to the product and mixed and packed with it so as to increase its bulk or weight and reduce its quality.

DISPOSITION: January 4, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a charitable institution.

7805. Adulteration of frozen shrimp. U. S. v. 23 Boxes and 914 Cartons of Frozen Shrimp (and 2 other seizure actions against frozen shrimp). Decrees of condemnation. Portion of product ordered released under bond; remainder ordered destroyed. (F. D. C. Nos. 14175, 14176, 14789. Sample Nos. 78944-F to 78947-F, incl., 78949-F, 96808-F.)

LIBELS FILED: November 17 and December 19, 1944, Northern District of Illinois and Northern District of Texas.