

DISPOSITION: December 5, 1946. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of \$400 on each count, a total fine of \$800.

11240. Misbranding of canned peas. U. S. v. Dorchester Canning Co. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$400. (F. D. C. No. 20193. Sample No. 41701-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: November 4, 1946, Western District of Wisconsin, against the Dorchester Canning Co., a corporation, Hillsboro, Wis.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 23, 1945, from the State of Wisconsin into the State of West Virginia.

LABEL, IN PART: "Wiscos Brand Wisconsin Peas Early June Peas * * * Packed By Fall River Canning Co. Fall River, Wis."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (h) (1), the article was below standard in quality because of the high percentage of alcohol-insoluble solids and the high percentage of ruptured peas.

DISPOSITION: December 3, 1946. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of \$400.

11241. Misbranding of canned peas. U. S. v. Fall River Canning Co. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$2,800. (F. D. C. No. 20196. Sample Nos. 22381-H, 23511-H, 23899-H, 24880-H, 24901-H, 24921-H, 52583-H, 52584-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: November 4, 1946, Western District of Wisconsin, against the Fall River Canning Co., Fall River and Janesville, Wis.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of July 18 and August 30, 1945, from the State of Wisconsin into the States of Illinois, Missouri, Texas, and Kentucky.

LABEL, IN PART: (Cans, 3 shipments) "Eatmor Brand Wisconsin Peas," "Upper Deck June Peas," or "Wiscos Brand Wisconsin Peas Early June Peas"; (Cases, 2 shipments) "Merit Peas," or "Peas." The remainder was invoiced Std #4 Alaska," or "Std #3 Alaska."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (h) (1), the quality of the product as a whole was below standard because of the high percentage of alcohol-insoluble solids.

Various portions of product. Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (1), the article failed to bear a label containing the name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor; Section 403 (e) (2), it failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement, or any statement whatever, of the quantity of the contents; and, Section 403 (g) (2), it failed to bear a label containing the name of the food specified in the definition and standard of identity.

DISPOSITION: December 3, 1946. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of \$400 on each of the 7 counts, a total fine of \$2,800.

11242. Misbranding of canned peas. U. S. v. River View Canning Corp. and Wallace W. Evans. Pleas of guilty. Fines, \$250 against corporation and \$100 against individual. (F. D. C. No. 20194. Sample No. 16784-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: April 9, 1947, Eastern District of Wisconsin, against the River View Canning Corp., Markesan, Wis., and Wallace W. Evans, president.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 1, 1945, from the State of Wisconsin into the State of Illinois.

LABEL, IN PART: "The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., New York, N. Y. Distributors Early June Peas."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (h) (1), the article was below standard in quality.

DISPOSITION: April 21, 1947. Pleas of guilty having been entered, the court imposed fines of \$250 and \$100 against the corporation and the individual defendant, respectively.

11243. Misbranding of canned peas. U. S. v. Stoughton Canning Co. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$1,200. (F. D. C. No. 20197. Sample Nos. 3660-H, 21530-H, 43231-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: November 4, 1946, Western District of Wisconsin, against the Stoughton Canning Co., a corporation, Stoughton, Wis.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 31 and August 1 and 23, 1945, from the State of Wisconsin into the States of Maryland, Virginia, and Nebraska.

LABEL, IN PART: The cans were unlabeled, but the shipments were invoiced "Std #4 Alaska."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (h) (1), the quality of the article was below standard because of its high percentage of alcohol-insoluble solids; Section 403 (e) (1), it failed to bear a label containing the name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor; Section 403 (e) (2), it failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement, or any statement whatever, of the quantity of the contents; and, Section 403 (g) (2), it bore no label containing the name of the food specified in the definition and standard of identity for canned peas.

DISPOSITION: December 3, 1946. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of \$400 on each of 3 counts, a total fine of \$1,200.

11244. Misbranding of canned peas. U. S. v. 1,296 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 20220. Sample Nos. 43019-H, 43020-H.)

LIBEL FILED: June 6, 1946, District of Columbia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 3 and September 6, 1945, by the Lineboro Canning Co., Inc., from Lineboro, Md.

PRODUCT: 1,296 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 4-ounce cans, of peas at Washington, D. C.

LABEL, IN PART: "Hi-Chief [or "Mason-Dixon"] Brand Early June Peas."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (h) (1), the product was below standard.

DISPOSITION: July 31, 1946. The Lineboro Canning Co., Inc., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for relabeling under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

11245. Misbranding of canned peas. U. S. v. 822 Cases and 448 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. Nos. 19105, 19217. Sample Nos. 34903-H, 34905-H.)

LIBELS FILED: On or about February 14 and March 6, 1946, Western District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 31, 1945, by the Frank Herfort Canning Co., Inc., from Baraboo, Wis.

PRODUCT: 822 cases and 448 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 4-ounce cans, of peas at Joplin and Webb City, Mo., respectively.

LABEL, IN PART: "Devil's Lake * * * Early June Peas."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (h) (1), the article was below standard in quality.

DISPOSITION: On or about February 17 and 19, 1947. The Frank Herfort Canning Co., Inc., having appeared as claimant, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that it be relabeled in compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

11246. Misbranding of canned peas. U. S. v. 793 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 20330. Sample No. 15402-H.)

LIBEL FILED: June 17, 1946, Northern District of Indiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 28, 1945, by the Lancaster Canning Co., from Lancaster, Wis.

PRODUCT: 793 cases, each containing 48 1-pound, 4-ounce cans, of peas at Fort Wayne, Ind.

LABEL, IN PART: "Merrit Brand No. 4 Sieve Early June Peas * * * Packed for A. H. Perfect & Co., Inc., Fort Wayne, Ind. Sturgis, Mich."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (h) (1), the article was below standard.

DISPOSITION: September 20, 1946. The Lancaster Canning Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered