

- 11764. Adulteration of crab meat. U. S. v. 1 Barrel * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21296. Sample No. 42067-H.)**
LIBEL FILED: September 19, 1946, Western District of New York.
ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 16, 1946, by N. R. Coulbourne, from Crisfield, Md.
PRODUCT: 1 50-pound barrel of crab meat at Buffalo, N. Y. Examination showed that the product was contaminated with *E. coli*.
NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy animal substance.
DISPOSITION: October 14, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.
- 11765. Adulteration of crab meat. U. S. v. 100 Cans * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21297. Sample No. 42071-H.)**
LIBEL FILED: September 19, 1946, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.
ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 17, 1946, by Carol Dryden & Co., from Crisfield, Md.
PRODUCT: 100 1-pound cans of crab meat at Philadelphia, Pa. The product was contaminated with *E. coli*.
LABEL, IN PART: "One Pound Pride of the Chesapeake Crab Meat."
NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy animal substance.
DISPOSITION: October 15, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.
- 11766. Adulteration of crab meat. U. S. v. 23 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21240. Sample No. 63871-H.)**
LIBEL FILED: October 14, 1946, District of New Jersey.
ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 29, 1946, by the Tropical Foods Co., from New Orleans, La.
PRODUCT: 23 cases, each containing 24 7 $\frac{8}{10}$ -ounce cans, of crab meat at Belleville, N. J.
LABEL, IN PART: "Tropical Brand Net Weight 7 $\frac{8}{10}$ Ozs. White Meat American Crab Meat."
NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance; and, Section 402 (b) (2), brine had been substituted in part for crab meat, which the article was represented to be.
DISPOSITION: March 3, 1947. The Tropical Foods Co., claimant, having withdrawn its claim and petition for inspection, and having disclaimed any further interest in the property, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.
- 11767. Adulteration of crab meat. U. S. v. 98 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21265. Sample No. 57579-H.)**
LIBEL FILED: October 22, 1946, District of Massachusetts.
ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 30, 1946, by the L. C. Mays Co., Inc., from New Orleans, La.
PRODUCT: 98 cases, each containing 24 cans, of crab meat at Boston, Mass.
LABEL, IN PART: "High Sea Brand Net Wt. 7 $\frac{8}{10}$ Ozs. [or "Drained Weight 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ Ozs.]" * * * American Crab Meat."
NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance; and, Section 402 (b) (2), brine had been substituted in part for crab meat. (The cans contained an average of 5.53 ounces of drained crab meat, whereas a can of that size should contain at least 8.24 ounces of drained crab meat.)
DISPOSITION: March 3, 1947. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.
- 11768. Adulteration of crab meat. U. S. v. 7 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21260. Sample No. 54653-H.)**
LIBEL FILED: October 30, 1946, Southern District of Florida.