

LABEL, IN PART: "Sea-Land Selected Blueberries."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed blueberries.

DISPOSITION: March 30 and 31, 1949. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.

14424. Misbranding of canned cherries. U. S. v. 408 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26489. Sample Nos. 37392-K, 37399-K, 37400-K, 41201-K.)

LIBEL FILED: January 31, 1949, Western District of Washington.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 17, 1948, by Reynolds Brothers, Inc., from Sturgeon Bay, Wis.

PRODUCT: 408 cases, each containing 6 6-pound, 9-ounce cans, of cherries at Seattle, Wash.

LABEL, IN PART: "Chere-Pi-Pak Reynolds Sturgeon Bay Pitted Tart Red Pie Cherries."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (h) (1), the quality of the article fell below the standard of quality for canned cherries since more than one pit was present in each 20 ounces of canned cherries and its label failed to bear a statement that it fell below such standard.

DISPOSITION: March 8, 1949. Reynolds Brothers, 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.

14425. Misbranding of canned pears. U. S. v. 450 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26401. Sample No. 36570-K.)

LIBEL FILED: January 12, 1949, Eastern District of New York; amended libel filed January 26, 1949.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 16, 1948, by the Apple Growers Assoc., Inc., from Hood River, Oreg.

PRODUCT: 150 cases, each containing 6 6-pound, 8-ounce cans, of pears at Brooklyn, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Silver Grille Brand Hood River Halves Bartlett Pears."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (h) (1), the product fell below the standard of quality for canned pears since not all of the units were untrimmed or so trimmed as to preserve normal shape, and it failed to bear the substandard legend.

DISPOSITION: February 23, 1949. Apple Growers Assoc., Inc., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and it was ordered that the product be released under bond to be relabeled, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

14426. Misbranding of canned pears. U. S. v. 264 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25733. Sample No. 48970-K.)

LIBEL FILED: November 3, 1948, District of Colorado.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 3, 1948, by the Apple Growers Assoc., Inc., from Hood River, Oreg.

PRODUCT: 264 cases of canned pears at Denver, Colo.