

NATURE OF CHARGE: Mishbranding, Section 403 (g) (1), the product failed to conform to the definition and standard of identity for peach preserves since its soluble-solids content was less than 65 percent.

DISPOSITION: July 22, 1948. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of \$200 on each of two counts.

### VEGETABLES AND VEGETABLE PRODUCTS

14624. Adulteration of canned Mexican Style beans. U. S. v. 10 Cases \* \* \* (and 1 other seizure action). (F. D. C. Nos. 24415, 24416. Sample Nos. 26147-K, 26149-K, 26151-K.)

LIBELS FILED: On or about January 26, 1948, Western District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 28, 1947, by Stokely-Van Camp, Inc., from Indianapolis, Ind.

PRODUCT: 125 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 4-ounce cans, of Mexican Style beans at Lebanon and Springfield, Mo.

LABEL, IN PART: "Van Camp's Mexican Style Beans In Chili Gravy."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (1), the product contained burrs, an added deleterious substance, which might have rendered the product injurious to health.

DISPOSITION: On or about March 31, 1948. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.

14625. Adulteration of canned pork and beans. U. S. v. 57 Cases \* \* \* (F. D. C. No. 24609. Sample No. 18240-K.)

LIBEL FILED: April 20, 1948, Northern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 21, 1947, by the Morgan Packing Co., from Austin, Ind.

PRODUCT: 57 cases, each containing 12 3-pound, 4-ounce cans, of pork and beans at Massillon, Ohio.

LABEL, IN PART: "Jackson Brand Pork and Beans With Tomato Sauce."

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 tomato material.

DISPOSITION: May 19, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

14626. Adulteration of celery. U. S. v. 301 Crates \* \* \* (F. D. C. No. 26525. Sample Nos. 49901-K, 49904-K to 49906-K, incl., 49911-K.)

LIBEL FILED: February 11, 1949, District of Colorado.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 17, 1949, by John C. Maurer & Sons, from Stockton, Calif.

PRODUCT: 301 crates, each containing approximately 3 dozen boxes, of celery at Denver, Colo.

LABEL, IN PART: "Maurer's Non Pareil Red Lion King of Them All."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product was unfit for food by reason of its discoloration, pithiness, and softening, due to freezing.

DISPOSITION: February 21, 1949. The Mile High Vegetable Distributors, Denver, Colo., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and it was ordered that the product be released under