

15530. Adulteration of crab meat. U. S. v. 83 Cans, etc. (F. D. C. No. 27800. Sample No. 47911-K.)

LIBEL FILED: August 29, 1949, District of Columbia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 23, 1949, by Lancaster Seafoods, Inc., from Morattico, Va.

PRODUCT: 226 1-pound cans of crab meat at Washington, D. C.

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

DISPOSITION: September 23, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to the National Zoological Park for use by that institution, but not for sale.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

DRIED FRUIT

15531. Adulteration of apple chops. U. S. v. 200 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28395. Sample No. 55688-K.)

LIBEL FILED: November 29, 1949, Western District of Oklahoma.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 30, 1949, from Sebastopol, Calif.

PRODUCT: 200 40-pound bags of apple chops at Oklahoma City, Okla.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: December 5, 1949. The sole intervener having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be destroyed.

FROZEN FRUIT

15532. Adulteration of frozen raspberries. U. S. v. 200 Cans * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27905. Sample No. 52017-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 10, 1949, Northern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 3, 1949, by the Sodus Fruit Exchange, from Sodus, Mich.

PRODUCT: 200 28-pound cans of frozen raspberries at Cleveland, Ohio.

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

DISPOSITION: November 7, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

15533. Adulteration of frozen strawberries. U. S. v. 111 Cans * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27881. Sample No. 13639-K.)

LIBEL FILED: September 27, 1949, Middle District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 30, 1949, by Fruit Processors, Inc., from St. Joseph, Mich.

PRODUCT: 111 30-pound cans of frozen strawberries at Harrisburg, Pa.

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

DISPOSITION: December 12, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

VEGETABLES

15534. Adulteration and misbranding of canned corn. U. S. v. 7 Cases * * *.
(F. D. C. No. 28064. Sample No. 52914-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 19, 1949, Eastern District of Kentucky.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 8, 1949, by the Tom Corwin Canning Co., from Lebanon, Ohio.

PRODUCT: 7 cases, each containing 6 6-pound, 10-ounce cans, of corn at Lancaster, Ky.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Red Rose Cream Style Golden Sweet Corn."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

Misbranding, Section 403 (g) (1), the product failed to conform to the standard of identity of canned cream style corn since it had not been processed by heat so as to prevent spoilage.

DISPOSITION: December 12, 1949. Default decree of destruction.

15535. Adulteration of Mexicorn (canned corn and peppers). U. S. v. 78 Cases * * *.
(F. D. C. No. 27937. Sample No. 53596-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 21, 1949, Southern District of Texas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 7, 1949, by the Minnesota Valley Canning Co., from Blue Earth, Minn.

PRODUCT: 78 cases, each containing 24 12-ounce cans, of Mexicorn at Houston, Tex.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Niblets Brand Mexicorn Whole Kernel Corn Sweet Red and Green Peppers."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance. (Examination showed that the product was decomposed.)

DISPOSITION: November 25, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

15536. Adulteration of canned black-eyed peas. U. S. v. 254 Cases * * *.
(F. D. C. No. 27892. Sample No. 63767-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 4, 1949, Middle District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 7, 1948, from Hohenwald, Tenn.

PRODUCT: 254 cases, each containing 24 15-ounce cans, of black-eyed peas at Albany, Ga.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: November 14, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.