

and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: December 12, 1949. Pleas of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$250 against the association and a fine of \$100 against the individual.

15673. Misbranding of canned butter and canned dehydrated eggs. U. S. v. 5 Cartons, etc. (F. D. C. No. 27319. Sample Nos. 3890-K, 3891-K.)

LIBEL FILED: June 9, 1949, District of Columbia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 15, 1948, and May 3, 1949, by the Coburn Farm Products Corp., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 5 cartons, each containing 24 cans, of butter, and 5 cartons, each containing 24 cans, of dehydrated whole eggs, at Washington, D. C.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "1 Pound Net Wt. Sondra Creamery Butter" and "Sondra Brand Dehydrated Whole Eggs * * * Contents 8 Oz."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (2), the articles failed to bear labels containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents. (The articles were short of the declared weight.)

DISPOSITION: March 1, 1950. The Coburn Farm Products Corp. having appeared as claimant and later withdrawn its claims, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the dehydrated eggs be delivered to the Food and Drug Administration for the purpose of examination and that the butter be delivered to a local hospital for its use and not for sale.

15674. Adulteration of canned imitation butter. U. S. v. 184 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27755. Sample No. 36868-K.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about September 21, 1949, Western District of Washington.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 30, 1948, by the Aleutco Corp., from Adak, Alaska.

PRODUCT: 184 cases, each containing 8 6-pound, 9-ounce cans, or 6-pound, 4-ounce cans, of imitation butter at Tacoma, Wash.

LABEL, IN PART: "Preserved Butter Army Spread [or "Carter's Spread"] For Export Only Not to be resold."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), (Carter's Spread) the product was unfit for food by reason of its rancidity; and, Section 402 (b) (2), (Army Spread) a product resembling a soft cheese spread and containing less than 80 percent of milk fat had been substituted in whole or in part for butter, which the product purported to be.

DISPOSITION: December 15, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and forfeiture. The product was destroyed.

CHEESE

15675. Adulteration of Formaggio cheese. U. S. v. Italian Cheese Mfg. Co. and Joseph P. Tito. Pleas of nolo contendere. Each defendant fined \$100. (F. D. C. No. 27537. Sample Nos. 11947-K, 11948-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: October 14, 1949, Eastern District of Pennsylvania, against the Italian Cheese Mfg. Co., a partnership, Bath, Pa., and Joseph P. Tito, a partner.