

DAIRY PRODUCTS**BUTTER**

The following cases report actions involving butter that consisted in whole or in part of filthy or decomposed substances, Nos. 15818 to 15820, and that was below the legal standard for milk fat content, Nos. 15820 and 15821.

15818. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 10 Boxes (320 pounds) * * *.
(F. D. C. No. 28332. Sample No. 52235-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 4, 1949, Southern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 19, 1949, by Young & Staut, from Clarksburg, W. Va.

PRODUCT: 10 32-pound boxes of butter at Cincinnati, Ohio.

LABEL, IN PART: "Meadow Gold Butter * * * Distributed by Beatrice Foods Co. General Offices—Chicago, Illinois."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of fragments of insects, fragments of flies, and rodent hair fragments.

DISPOSITION: December 21, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be denatured under the supervision of the United States marshal and that it be disposed of for purposes other than for human consumption.

15819. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 6 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28334. Sample No. 62672-K.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about October 20, 1949, District of Rhode Island.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 17, 1949, by the Cudahy Packing Co., from Winfield, Iowa.

PRODUCT: 6 cases, each containing 32 1-pound prints, of butter at Providence, R. I.

LABEL, IN PART: "Daisy Maid Brand Creamery Butter."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance. (Analysis disclosed that the product contained insect fragments, fly eggs, setae, moth scales, mites, feather barbules, and rodent hair fragments.)

DISPOSITION: November 30, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

15820. Adulteration and misbranding of butter. U. S. v. 216 Boxes (13,824 pounds) * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28555. Sample No. 64069-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 28, 1949, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 7, 1949, by Linton Creamery Co., Inc., from Linton, N. Dak.

PRODUCT: 216 boxes, each containing 64 pounds, of butter at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Butter Manufactured from Pasteurized Cream Beaver Valley Brand."

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