

LABEL, IN PART: "Butterfield Brand Tomato Puree."

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 tomato material.

DISPOSITION: June 9, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

MEAT AND POULTRY

16343. Adulteration of dressed rabbits. U. S. v. Robert Mead. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$25. (F. D. C. No. 29154. Sample No. 7396-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: April 27, 1950, Western District of Missouri, against Robert Mead, Bolivar, Mo.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 20, 1949, from the State of Missouri into the State of New York.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of contamination with feces.

DISPOSITION: June 5, 1950. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$25.

16344. Adulteration of dressed rabbits. U. S. v. Schumacher Commission Co. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$250. (F. D. C. No. 29173. Sample No. 16310-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: May 31, 1950, Eastern District of Missouri, against the Schumacher Commission Co., a partnership, St. Louis, Mo.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 9, 1950, from the State of Missouri into the State of Michigan.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of fecal matter, and of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence in the food of decomposed rabbits.

DISPOSITION: June 23, 1950. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court fined the defendant \$250.

16345. Adulteration of dressed turkeys. U. S. v. Wisconsin Turkey Marketing Cooperative, a corporation, and Wallace H. Jerome. Pleas of nolo contendere. Each defendant fined \$200. (F. D. C. No. 29144. Sample No. 8656-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: April 20, 1950, Western District of Wisconsin, against the Wisconsin Turkey Marketing Cooperative, Barron, Wis., and Wallace H. Jerome, director.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 7, 1949, from the State of Wisconsin into the State of New York.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in part the product of a diseased animal.

DISPOSITION: May 16, 1950. Pleas of nolo contendere having been entered, the court fined each defendant \$200.

SPICES, FLAVORS, AND SEASONING MATERIALS

16346. Adulteration of poppy seed. U. S. v. 4 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28817. Sample No. 48879-K.)

LIBEL FILED: January 26, 1950, Middle District of Pennsylvania.