

PRODUCT: 45 cases, each containing 30 1-pound prints, of butter at Portland, Oreg.

LABEL, IN PART: (Case) "Nampa Creamery Nampa, Idaho"; (Print) "Fred Meyer Fifth Avenue Butter."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: June 22, 1950. The Nampa Creamery Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for reworking, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

CHEESE

16473. Adulteration of Cheddar cheese. U. S. v. Northern Colorado Dairy Co. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$500. (F. D. C. No. 29420. Sample Nos. 49818-K, 49856-K, 49857-K, 49859-K, 49860-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: June 12, 1950, District of Colorado, against the Northern Colorado Dairy Co., Fort Morgan, Colo.

ALLEGED VIOLATION: On or about March 15, 1944, the defendant gave to a firm engaged in the business of shipping cheese in interstate commerce, at Denver, Colo., a guaranty to the effect that all food products shipped or delivered to the holder of the guaranty would be neither adulterated nor misbranded under the provisions of the law; and, between the approximate dates of July 19 and September 20, 1949, the defendant delivered under the guaranty, at Denver, Colo., quantities of Cheddar cheese that were adulterated.

LABEL, IN PART: "Cheddar Cheese Cloverbloom."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect fragments and feather barbules, and by reason of the use of filth-contaminated milk in the preparation of the article.

DISPOSITION: July 6, 1950. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$500.

FEEDS AND GRAINS

16474. Adulteration and misbranding of alfalfa meal. U. S. v. Bremco Alfalfa Mills, Inc., and Arnold H. Poppe. Pleas of guilty. Corporation fined \$400, plus costs; individual defendant fined \$400. Payment of latter fine suspended. (F. D. C. No. 29179. Sample Nos. 52890-K, 72073-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: May 31, 1950, Northern District of Ohio, against Bremco Alfalfa Mills, Inc., New Bremen, Ohio, and Arnold H. Poppe, president.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 31 and October 26, 1949, from the State of Ohio into the States of Kentucky and Indiana.

LABEL, IN PART: "Bremco 20% Dehydrated Alfalfa Meal * * * Guaranteed Analysis Crude protein, not less than ---- 20.0% * * * Crude Fiber, not more than ---- 22.0%" and "Bremco Alfalfa Meal Protein, not less than ---- 13.0%."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Bremco 20% Dehydrated Alfalfa Meal. Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing less than 20 percent of crude protein and more than 22 percent of crude fiber had been substituted for alfalfa meal