

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance, and it was made from decomposed cream.

**DISPOSITION:** October 21, 1953. The Sugar Creek Creamery Co., Danville, Ill., 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 conversion into butter oil, under the supervision of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

**21070. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 16 Boxes (1,024 pounds) \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 35844. Sample No. 66069-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** September 16, 1953, Northern District of Illinois.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about September 3, 1953, by the Adrian Cooperative Creamery, from Adrian, Minn.

**PRODUCT:** 16 64-pound cases of butter at Chicago, Ill.

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance, and it was made in part from filthy cream.

**DISPOSITION:** November 23, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

#### CHEESE

**21071. Adulteration of provolone cheese. U. S. v. 32 Pieces \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 36289. Sample No. 82456-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** January 14, 1954, Western District of New York.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about March 31, 1953, from Mayville, Wis.

**PRODUCT:** 32 9-pound pieces of provolone cheese at Buffalo, N. Y.

**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 insect-infested cheese, and of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed cheese. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

**DISPOSITION:** February 26, 1954. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

#### FISH AND SHELLFISH

**21072. Adulteration of canned sardines. U. S. v. 11 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 36263. Sample No. 15050-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** December 23, 1953, District of Kansas.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about July 17, 1953, from Gloucester, Mass.

**PRODUCT:** 11 cases, each containing 48 cans, of sardines in tomato sauce, and 32 cases, each containing 48 cans, of sardines in mustard sauce at Arma, Kans.

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

**DISPOSITION:** February 27, 1954. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

**21073. Adulteration of crabmeat. U. S. v. 1 Barrel \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 35877. Sample No. 59933-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** November 12, 1953, Southern District of New York.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about October 31, 1953, by F. H. Hartman & Co., from Tampa, Fla.

**PRODUCT:** 1 barrel containing approximately 82 1-pound cans of crabmeat at New York, N. Y.

**LABEL, IN PART:** (Can) "F. H. Hartman & Co. \* \* \* All Lump Crabmeat \* \* \* Tampa, Fla."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (4), the article had been prepared, packed, and held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

**DISPOSITION:** December 9, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

**21074. Adulteration of oysters. U. S. v. 624 Cans \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 36270. Sample No. 75245-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** December 28, 1953, Southern District of Indiana.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about December 21, 1953, by Seacoast Oyster Co., Inc., from Baltimore, Md.

**PRODUCT:** 624 1-pint cans of oysters at Greensburg, Ind.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Oysters Standards Pride of Chesapeake Bay."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), water had been substituted in part for oysters; and, Section 402 (b) (4), water had been added to the oysters and mixed and packed with them so as to increase their bulk or weight and reduce their quality.

**DISPOSITION:** January 6, 1954. The shipper of the product having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of forfeiture was entered and the court ordered that the product be delivered to charitable institutions.

**21075. Adulteration of canned shrimp. U. S. v. 195 Cases \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 36243. Sample No. 47860-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** December 8, 1953, Eastern District of Louisiana.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about October 14, 1953, by the Barre Seafood Co., from Houma, La., to Ponce, P. R., and from there returned to Chauvin, La.

**PRODUCT:** 195 cases, each containing 24 cans, of shrimp at Chauvin, La.

**LABEL, IN PART:** (Can) "Sea Fare Brand Small Shrimp Wt. Pack Drained Weight 5 Ozs."

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

**DISPOSITION:** February 4, 1954. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.