

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in whole or in part the product of poultry that was diseased at the time of slaughter.

Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (1), the article was in package form and failed to bear a label containing the name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor; Section 403 (e) (2), it failed to bear an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents in terms of weight; and, Section 403 (i) (1), its label failed to bear the common or usual name of the food.

DISPOSITION: June 13, 1944. A plea of guilty having been entered by the defendant, a fine of \$50 on each of 4 counts, a total of \$200 and costs, was imposed.

6184. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. Sunflower Poultry & Egg Co. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$250. (F. D. C. No. 11388. Sample No. 46500-F.)

INFORMATION FILED: On April 3, 1944, in the District of Kansas, against the Sunflower Poultry & Egg Co., a corporation, McPherson, Kans.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 1, 1943, from the State of Kansas into the State of Illinois.

LABEL, IN PART: (Portion of product) "Lady Aster Finer Quality Poultry J. Manaster Company Chicago, Ill."

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance; and, Section 402 (a) (5), it was in whole or in part the product of poultry that was diseased at the time of slaughter.

DISPOSITION: September 11, 1944. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, a fine of \$250 was imposed.

6185. Adulteration of poultry. U. S. v. F. M. Stamper Co., a corporation. Plea of nolo contendere. Total fine, \$300. (F. D. C. No. 10572. Sample Nos. 22022-F, 22024-F to 22026-F, incl.)

INFORMATION FILED: On September 24, 1943, in the Eastern District of Missouri, against the F. M. Stamper Co., a corporation, St. Louis, Mo.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: From on or about August 10 and September 13, 1942, from the State of Missouri into the State of Pennsylvania.

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance; and, Section 402 (a) (5), it was in whole or in part the product of diseased animals.

DISPOSITION: June 5, 1944. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, a fine of \$100 on each of 3 counts was imposed.

SPICES AND FLAVORS*

6186. Adulteration of coriander seed. U. S. v. 18 Bags of Coriander Seed. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 12057. Sample Nos. 64845-F, 64853-F.)

LABEL FILED: March 30, 1944, Western District of Washington.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 6, 1943, by Herbert Hahn, from Blackfoot, Idaho.

PRODUCT: Coriander seed, 18 bags, each containing 50 pounds, at Seattle, Wash.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent pellets and insects.

DISPOSITION: September 16, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

6187. Adulteration of fennel seed. U. S. v. 9 Bags of Fennel Seed. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 12008. Sample Nos. 70772-F, 70773-F.)

LABEL FILED: March 27, 1944, Western District of Washington.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 6, 1941, by Levy & Levis Co., Inc., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 9 bags, each containing about 150 pounds, of fennel seed at Seattle, Wash.

*See also Nos. 6004, 6174.