

entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be cleaned and brought into compliance with the law under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

6602. Misbranding of coffee. U. S. v. Theodore Manos (Overland Coffee Company). Plea of guilty. Fine, \$100. (F. D. C. No. 10535. Sample No. 31922-F.)

INFORMATION FILED: On September 3, 1943, in the Southern District of Ohio, against Theodore Manos, trading as the Overland Coffee Co., Columbus, Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 15, 1942, from the State of Ohio into the State of Kentucky.

LABEL, IN PART: "Special Blend. Overland Coffee Co."

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the statements "Special Blend," and "Overland Coffee Co.," borne on the bags containing the article, were misleading in that they represented and suggested that the article consisted of a special blend of coffee, whereas it consisted of a mixture of coffee and chicory; Section 403 (b), the article was offered for sale under the name of another food, "Blend Coffee"; Section 403 (e) (2), it was in package form and the packages bore no statement of the quantity of the contents; and, Section 403 (i) (2), it was fabricated from two or more ingredients and its label did not bear the common or usual name of each such ingredient.

DISPOSITION: April 10, 1944. The defendant having entered a plea of guilty, a fine of \$100 was imposed.

6603. Adulteration and misbranding of canned orange juice. U. S. v. 12 Cases and 24 Cases of Canned Orange Juice. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 12945. Sample Nos. 63429-F, 63449-F.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about July 15, 1944, Northern District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 11, 1944, by the Domino Canning Association, from Bradenton, Fla.

PRODUCT: 12 cases, each containing 24 cans, and 24 cases, each containing 12 cans, of orange juice at Atlanta, Ga.

LABEL, IN PART: (Cans) "Domino Brand Fancy Grade 'A' Florida Orange Juice."

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of decomposed fruit material, maggots, fly eggs, and insects; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the statements on the label of the article, "Fancy Grade 'A' * * * carefully extracted from prime selected tree-ripened oranges * * * Especially recommended for infants and invalids," were false and misleading as applied to a filthy product, prepared under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: September 18, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

6604. Adulteration of V-8 Cocktail Vegetable Juices. U. S. v. 400 Cases of Cocktail Vegetable Juices. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 11947. Sample No. 62790-F.)

LIBEL FILED: March 1, 1944, Eastern District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between August and September, 1943, by Standard Brands, Inc., (Loudon Division), from Terre Haute, Ind.

PRODUCT: 400 cases, each containing 12 1-quart, 14 fluid ounce cans, of cocktail vegetable juices at St. Louis, Mo.

Examination showed that the article was fermented and decomposed.

LABEL, IN PART: "V-8 Cocktail Vegetable Juices."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

DISPOSITION: April 3, 1944. Standard Brands, Inc., New York, N. Y., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. The unfit portion was segregated and destroyed.