

**7204. Misbranding of Effect-O (beverage stabilizer). U. S. v. 6 Bottles and 3 Cases of Effect-O. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.** (F. D. C. Nos. 13828, 14333. Sample Nos. 63916-F, 63927-F.)

**LIBELS FILED:** September 27 and October 31, 1944, Southern District of Florida.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about June 26 and August 20, 1944, by the Chandler Laboratories, from Philadelphia, Pa.

**PRODUCT:** 6 bottles and 3 cases, each containing 4 bottles, of Effect-O, at Jacksonville, Fla.

**LABEL, IN PART:** (Bottles) "Effect-O Contents One Gallon \* \* \* Ingredients: Acetic Derivatives, Food Acids and esters and ethers of Monochloroacetic acid."

**VIOLATION CHARGED:** Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the labeling was misleading in the particular that the statements, "The Perfect Stabilizer For All Beverages Eliminates the use of Preservatives Use ½ Oz. to Each Gallon of Bottling Syrup," created the impression that the article was wholesome and suitable for use as a component of all beverages used by man, whereas the labeling failed to reveal the material fact, in the light of such representations, that monochloroacetic acid is a poisonous and deleterious substance, causing the article itself to be a poisonous and deleterious substance, and rendering it unwholesome and unsuitable for use as a component of beverages used by man.

**DISPOSITION:** December 12, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

**7205. Adulteration of canned orange juice. U. S. v. 203 Cases of Canned Orange Juice. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.** (F. D. C. No. 13769. Sample No. 88201-F.)

**LIBEL FILED:** September 8, 1944, District of Massachusetts.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about May 13 and July 10, 1944, by the Desoto Canning Co., from Arcadia, Fla.

**PRODUCT:** 203 cases, each containing 24 1-pint, 2 fluid ounce cans, of orange juice at Springfield, Mass.

**LABEL, IN PART:** (Cans) "Moonkist Unsweetened Orange Juice."

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

**DISPOSITION:** October 23, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

**7206. Adulteration of vermouth. U. S. v. 14 Cases of Vermouth. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.** (F. D. C. No. 13193. Sample No. 26699-F.)

**LIBEL FILED:** August 8, 1944, District of Nevada.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about May 26, 1944, by W. J. Mulligan and Co., from San Francisco, Calif.

**PRODUCT:** 14 cases, each containing 12 1-quart bottles, of vermouth, at Reno, Nev.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Argentine Vermouth Globo."

**VIOLATION CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (1), the article contained an added deleterious substance, splinters of glass, which may have rendered it injurious to health.

**DISPOSITION:** August 19, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

## DAIRY PRODUCTS

### BUTTER

The following cases report actions involving butter that was contaminated with mold and, in one case, insect fragments and cat hair fragments, Nos. 7207 to 7219; below the legal standard for milk fat content, Nos. 7220 to 7241; and short weight, Nos. 7239 to 7241.