

9475. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 4 Cases of Butter. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered sold for fat salvage. (F. D. C. No. 18318. Sample No. 14009-H.)

LIBEL FILED: September 10, 1945, Eastern District of Kentucky.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 4, 1945, by the Beatrice Creamery Co., from Cincinnati, Ohio.

PRODUCT: 4 cases, each containing 32 pounds, of butter at Maysville, Ky. Analysis showed that the product contained mold.

LABEL, IN PART: "Meadow Gold Butter."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy or decomposed animal substance.

DISPOSITION: October 2, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered sold for purposes other than for human consumption.

9476. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 220 60-Pound Cartons of Butter. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 19180. Sample No. 4891-H.)

LIBEL FILED: December 21, 1945, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 12, 1945, by the South Mountain Dairies, Inc., from Middletown, Md.

PRODUCT: 220 60-pound cartons of butter at Philadelphia, Pa. Examination disclosed that portions of the product were deficient in milk fat, and that some portions were contaminated with mold.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3) and (b) (2); the article was in whole or in part deficient in milk fat, and it was in whole or in part contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: January 22, 1946. The South Mountain Dairies, Inc., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that the portion containing mold be converted into butter oil, and that the portion which was deficient in milk fat only be reworked. It was ordered that the Federal Security Agency supervise the carrying out of the conditions of the bond.

9477. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 10 Cases and 4 Cartons (448 pounds) of Butter. Default decrees of condemnation. Product ordered delivered to charitable institutions. (F. D. C. Nos. 18319, 19428. Sample Nos. 14018-H, 41733-H.)

LIBELS FILED: September 21, 1945, and January 29, 1946, Southern District of West Virginia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 12, 1945, and January 21, 1946, by the Blue Valley Creamery, from Columbus, Ohio.

PRODUCT: 14 32-pound containers of butter at Huntington, W. Va. Analysis showed that a portion of the product contained mold, and that the remainder was short in milk fat.

LABEL, IN PART: "Blue Valley Butter."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), a portion of the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy or decomposed substance; and, Section 402 (b) (2), the remainder of the product contained less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat and had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: October 20, 1945, and March 18, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered delivered to the Salvation Army, conditioned that the portion which was filthy and decomposed should not be used for human consumption but be disposed of as salvage fat.

9478. Adulteration and misbranding of butter. U. S. v. Sego Milk Products Co. (Western Creamery Co. Division). Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$150. (F. D. C. No. 18605. Sample Nos. 25450-H, 25481-H, 25546-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: March 28, 1946, District of Idaho, against the Sego Milk Products Co., a corporation trading as the Western Creamery Co. Division, at Grace, Idaho.