

10611. Adulteration of salted anchovies. U. S. v. 99 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 17701. Sample No. 29918-H.)

LABEL FILED: September 28, 1945, District of Hawaii.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 5, 1945, by Ziel & Co., from San Francisco, Calif.

PRODUCT: 99 cases, each containing 24 16-ounce jars, of salted anchovies at Honolulu, T. H.

LABEL, IN PART: "Estancia Brand Anchovy Salt and Fish."

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

DISPOSITION: October 14, 1946. Rafael Yngojo, San Francisco, Calif., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that it be disposed of in compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. The product was converted into stock feed.

10612. Adulteration and misbranding of canned minced clams. U. S. v. 1,500 Cases * * * (and 6 other seizure actions). (F. D. C. Nos. 19740, 19849, 19850, 20010 to 20012, incl., 20045, 20327. Sample Nos. 27190-H, 44573-H, 44574-H, 45592-H, 56674-H, 59257-H, 59258-H, 59322-H.)

LABELS FILED: Between May 2 and June 18, 1946, District of Massachusetts, Western District of Washington, Northern and Southern Districts of California, District of Wyoming, and District of Oregon.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of February 21 and April 17, 1946, by the Plymouth Packing Co., from Plymouth, Mass.

PRODUCT: Minced clams. 1,500 cases at Plymouth, Mass., 230 cases at Seattle, Wash., 2,000 cases and 133 cases at San Francisco and Los Angeles, Calif., respectively, 215 cases at Cheyenne, Wyo., and 288 cases at Portland, Oreg. Each case contained 48 cans. Examination showed that the drained weight was less than declared on the label. The lot at Plymouth was recalled by the shipper before it had reached the interstate consignee.

LABEL, IN PART: "Point Judith Minced Clams * * * Contents 10½ Oz. Drained Weight 5 Oz."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), diluted clam juice had been substituted in part for minced clams.

Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (2), the article failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents.

DISPOSITION: Between the dates of September 11 and October 14, 1946. The Plymouth Packing Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of decrees, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that it be relabeled in compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

. FRUITS AND VEGETABLES*

CANNED FRUIT

10613. Adulteration and misbranding of canned apples. U. S. v. 2,772 Cases * * * (and 1 other seizure action). (F. D. C. Nos. 20097 to 20101, incl., 20827. Sample Nos. 45581-H, 45802-H, 49811-H.)

LABELS FILED: June 19 and August 29, 1946, Northern District of California and Eastern District of Louisiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 29 and 31, 1945, by A. H. Renehan and Son, from Sykesville, Md.

PRODUCT: 2,772 cases at San Francisco, Calif., and 1,687 cases at New Orleans, La. Each case contained 6 6-pound, 8-ounce cans, of apples. Examination showed that the product had undergone chemical decomposition, and that the New Orleans lot also contained added and undeclared sulfur dioxide.

LABEL, IN PART: "Patapsco Brand Apples."

*See also Nos. 10501-10510.