Disposition: February 21, 1947. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

11283. Adulteration and misbranding of oil. U. S. v. 6 Drums and 11 Cases \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 20246. Sample No. 65204-H.)

LIBEL FILED: June 11, 1946, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 1, 1946, from Hammonton, N. J., by an unknown party.

PRODUCT: 6 55-gallon drums and 11 cases, each case containing 6 1-gallon cans, of mineral oil at Philadelphia, Pa. This product had been represented to the consignee at Philadelphia, Pa., as edible vegetable oil.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a substance, artificially colored mineral oil, had been substituted for edible vegetable oil, which the article was represented to be.

Misbranding, Section 403 (b), the article was offered for sale under the name

of another food, i. e., edible vegetable oil.

Disposition: September 26, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

11284. Misbranding of edible oil. U. S. v. 99 Cans \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 19973. Sample Nos. 63407-H, 63411-H.)

LIBEL FILED: May 29, 1946, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 1, 1946, by the Paladino Oil Co., from Brooklyn, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 99 5-gallon cans of edible oil at Newark, N. J. The product consisted of artificially flavored and colored soy bean oil in unlabeled cans.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (1), the product 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 a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents; and, Section 403 (k), it contained artificial flavoring and artificial coloring and failed to bear labeling stating that fact.

DISPOSITION: June 18, 1946. Joseph Bass, Newark, N. J., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be relabeled under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

## SPICES, FLAVORS, AND SEASONING MATERIALS\*

11285. Adulteration of ground mustard. U. S. v. 14 Barrels \* \* \*. (F. D. C No. 19885. Sample No. 63351-H.)

LIBEL FILED: May 9, 1946, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of May 17, 1945, and March 21, 1946, by Atlantis Sales Corp., from Rochester, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 14 200-pound barrels of ground mustard at Newark, N. J.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of beetles and insect parts.

Disposition: July 8, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

11286. Adulteration of imitation pepper and dry red pepper. U. S. v. 145 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 19972. Sample Nos. 63352-H, 63356-H.)

LIBEL FILED: May 29, 1946, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 1, 1946, from Cleveland, Ohio.

PRODUCT: 145 bags, each containing 100 pounds, of imitation pepper and 35 bags, each containing approximately 150 pounds, of dry red pepper at Newark, N. J., in possession of the J. R. Watkins Co.

The products were stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Live weevils were noted on the bags of imitation pepper, and rodent excreta, urine stains, and weevils were noted on the bags of dry red pepper. Examination

<sup>\*</sup>See also Nos. 11107, 11150,