LIBEL FILED: September 23, 1946, District of Maryland.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 6, 1946, by the Richmond-Chase Co., from Alameda, Calif.

PRODUCT: 223 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 14-ounce cans, of apricots at Baltimore, Md.

LABEL, IN PART: "Heart's Delight Whole Unpeeled Apricots In Heavy Syrup."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (g) (2), the article was a food for which a definition and standard of identity has been prescribed by regulations, and its label failed to bear, as required by the regulations, the name of the optional packing medium present. The label bore the statement "In Heavy Syrup," whereas the article was packed in sirup designated as "Light Sirup" in the definition and standard.

Disposition: November 29, 1946. The Richmond-Chase Co., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that it be relabeled under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

11624. Misbranding of canned apricots. U. S. v. 426 Cases \* \* \* (F. D. C. No. 21048. Sample No. 45639-H.)

LIBEL FILED: September 30, 1946, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 30, 1946, by the Fruitvale Canning Co., from Oakland, Calif.

PRODUCT: 426 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 14-ounce cans, of apricots at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Krasdale Whole Unpeeled Apricots In Heavy Syrup

\* \* \* Krasdale Foods, Inc. New York, N. Y. Distributors."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (g) (2), the article failed to conform to the definition and standard of identity for canned apricots since its label failed to bear, as required, the name of the optional packing medium present. The label bore the statement "In Heavy Syrup," whereas the article was packed in sirup designated as "Light Sirup" in the definition and standard.

Disposition: December 6, 1946. Krasdale Foods, Inc., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that it be relabeled in compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

11625. Adulteration of canned strained peaches. U. S. v. 40 Cases of Strained Baby Food. (F. D. C. No. 20812. Sample No. 53050-H.)

LIBEL FILED: August 27, 1946, Northern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 2, 1946, by American Home Foods, Inc., from Rochester, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 40 cases, each containing 72 4½-ounce cans, of strained peaches at Canton, Ohio.

LABEL, IN PART: "Clapp's Strained Baby Foods Strained Peaches Slightly Sweetened with Sugar."

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

DISPOSITION: October 1, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

11626. Misbranding of canned peaches. U. S. v. 87 Cases \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 21046. Sample No. 43049-H.)

LIBEL FILED: September 25, 1946, District of Columbia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 22, 1946, by the Woodstock Canning Co., from Woodstock, Va.

PRODUCT: 87 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 12-ounce cans, of peaches at Washington, D. C.

LABEL, IN PART: "Shenandoah Queen Brand Halves White Freestone Peaches In Light Syrup."