

12402. Adulteration and misbranding of grape juice. U. S. v. 70 Cases, etc.
(F. D. C. No. 23496. Sample No. 87778-H.)

LABEL FILED: July 10, 1947, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 11, 1947, by Aunt Lil's Food Products, Inc., from Utica, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 20 1-quart bottles and 70 cases, each case containing 24 1-pint bottles, of grape juice at Jersey City, N. J. Examination showed that the product contained added water and was short-volume.

LABEL, IN PART: "Grape Valley Pasteurized Concord Grape Juice Sugar Added Contents One Pint [or "Contents One Quart"]."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), water had been substituted in part for grape juice; and, Section 402 (b) (4), water had been added to the product and mixed and packed with it so as to increase its bulk and reduce its quality and strength.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statement "Concord Grape Juice Sugar Added" was false and misleading as applied to the article, which contained added water; Section 403 (e) (2), the article failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents; and, Section 403 (i) (2), it was fabricated from two or more ingredients and its label failed to bear the common or usual name of each ingredient, since water was not declared.

DISPOSITION: September 8, 1947. Default decree of condemnation. The product was ordered delivered to charitable organizations.

12403. Adulteration of canned orange juice and orange and grapefruit juice. U. S. v. DeSoto Canning Co. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$500.
(F. D. C. No. 24048. Sample Nos. 68483-H, 68484-H, 68488-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: December 3, 1947, Southern District of Florida, against the DeSoto Canning Co., a corporation, Arcadia, Fla.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 15, 1947, from the State of Florida into the State of Missouri.

LABEL, IN PART: "Pony Express * * * Orange and Grapefruit [or "Orange"] Juice—The Dolan Mercantile Co. Distributors, St. Joseph, Mo."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of fly eggs, maggots, and fruit flies.

DISPOSITION: December 16, 1947. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered on behalf of the defendant, a fine of \$500 was imposed.

12404. Adulteration of canned orange and grapefruit juice. U. S. v. Sasson-King, Ltd. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$500. (F. D. C. No. 23622. Sample Nos. 87612-H, 91374-H, 91385-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: November 24, 1947, Southern District of Florida, against Sasson-King, Ltd., a partnership, Lakeland, Fla.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 14 and 23, 1947, from the State of Florida into the States of Connecticut and New York.

LABEL, IN PART: "Lady Jean [or "Golden Harvest"] Blended Orange and Grapefruit Juice."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of fly eggs and maggots.

DISPOSITION: December 16, 1947. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, a fine of \$500 was imposed.

12405. Misbranding of canned orange juice. U. S. v. 54 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21369. Sample No. 40918-H.)

LABEL FILED: October 29, 1946, Eastern District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 6, 1946, by the William P. McDonald Corp., from Auburndale, Fla.

PRODUCT: 54 cases, each containing 24 1-pint, 2-fluid-ounce cans, of orange juice at St. Louis, Mo.

LABEL, IN PART: "Tom-Boy 'flavor plus' Unsweetened Orange Juice From Sunny California."