

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about August 6, 1947, by Golden Gate Foods, Inc., from Berkeley, Calif.

**PRODUCT:** 198 cases, each containing 24 1-pound jars, of strawberry preserves at Buffalo, N. Y.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Granger's Strawberry Preserves."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed strawberry material.

**DISPOSITION:** December 23, 1947. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

**12715. Adulteration of strawberry preserves. U. S. v. 196 Cases \* \* \*.**  
(F. D. C. No. 23784. Sample No. 6003-K.)

**LIBEL FILED:** October 1, 1947, Western District of Pennsylvania.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about July 15, 1947, by the Red Wing Company, Inc., Fredonia, N. Y.

**PRODUCT:** 196 cases, each containing 24 1-pound jars, of strawberry preserves at Pittsburgh, Pa.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Red Wing Pure Strawberry Preserves."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed strawberry material.

**DISPOSITION:** January 26, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

#### VEGETABLES AND VEGETABLE PRODUCTS\*

**12716. Adulteration of canned Mexican Style beans. U. S. v. Ladoga Canning Co. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$500, plus costs. (F. D. C. No. 23592. Sample Nos. 41074-H, 86636-H.)**

**INFORMATION FILED:** October 21, 1947, Eastern District of Illinois, against the Ladoga Canning Co., a corporation, Mound City, Ill.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about November 25 and December 5, 1946, from the State of Illinois into the States of Arkansas and Tennessee.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Boone County Brand Mexican Style Beans In Chili Gravy."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (1), the product contained an added deleterious substance, burrs, which may have rendered it injurious to health.

**DISPOSITION:** November 19, 1947. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, a fine of \$500 and costs was imposed.

**12717. Adulteration of canned Mexican Style beans. U. S. v. 122 Cases \* \* \*.**  
(F. D. C. No. 23419. Sample No. 76964-H.)

**LIBEL FILED:** August 19, 1947, District of Minnesota.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about July 8, 1947, by the Ladoga Canning Co., from Lebanon, Ind.

**PRODUCT:** 122 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 4-ounce cans, of Mexican Style beans at St. Paul, Minn.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Boone County Brand Mexican Style Beans In Chili Gravy."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (1), the product contained burrs, an added deleterious substance, which may have rendered it injurious to health.

**DISPOSITION:** December 15, 1947. No claimant having appeared, judgment was entered ordering the product destroyed.

**12718. Adulteration of frozen broccoli. U. S. v. 20 Cases \* \* \*.** (F. D. C. No. 24307. Sample Nos. 30062-K, 30072-K.)

**LIBEL FILED:** January 22, 1948, District of Arizona.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about July 2, 1947, by the Booth Cold Storage Co., from St. Paul, Minn.

\*See also No. 12746.

**PRODUCT:** 20 cases, each containing 12 packages, of frozen broccoli at Phoenix, Ariz.

**LABEL, IN PART:** (Packages) "Booth Famous Foods Quick Frozen Trimmed Cleaned Broccoli Net Weight 2 Pounds Distributed by Booth Fisheries Corporation Chicago, Illinois."

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

**DISPOSITION:** March 30, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

**12719. Adulteration of strained peas. U. S. v. 598 Cases \* \* \* (and 1 other seizure action).** (F. D. C. Nos. 23431, 23432. Sample Nos. 61373-H, 61376-H.)

**LIBELS FILED:** August 27 and 28, 1947, Northern District of Ohio and Western District of Pennsylvania.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about July 9 and 16, 1947, by the H. J. Heinz Co., from Medina, N. Y.

**PRODUCT:** Strained peas. 598 cases at Youngstown, Ohio, and 3,594 cases at Pittsburgh, Pa., each case containing 24 4¾-ounce jars.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Heinz Strained Peas."

**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 larvae.

**DISPOSITION:** December 12 and 22, 1947. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.

**12720. Misbranding of canned peas. U. S. v. 1,250 Cases \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 23799. Sample No. 28410-K.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** October 10, 1947, District of Colorado.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about September 10, 1946, by the Dundas Canning Co., from Dundas, Wis.

**PRODUCT:** 1,250 cases, each containing 6 6-pound, 12-ounce cans, of peas at Denver, Colo.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Upper Deck Sweet Peas \* \* \* Distributed by Fall River Canning Co., Fall River, Wisconsin."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Misbranding, Section 403 (h) (1), the product failed to conform to the standard of quality for canned peas, since it failed to meet the test for tenderness prescribed by the regulations; and the label failed to bear the substandard legend.

**DISPOSITION:** January 7, 1947. The Dundas Canning Co., 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.

**12721. Adulteration of dill pickles. U. S. v. Joseph Bertman (Bertman Products). Plea of guilty. Fine, \$200 and costs.** (F. D. C. No. 23586. Sample No. 6547-H.)

**LIBEL FILED:** October 10, 1947, Northern District of Ohio, against Joseph Bertman, trading as Bertman Products, Cleveland, Ohio.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about March 4, 1947, from the State of Ohio into the State of New York.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Bertman Kosher Dills."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect fragments and larvae.

**DISPOSITION:** December 22, 1947. A plea of guilty having been entered, the defendant was fined \$200, plus costs.

**12722. Adulteration of spinach. U. S. v. Pacific Gamble Robinson Co. (Pacific Fruit & Produce Co.). Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$1,000.** (F. D. C. No. 23615. Sample Nos. 89222-H, 89235-H to 89237-H, incl.)

**INFORMATION FILED:** November 3, 1947, District of Colorado, against the Pacific Gamble Robinson Co., a corporation, trading as the Pacific Fruit & Produce Co., at Denver, Colo.