

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of contamination with fecal matter and of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed poultry.

**DISPOSITION:** September 30, 1946. The Acme Poultry Corporation, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be disposed of in accordance with the law, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

**12741. Adulteration of dressed turkeys. U. S. v. 288 Boxes \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 24200. Sample No. 15016-K.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** November 25, 1947, Northern District of Illinois.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about October 22, 1947, by the Bitney Poultry Co., from Kalispell, Mont.

**PRODUCT:** 288 boxes of turkeys at Chicago, Ill. The boxes were marked with various weights, "Net 128," etc.

**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 birds.

**DISPOSITION:** December 18, 1947. W. W. Mangold and William Wilhem, owners, Cargill Incorporated, mortgagee, and F. A. Bitney, trading as the Bitney Poultry Co., shipper, having appeared as claimants, and having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that the unfit portion be segregated and destroyed under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. A total of 737 turkeys, weighing 12,528 pounds, were rejected, and were destroyed by rendering.

**12742. Adulteration of frozen dressed turkeys. U. S. v. 51 Barrels \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 20836. Sample No. 15379-H.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** September 26, 1946, Northern District of Illinois.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about August 10, 1946, by the Holbrook Turkey Growers, from Cheraw, Colo.

**PRODUCT:** 51 barrels of frozen dressed turkeys at Chicago, Ill. Examination showed the presence of diseased birds.

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

**DISPOSITION:** November 25, 1946. The Great Western Distributors, Inc., New York, N. Y., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for segregation and destruction of the unfit portion, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

### SPICES, FLAVORS, AND SEASONING MATERIALS

**12743. Adulteration of anise seed. U. S. v. 1 Bag \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 22792. Sample No. 52316-H.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** March 28, 1947, Northern District of Iowa.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about January 29, 1947, by the American Spice Mills, Inc., from Chicago, Ill.

**PRODUCT:** 1 50-pound bag of anise seed at Sioux City, Iowa.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Recleaned Whole Anise Seed."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), dirt, sand, and limestone had been substituted in part for anise, which the article was represented to be.

**DISPOSITION:** April 29, 1947. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

**12744. Adulteration of anise seed. U. S. v. 1 Bag \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 22793. Sample No. 52318-H.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** March 28, 1947, Northern District of Iowa.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about January 17, 1947, by the Kearns & Smith Spice Company, from Chicago, Ill.

**PRODUCT:** 1 100-pound bag of anise seed at Sioux City, Iowa.