PRODUCT: 147 cases, each containing 24 1-pound cartons, of oleomargarine at St. Louis, Mo. Examination showed that the product had an objectionable taste as a result of fire and water damage occurring in transit.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402, (a) (3), the article was unfit for food by reason of its objectionable taste.

Disposition: August 4, 1948. The Plaza Express Co., Inc., St. Louis, Mo., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for conversion into soap grease, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

## **EGGS**

13602. Adulteration of frozen whole eggs. U. S. v. Foures, Inc., and Morris Schneider. Pleas of guilty. Corporation fined \$500; individual fined \$250. (F. D. C. No. 24819. Sample No. 26340-K.)

Information Filed: July 21, 1948, District of Minnesota, against Foures, Inc., St. Paul, Minn., and Morris Schneider, vice-president and manager.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 11, 1947, from the State of Minnesota into the State of Missouri.

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

Disposition: October 25, 1948. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendants, the corporation was fined \$500 and the individual defendant was fined \$250.

13603. Adulteration of frozen whole eggs. U. S. v. Oskaloosa Produce Co., a partnership, and Archibald L. Shannon. Pleas of guilty. Partnership fined \$50 and costs; individual defendant fined \$25. (F. D. C. No. 24522. Sample No. 14439–K.)

Information Filed: March 23, 1948, Southern District of Iowa, against the Oskaloosa Produce Co., Oskaloosa, Iowa, and Archibald L. Shannon, a partner.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 2, 1947, from the State of Iowa into the State of Illinois.

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

Disposition: September 21, 1948. Pleas of guilty having been entered, the partnership was fined \$50, plus costs, and the individual defendant was fined \$25.

13604. Adulteration of frozen whole eggs. U. S. v. Edwin L. McKinley (McKinley Produce Co.). Plea of guilty. Fine, \$250. (F. D. C. No. 24823. Sample No. 14440-K.)

Information Filed: July 20, 1948, Southern District of Indiana, against Edwin L. McKinley, trading as the McKinley Produce Co., Greensburg, Ind.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 13, 1947, from the State of Indiana into the State of Illinois.

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

DISPOSITION: November 5, 1948. A plea of guilty having been entered, the defendant was fined \$250.

13605. Adulteration of frozen whole eggs. U. S. v. 208 Cans \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 23420. Sample No. 69220-H.)

LIBEL FILED: September 4, 1947, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 5, 1947, by the Farmers Produce Co., from Cherokee, Iowa.

Product: 208 30-pound cans of frozen whole eggs at Chicago, Ill.

Whole or in part of a decomposed substance. (Examination showed the presence of decomposed eggs.)

DISPOSITION: September 8, 1947. Rothenberg & Schneider Bros., Inc., Chicago, Ill., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned