

14492. Adulteration of dried red chilies (chili peppers). U. S. v. 83 Bags * * *
(F. D. C. No. 26819. Sample No. 30395-K.)

LABEL FILED: March 4, 1949, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 15, 1948, by A. A. Franzoy, from Salem, N. Mex.

PRODUCT: 83 unlabeled bags of dried red chilies at Los Angeles, Calif.

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 mold.

DISPOSITION: March 16, 1949. Chili Products Corp., Ltd., Los Angeles, Calif., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be reconditioned and brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. The reconditioning operations resulted in the salvage of 8,285 pounds of passable material and the rejection and destruction of 1,584 pounds.

14493. Adulteration of dried red peppers. U. S. v. 15 Bags, etc. (and 2 other seizure actions). (F. D. C. Nos. 23907, 24170, 24175. Sample Nos. 318-K, 3414-K, 4419-K, 4421-K.)

LABELS FILED: On or about November 7 and December 10 and 12, 1947, District of Massachusetts, Eastern District of Virginia, and Northern District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 24 and 26 and October 1 and 13, 1947, by H. D. White, from Timmonsville, S. C.

PRODUCT: Dried red peppers. 15 105-pound bags and 32 89-pound bags at Charlestown, Mass.; 181 bags, varying in weight from 103 to 119 pounds, at Richmond, Va.; and 281 bags, containing a total of 25,594 pounds, at Atlanta, Ga.

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

DISPOSITION: January 19 and May 13, 1948, and January 11, 1949. The sole intervener in the Virginia case having consented to the entry of a decree and no claimant having appeared in the other cases, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

14494. Adulteration of ground red pepper. U. S. v. 12 Drums * * *. (F. D. C. No. 24177. Sample No. 2206-K.)

LABEL FILED: December 5, 1947, District of Maryland.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 4 and 11, 1947, by H. D. White, of Timmonsville, S. C., from Richmond, Va.

PRODUCT: 12 drums, containing approximately 3,920 pounds, of ground red pepper at Baltimore, Md.

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 and insect excreta.

DISPOSITION: January 27, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.