

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 tomato material.

DISPOSITION: June 9, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

15140. Adulteration of tomato catsup and tomato juice. U. S. v. 42,090 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. Nos. 26837, 26853. Sample Nos. 25581-K, 43587-K, 44218-K, 44219-K, 44222-K, 44223-K, 44251-K, 44252-K.)

LIBELS FILED: March 8 and April 1, 1949, Eastern District of Illinois and Northern District of Iowa.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of August 27, 1948, and January 13, 1949, by the Vincennes Packing Corp., from Vincennes and Plainville, Ind.

PRODUCT: 42,090 cases, each containing 24 14-ounce bottles, of catsup, and 2,674 cases, each containing 6 No. 10 cans, of tomato juice, at George Field, Ill., and 289 cases, each containing 24 14-ounce cans, of catsup at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of decomposed substances by reason of the presence of decomposed tomato material.

DISPOSITION: April 1 and 7, 1949. The Vincennes Packing Corp., having appeared as claimant, judgments of condemnation were entered and the products were ordered released under bond, conditioned that the unfit portions be segregated and destroyed under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

Approximately 50,234 cases of tomato catsup and 2,674 cases of tomato juice were seized under the two libels. Of these amounts, approximately 7,083 cases of tomato catsup and 2,575 cases of tomato juice were segregated and destroyed, and the remaining portions of both products were released as fit.

15141. Adulteration of tomato catsup and tomato puree. U. S. v. 168 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 27132. Sample Nos. 46154-K, 46155-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 10, 1949, Southern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 7, 1949, by the Finer Foods Packing Corp., from Terre Haute, Ind.

PRODUCT: 168 cases, each containing 24 14-ounce bottles, of tomato catsup, and 37 cases, each containing 6 6-pound, 8-ounce cans, of tomato puree, at Rock Island, Ill.

LABEL, IN PART: "Pan American Brand * * * Tomato Catsup" and "Garden City Brand Tomato Puree."

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DISPOSITION: June 9, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

15142. Adulteration of tomato puree. U. S. v. 121 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27056. Sample No. 44390-K.)

LIBEL FILED: April 21, 1949, Southern District of Ohio.