ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 26, 1949, by Land O'Lakes Creameries, Inc., from Minnesota Transfer, Minn.

PRODUCT: 11 cases, each containing 64 pounds, of butter at Greenville, S. C.

LABEL, IN PART: (Case) "Butter Unsalted Distributed by Land O'Lakes Creameries, Inc."

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 and manure fragments and by reason of its having been made from filthy cream.

Disposition: August 10, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

15264. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 7 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27646. Sample No. 46728–K.)

LIBEL FILED: July 18, 1949, Western District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 11, 1949, by the Tri-State Butter Co., from Cincinnati, Ohio.

PRODUCT: 7 cases, each containing 32 pounds, of butter at Monessen, Pa.

LABEL, IN PART: "Rich Pasture Creamery Butter * * * Packed by The Tri-State Butter Co."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a decomposed animal substance in that it was prepared from decomposed cream, and it consisted in part of a filthy substance due to the presence of fragments of flies and rodent hair fragments.

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

15265. Adulteration and misbranding of butter. U. S. v. 51 Cartons (3,264 pounds) * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27650. Sample Nos. 11950-K, 11952-K.)

LIBEL FILED: June 24, 1949, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 9, 1949, by the Knoxville Dairy, from Knoxville, Iowa.

PRODUCT: 51 64-pound cartons of butter at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Butter Distributed by W. W. Elzea Inc. New York."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter. Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the article was labeled "Butter," which was false and misleading since it contained less than 80 percent of milk fat.

DISPOSITION: July 6, 1949. The Knoxville Dairy, claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for reworking, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

15266. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 61 Cartons (3,660 pounds) * * * (F. D. C. No. 27648. Sample No. 11955-K.)

LIBEL FILED: June 28, 1949, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 15, 1949, by the Randalia Mutual Creamery Assn., from Randalia, Iowa.

PRODUCT: 61 cartons, each containing 60 pounds, of butter at Jersey City, N. J. LABEL, IN PART: "The Great A & P Tea Co. New York Distributors Butter."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: October 10, 1949. The Randalia Mutual Creamery Assn., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for reworking, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

15267. Adulteration of whipped butter. U. S. v. 80 Cups * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27645. Sample No. 56616-K.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about July 12, 1949, District of Connecticut.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 30, 1949, by Mayflower Creamery Co., Inc., from Boston, Mass.

PRODUCT: 80 8-ounce cups of whipped butter at Hartford, Conn.

LABEL, IN PART: "Mayflower's Whipped Butter."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: August 1, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be distributed to charitable institutions.

15268. Misbranding of butter. U. S. v. 22 Cartons, etc. (F. D. C. No. 27647. Sample Nos. 19845–K, 19846–K.)

LIBEL FILED: April 20, 1949, Eastern District of Kentucky.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 4 and 11, 1949, from Knoxville, Tenn., by the Sugar Creek Creamery Co.

PRODUCT: 22 cartons, each containing 44 patties, and 70 boxes, each containing 12 cartons, of butter at Middlesboro, Ky.

LABEL, IN PART: "Sugar Creek Butter Country Patty 8 Oz. Net" and "Sugar Creek Butter 1 Lb. Net."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (2), the article in the respective lots did not contain "8 Oz. Net" and "1 Lb. Net" as labeled since analysis showed that the article was short weight.

DISPOSITION: June 2, 1949. The Sugar Creek Creamery Co., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for reworking, reprinting, and repacking, so that it would be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

EGGS

15269. Adulteration of eggs. U. S. v. 27 Cases * * * (F. D. C. No. 27693. Sample No. 58311-K.)

LIBEL FILED: August 12, 1949, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 27, 1949, by the Utah Poultry & Farmer's Co-operative, from Salt Lake City and other points in Utah.

PRODUCT: 27 cases each containing 30 dozen eggs at Los Angeles, Calif. Examination showed the presence of rotten and bloody eggs.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance, and it was otherwise unfit for food by reason of the presence of bloody eggs.