NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of parasitic worms.

DISPOSITION: December 8, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

15520. Adulteration of fresh tullibees. U. S. v. 3 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27924. Sample No. 41874–K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 17, 1949, Eastern District of Michigan.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 10, 1949, by Lake St. Peter Fisheries, Ltd., from Montreal, Canada.

PRODUCT: 3 100-pound boxes of fresh tullibees at Detroit, Mich.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section, 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of parasitic worms.

DISPOSITION: November 14, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

15521. Misbranding of canned tuna fish. U. S. v. 4 Cases * * * . (F. D. C. No. 27629. Sample No. 56152–K.)

LIBEL FILED: August 5, 1949, District of Connecticut.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 16, 1949, by the California Sea Food Corp., from Long Beach, Calif.

PRODUCT: 4 cases, each containing 48 7-ounce cans, of tuna fish at New Haven, Conn. Examination showed that the product was not fancy since it contained pieces and flake material in excess even of the amount recognized by the industry as a "standard" pack.

Label, in Part: (Can) "Hunt's Supreme Quality * * * Fancy Albacore White Meat Tuna."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label designation "Fancy * * * White Meat Tuna" was false and misleading as applied to an article which contained excessive pieces and flakes of tuna meat.

DISPOSITION: September 23, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be distributed to charitable institutions.

15522. Adulteration of frozen whitefish. U. S. v. 400 Pounds * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27815. Sample No. 56384–K.)

LIBEL FILED: September 13, 1949, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 4, 1949, by the Main Fish Co., from Montreal, Canada.

PRODUCT: 400 pounds of frozen whitefish contained in 8 boxes at New York, N. Y.

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 parasitic worms.

DISPOSITION: September 30, 1949. Defualt decree of condemnation and destruction.

15523. Adulteration of oysters. U. S. v. 420 Cans, etc. (F. D. C. No. 28386. Sample Nos. 46761–K, 46762–K.)