

PRODUCT: 570 pounds of crab meat at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Blue Channel Corp 1 Lb. Net Lump Crab Meat."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402(a)(3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy animal substance. Analysis showed that the product was contaminated with *B. coli* of fecal origin.

DISPOSITION: May 26, 1950. Claim, answer, and stipulation for costs having been filed, but claimant having subsequently withdrawn its claim, judgments of condemnation were entered and the court ordered that the product be destroyed and that costs be taxed.

16374. Adulteration of canned shrimp. U. S. v. 99 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28708. Sample No. 74213-K.)

LIBEL FILED: February 7, 1950, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 21, 1949, by Reuther's Sea Food Co., Inc., from New Orleans, La.

PRODUCT: 99 cases, each containing 48 5-ounce cans, of shrimp at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Marvelous Brand Shrimp."

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 shrimp.

DISPOSITION: April 14, 1950. Reuther's Sea Food Co., Inc., 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 segregation of the unfit portion, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. The segregation operations resulted in the destruction of 81 cases and 13 cans as unfit.

16375. Adulteration of frozen shrimp. U. S. v. 51 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28814. Sample No. 75430-K.)

LIBEL FILED: January 26, 1950, District of Colorado.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 4, 1949, by Southern Shell Fish Co., Inc., from New Orleans, La.

PRODUCT: 51 cases, each containing 10 5-pound cartons, of frozen shrimp at Denver, Colo.

LABEL, IN PART: "Gulf Kist Frozen Fresh Shrimp."

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 shrimp.

DISPOSITION: February 17, 1950. Southern Shell Fish Co., Inc., 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 reconditioning, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. On July 20 and 21, 1950, a total of 345 pounds of shrimp from the lot under seizure was segregated as unfit and was destroyed.