

DISPOSITION: On or about November 29, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to a municipal farm. On November 29, 1951, the product was fed to hogs.

18728. Adulteration of dried cranberry beans. U. S. v. 45 Bags * * *.
(F. D. C. No. 31459. Sample No. 30043-L.)

LIBEL FILED: August 8, 1951, Western District of Washington.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 29, 1950, from San Francisco, Calif.

PRODUCT: 45 100-pound bags of dried cranberry beans at Seattle, Wash., in possession of Ames Terminal.

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 rodent urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the article had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: December 6, 1951. J. R. Green, Seattle, Wash., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the beans be released under bond for the purpose of segregating and sorting, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. As a result of the segregation operations, 13 bags of beans were found unfit and were converted into animal feed.

18729. Misbranding of canned peas. U. S. v. 705 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31890. Sample No. 9752-L.)

LIBEL FILED: October 15, 1951, Northern District of Indiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 29, and July 19, 1951, by the Winchester Canning Co., Canal Winchester, Ohio.

PRODUCT: 705 cases, each containing 24 1-pound cans, of peas at Fort Wayne, Ind.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Q P Cu-Pee Brand Early June Peas."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (h) (1), the article was a smooth-skin variety of peas and was substandard in quality since its alcohol-insoluble solids were more than 23.5 percent, and its label failed to bear a statement indicating that the article was substandard.

DISPOSITION: February 4, 1952. The Winchester Canning Co., 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, conditioned that it be relabeled, under the supervision of a representative of the Federal Security Administrator.

18730. Misbranding of chow mein. U. S. v. 129 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 32133. Sample No. 10242-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 20, 1951, Eastern District of Michigan.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 6 and 25, 1951, by Chun King Sales, Inc., from Duluth, Minn.

PRODUCT: 129 cases, each case containing 24 deals, of chow mein and noodles. Each deal consisted of 1 can of chow mein and 1 can of noodles.

LABEL, IN PART: "Chun King Meatless Chow Mein with Mushrooms."