

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statement "An Excellent Composition of Eighty Per Cent of Corn Oil and Twenty Per Cent of Imported Olive Oil" was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: April 9, 1952. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to charitable institutions or be destroyed.

OLEOMARGARINE

18842. Misbranding of oleomargarine. U. S. v. 27 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 32628. Sample No. 16113-L.)

LIBEL FILED: January 24, 1952, Western District of Oklahoma.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 4, 1952, by Kent Products, Inc., from Kansas City, Mo.

PRODUCT: 27 cases, each containing 32 1-pound cartons, of oleomargarine at Oklahoma City, Okla.

LABEL, IN PART: "Net Wt. One Lb. 4 Quarters Yellow Richmade Brand Vegetable Oleomargarine."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (2), the product failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents since the packages contained less than the labeled weight; and, Section 403 (a), the label designation "4 Quarters" was false and misleading since the product was not in quarters but was in one piece.

DISPOSITION: March 31, 1952. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to a charitable institution.

SPICES, FLAVORS, AND SEASONING MATERIALS

18843. Adulteration of poppy seed, cumin seed, and sesame seed. U. S. v. 35 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 32166. Sample Nos. 27100-L, 27101-L, 27138-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 23, 1951, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: The sesame seed was shipped on or about January 16, 1951, from China; the poppy seed was shipped prior to January 25, 1951, from Czechoslovakia; and the cumin seed was shipped on or about April 28, 1951, from India.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of insects. The products were adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: December 7, 1951. D. Hecht & Co. having appeared as claimant, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the products be released under bond to be disposed of in compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. 2,975 pounds of poppy seed, 6,750 pounds of cumin seed, and 3,512 pounds of sesame seed were salvaged.

18844. Misbranding of black pepper. U. S. v. 13 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31478. Sample No. 20824-L.)

LIBEL FILED: August 20, 1951, Southern District of Alabama.