

19090. Adulteration and misbranding of table and cooking oil. U. S. v. 30 Cans

* * *. (F. D. C. No. 33155. Sample No. 33227-L.)

LIBEL FILED: June 2, 1952, Eastern District of Michigan.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 25, 1951, by the V. Formusa Co., from Chicago, Ill.

PRODUCT: 30 1-gallon cans of table and cooking oil at Detroit, Mich.

LABEL, IN PART: "Marconi Brand Contents 75% Cottonseed Oil 20% Olive Oil 5% Peanut Oil."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, olive oil, had been in whole or in part omitted or abstracted from the product.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statement "20% Olive Oil" was false and misleading since the product contained less than 20 percent olive oil.

DISPOSITION: July 8, 1952. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to a Federal institution.

POULTRY

19091. Adulteration of dressed turkeys. U. S. v. Furman & Co., Inc. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$300. (F. D. C. No. 32802. Sample Nos. 24369-L, 24371-L, 24372-L.)

INFORMATION FILED: October 21, 1952, District of Massachusetts, against Furman & Co., Inc., Canton, Mass.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 9, 1951, from the State of Massachusetts into the State of New York.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product involved in one shipment consisted in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed birds and was otherwise unfit for food by reason of the presence of excessively bruised and mutilated birds; furthermore, the product involved in two other shipments consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of birds contaminated with fecal matter and crop material.

DISPOSITION: November 17, 1952. The corporation, having entered a plea of guilty, was fined \$300 by the court.

19092. Adulteration of dressed turkeys. U. S. v. Tillman Produce Co., Inc. plea of guilty. Fine, \$100. (F. D. C. No. 32801. Sample No. 32952-L.)

INFORMATION FILED: August 12, 1952, Western District of Wisconsin, against Tillman Produce Co., Inc., Wilton, Wis.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 15, 1951, from the State of Wisconsin into the State of Illinois.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (5), the food was in part the product of a diseased animal by reason of the presence of diseased birds.

DISPOSITION: September 3, 1952. The defendant having entered a plea of guilty, the court fined it \$100.

19093. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 27 Crates * * *. (F. D. C. No. 32196. Sample No. 38304-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 28, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 13, 1951, by the Maplewood Packing Co., from Belfast, Maine.