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20870. Adulteration of frozen yellow pike. U. S. v. 738 Pounds * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35282. Sample No. 50099-L.)

LIBEL FILED: June 2, 1953, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 18, 1952, from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 738 pounds of frozen yellow pike in 13 boxes at Monmouth Beach, N. J.

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 fish. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: July 6, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

20871. Adulteration of frozen red snappers. U. S. v. 678 Pounds * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35624. Sample No. 50126-L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 9, 1953, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 6, 1953, by Chesebro, Robbins & Graham, Inc., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 678 pounds of frozen red snappers in 6 boxes at Monmouth Beach, N. J.

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 fish.

DISPOSITION: October 7, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

20872. Adulteration of shucked clams. U. S. v. 6 Cans * * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35652. Sample Nos. 45380-L, 45381-L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 25, 1953, District of Connecticut.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 26, 1953, by the Ipswich Shellfish Co., from Ipswich, Mass.

PRODUCT: 6 1-gallon cans of shucked clams at New Britain, Conn.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2) water had been substituted in part for shucked clams; and, Section 402 (b) (4), water had been added to the article and mixed and packed with it so as to increase its bulk or weight and reduce its quality.

DISPOSITION: November 19, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

20873. Adulteration of crabmeat. U. S. v. 215 Cans, etc. (F. D. C. No. 35547. Sample No. 2588-L.)

LIBEL FILED: August 20, 1953, District of Columbia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 15, 1953, by Skipper Sea Foods, from Jacksonville, Fla.

PRODUCT: 311 1-pound cans of crabmeat at Washington, D. C. Examination disclosed that the product was contaminated with E. coli of fecal origin.

LABEL, IN PART: "Skipper Sea Foods Fla. 15C Deluxe [or "Cocktail Lump" or "Claw"] Crabmeat Yulee, Fla."

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