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DISPOSITION: 9-28-56. Default—consumption by animals.

23478. Cod. (F. D. C. No. 39449. S. No. 44-906 M.)

QUANTITY: 194 cartons at Washington, D. C.

SHIPPED: 8-7-56, from Chelsea, Mass., by Collins-Lee Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Carton) "10 lbs. Cod-Bits."

LIBELED: 8-29-56, Dist. of Columbia.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent hairs, maggots, insect eggs, and insect parts; and 402 (a) (4)—prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 9-28-56. Default—consumption by animals.

23479. Cod. (F. D. C. No. 39429. S. No. 58-980 M.)

QUANTITY: 170 boxes, 5 lbs. each, at Philadelphia, Pa.

SHIPPED: 7-16-56, from Chelsea, Mass., by Collins-Lee Co.

LIBELED: 8-21-56, E. Dist. Pa.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained maggots and insect parts; and 402 (a) (4)—prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 9-19-56. Default—destruction.

23480. Frozen haddock fillets. (F. D. C. No. 39410. S. Nos. 23-678/80 M, 23-683/4 M.)

QUANTITY: 1,284 50-lb. cartons and 995 30-lb. cartons at Providence, R. I.

SHIPPED: Between 2-29-56 and 6-2-56, from Fortune, Newfoundland, by Fortune Bay Products, Ltd.

LABEL IN PART: (Wrapper) "Skin-On Haddock Fillets Fortune Bay Product of Canada Flash Frozen Sea Foods 5 Pounds Net" and "Uni-Form Glazed Fish Fillets A Product of Canada Sea Pak Net Weight 5 Pounds * * * Each Portion Individually Flash-Frozen."

LIBELED: 8-16-56, Dist. R. I.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained decomposed fish when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 2-8-57. Default—converted into fishmeal.

23481. Frozen haddock fillets. (F. D. C. No. 39510. S. Nos. 49-958/9 M.)

QUANTITY: 62 cartons, 9 5-lb. pkgs. each, at Roxbury, Mass.

SHIPPED: The fillets were from fish caught on or about 9-6-56, in the waters of the Atlantic Ocean outside the limits of Massachusetts.

LIBELED: 10-8-56, Dist. Mass.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained decomposed fish while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 12-3-56. Default—consumption by animals.

23482. Frozen haddock fillets. (F. D. C. No. 39501. S. No. 50-023 M.)

QUANTITY: 288 cartons, 12 1-lb. pkgs. each, at Boston, Mass.

SHIPPED: The fillets were from fish caught on or about 9-18-56, in the waters of the Atlantic Ocean outside the limits of Massachusetts.

LIBELED: 10-1-56, Dist. Mass.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained decomposed fish while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 12-20-56. Consent—claimed by Genoa Fisheries, Inc., t/a Boston Bonnie Fisheries, Boston, Mass. Segregated; 184 pounds destroyed.

23483. Canned kipper snacks. (F. D. C. No. 39311. S. No. 50-660 M.)

QUANTITY: 1,500 cases, 50 3¼ oz. tins each, at Los Angeles, Calif.

SHIPPED: 5-16-56, from Norway.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination of 1,300 cans showed that 4 percent were springers, swells, and leakers, and that 2 cases contained more than 40 percent abnormal cans. Examination of swells and leakers showed the presence of decomposed fish.

LIBELED: 7-30-56, S. Dist. Calif.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained a decomposed substance while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 8-29-56. Consent—claimed by Beesemyer-Ridnour Co., Los Angeles, Calif. Segregated; 13,529 cans destroyed.

23484. Frozen ocean perch fillets. (F. D. C. No. 39409. S. No. 49-778 M.)

QUANTITY: 492 10-lb. boxes at Gloucester, Mass.

SHIPPED: The fillets were from fish caught in the Atlantic Ocean, and were unloaded at Gloucester, Mass., on 6-27-56.

LABEL IN PART: (Wrapper) "Distributed By Cape Ann Fisheries Inc. Gloucester, Mass. Cape Ann Brand Ocean Perch Frosted Fillets."

LIBELED: 8-1-56, Dist. Mass.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained decomposed fish when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 9-17-56. Default—consumption by animals.

23485. Frozen ocean perch fillets. (F. D. C. No. 39435. S. No. 49-967 M.)

QUANTITY: 35 12-lb. cartons at Gloucester, Mass.

SHIPPED: The fillets were from fish caught in the Atlantic Ocean outside the territorial limits of Massachusetts and unloaded at Gloucester, Mass., on 6-28-56.

LIBELED: 8-23-56, Dist. Mass.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained decomposed fish while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 10-8-56. Default—destruction.

23486. Dried stockfish. (F. D. C. No. 39430. S. Nos. 37-293/4 M.)

QUANTITY: 3 110-lb. bales of dried stockfish at New York, N. Y., in possession of Sun Warehouses, Inc.

SHIPPED: Between 11-4-55 and 12-8-55, from Norway and Cambridge, Mass.

LIBELED: 8-27-56, S. Dist. N. Y.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent excreta, rodent hairs, and insects; and 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 9-26-56. Default—destruction.

23487. Fresh dressed whitefish (2 seizure actions). (F. D. C. Nos. 39475, 39476. S. Nos. 4-871/2 M.)

QUANTITY: 10 50-lb. boxes and 8 55-lb. boxes at Chicago, Ill.

SHIPPED: 9-10-56, from Buffalo, N. Y., by N. Kotok Fish Co.

LABEL IN PART: "Fresh dressed whitefish, Produce of Canada Dore Lake * * * (Large)" and "Fresh dsd whitefish, Product of Canada, Lake-of-the-Woods."