

26919. Hominy feed. (F.D.C. No. 45045. S. No. 35-988 R.)

QUANTITY: 324 bags, containing 32,400 lbs., at Brooklyn, N.Y.

SHIPPED: The article was delivered, on 9-2-60, to a ship pier at Brooklyn, N.Y., for shipment to Iceland.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article was moldy. This condition developed following submersion in polluted river water, which occurred as a result of a storm on 9-13-60, that flooded the pier where the article was stored.

LIBELED: 11-3-60, E. Dist. N.Y.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained a decomposed substance while in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: 12-27-60. Default—destruction.

FISH AND SHELLFISH

26920. Frozen haddock fillets. (F.D.C. No. 44894. S. Nos. 8-201 R, 8-203/4 R.)

QUANTITY: 76 ctns., each containing 5 10-lb. boxes of individually wrapped fish fillets, at Boston, Mass.

SHIPPED: These fillets were from fish caught by the fishing vessels "Atlantic" and "Thomas Wheland" outside the limits of Massachusetts, and unloaded at the Boston Fish Pier on 8-22-60 and 8-23-60.

LIBELED: 9-19-60, Dist. Mass.

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

DISPOSITION: 10-26-60. Consent—claimed by Eastern Seafood Co., Boston, Mass. Segregated; 122 lbs. destroyed.

26921. Frozen haddock fillets. (F.D.C. No. 44846. S. No. 7-865 R.)

QUANTITY: 82 boxes, each containing 10 lbs. of cellophane wrapped haddock fillets, at Boston, Mass.

SHIPPED: These fillets were from fish caught by the fishing vessel "Phantom" in the Atlantic Ocean outside the limits of Massachusetts, and unloaded at the Boston Fish Pier on 7-26-60.

LIBELED: 8-5-60, Dist. Mass.

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

DISPOSITION: 10-10-60. Default—delivered to a public institution for use as animal feed.

26922. Canned crabmeat. (F.D.C. No. 43741. S. No. 30-899 R.)

QUANTITY: 34 cases, 50 1-lb. cans each, at Baton Rouge, La.

SHIPPED: 7-29-60 and 8-4-60, from Palacios, Tex., by Texas Crab Co.

LABEL IN PART: "Texas Crab Co.—Special [or "Claw"]—Crab Meat * * * Palacios, Texas" and "Special—Fresh—Crab Meat."

LIBELED: 8-16-60, E. Dist. La.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained *E. coli* and decomposed crabmeat; and 402(a)(4)—prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 10-24-60. Default—destruction.