

9706. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Plymouth Creamery Co., and William Bos. Pleas of guilty. Fine, \$200 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 16610. Sample Nos. 5685-H, 7455-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: November 21, 1945, Northern District of Iowa, against the Plymouth Creamery Co., a corporation, Le Mars, Iowa, and William Bos, president.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 30 and August 14, 1945, from the State of Iowa into the State of New York.

LABEL, IN PART: "Butter Distributed by Standard Butter and Egg Co. New York."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, milk fat, had been in part omitted from the article; and, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: December 11, 1945. Pleas of guilty having been entered on behalf of the corporate defendant and by the individual defendant, both defendants were fined \$50 on each count, a total fine of \$200 plus costs.

9707. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Breda Creamery Corporation and Gerald A. Roth. Pleas of guilty. Fine, \$300 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 16607. Sample Nos. 7101-H, 7104-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: October 30, 1945, Northern District of Iowa, against the Breda Creamery Corporation, Breda, Iowa, and Gerald A. Roth, secretary-treasurer.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 1, 1945, from the State of Iowa into the State of New Jersey.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, milk fat, had been in part omitted from the product; and, Section 402 (b) (2), a product which contained less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: December 11, 1945. Pleas of guilty having been entered by the individual defendant and for the corporate defendant, the court imposed a fine of \$150 against each defendant, a total of \$300, plus costs.

9708. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Beatrice Creamery Co. (Blue Valley Creamery Co.) Plea of guilty. Fine, \$500. (F. D. C. No. 15555. Sample No. 86401-F.)

INFORMATION FILED: July 13, 1945, Southern District of Ohio, against the Beatrice Creamery Co., a corporation, trading under the firm name Blue Valley Creamery Co., at Columbus, Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 5, 1944, from the State of Ohio into the State of Illinois.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, milk fat, had been omitted in part from the article; and, Section 402 (b) (2), a product which contained less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: On November 19, 1945, a plea of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$1,000. On April 22, 1946, the fine was reduced to \$500.

9709. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. St. Stephen Cooperative Creamery Association. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$200. (F. D. C. No. 16508. Sample Nos. 19011-H, 19242-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: November 2, 1945, District of Minnesota, against the St. Stephen Cooperative Creamery Association, a corporation, Rice, Minn.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 5 and May 31, 1945, from the State of Minnesota into the State of Pennsylvania.

LABEL, IN PART: "Butter * * * Distributed by C. G. Heyd and Co., Philadelphia, Pa."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, milk fat, had been in part omitted from the article; and, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: December 20, 1945. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of \$100 on each of the two counts.