

11887. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 60 Boxes (3,780 pounds) * * *.
(F. D. C. No. 21922. Sample No. 15725-H.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about November 5, 1946, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 3, 1946, by Blue Star Produce, Inc., from Omaha, Nebr.

PRODUCT: 60 63-pound boxes of butter at Chicago, Ill. Analysis showed that a portion of the product contained mold and that the remainder was deficient in butter fat.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), (portion) the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed animal substance; and, Section 402 (b) (2), (remainder) a product containing less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: December 3, 1946. The Peter Fox Sons Co., claimant, having admitted the facts in the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be converted into refined butter oil, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

11888. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Kenneth H. Singaas (Astoria Creamery). Plea of guilty. Fine, \$50. (F. D. C. No. 21544. Sample No. 51852-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: January 23, 1947, District of South Dakota, against Kenneth H. Singaas, trading as the Astoria Creamery, at Astoria, S. Dak.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 15, 1946, from the State of South Dakota into the State of Minnesota.

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

DISPOSITION: March 21, 1947. The defendant having entered a plea of guilty, the court imposed a fine of \$50.

11889. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Armour & Co. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$500 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 21564. Sample No. 49876-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: February 5, 1947, Western District of Kentucky, against Armour & Co., a corporation, Louisville, Ky.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 7, 1946, from the State of Kentucky into the State of Louisiana.

LABEL, IN PART: "Butter Armour Creameries Distributors Gen'l Office Chicago, Ill."

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

DISPOSITION: March 21, 1947. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$500, plus costs.

11890. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Beatrice Foods Co. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$100. (F. D. C. No. 22025. Sample Nos. 36152-H, 56471-H, 67314-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: April 11, 1947, Western District of Missouri, against the Beatrice Foods Co., a corporation, formerly trading and doing business under the name Beatrice Creamery Co., St. Joseph, Mo.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 17, 1946, from the State of Missouri into the State of Kansas.

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

DISPOSITION: July 17, 1947. A plea of guilty having been entered, the defendant was fined \$100.