

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 15, 1946, by the Helen Packing Corporation, from Buffalo, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 37 cases, each containing 12 1-pound cans, of spaghetti sauce with meat balls at Erie, Pa.

LABEL, IN PART: "Sa-Mae Brand Real Italian Style Spaghetti Sauce with Meat Balls."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

DISPOSITION: October 16, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered ordering the product destroyed.

12792. Adulteration of Cosco liquid food coloring and Cosco imitation strawberry extract. U. S. v. 16 Jugs * * *. (F. D. C. No. 19999. Sample Nos. 49207-H, 49208-H.)

LIBEL FILED: May 23, 1946, Eastern District of Louisiana; amended libel filed May 31, 1946.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 22, 1946, by the C. O. & W. D. Sethness Co., Chicago, Ill.

PRODUCT: The products were located at Independence, La. The food coloring contained 1,647 parts per million, and the extract contained 1,188 parts per million, of monochloroacetic acid. The food coloring contained also amaranth and Orange I, coal-tar colors which are certifiable but which had not been certified in accordance with the regulations.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (2), the products contained an added poisonous and deleterious substance, monochloroacetic acid, which is unsafe within the meaning of the law; and, Section 402 (c), (liquid food coloring) it contained coal-tar colors other than ones from batches that had been certified in accordance with the regulations.

DISPOSITION: July 22, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the products were ordered destroyed.

12793. Adulteration of frozen tamales. U. S. v. 696 Cases * * * (and 1 other seizure action). (F. D. C. Nos. 21754, 22432. Sample Nos. 32189-H, 32191-H.)

LIBELS FILED: November 20, 1946, and January 24, 1947, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 10, 1946, by FrosTex Foods, Inc., from Dallas, Tex.

PRODUCT: Frozen tamales. 508 cases, each containing 40 12½-ounce cartons, and 249 cases, each containing 12 3-pound cartons, at Los Angeles, Calif.

LABEL, IN PART: "FrosTex Texas Tamales."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of being sour.

DISPOSITION: January 17 and February 26, 1947. No claimant having appeared, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

12794. Adulteration of sandwich spread. U. S. v. 43 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21802. Sample Nos. 48151-H, 48152-H.)

LIBEL FILED: December 2, 1946, District of Utah.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 14, 1946, by the Oregon Dairy & Poultry Products Co., from Portland, Oreg.

PRODUCT: 20 cases, each containing 24 3-ounce jars, and 23 cases, each containing 48 3½-ounce cans, of sandwich spread at Salt Lake City, Utah.

LABEL, IN PART: "Rancher's Pride Turko Sandwich Spread * * * [or "Turko Sandwich Spread"] Packed by Washington Creamery Co., Seattle, Wash."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article was unfit for food by reason of the presence of pin feathers.

DISPOSITION: January 10, 1947. No claimant having appeared, judgment was entered ordering that the product be destroyed by utilizing it for animal feed.