

CHEESE

15973. Adulteration of Cheddar cheese. U. S. v. Emil Stricker (Gallatin Valley Cheese Co.). Plea of guilty. Fine, \$100. (F. D. C. No. 24096. Sample No. 82443-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: February 17, 1948, District of Montana, against Emil Stricker, trading as the Gallatin Valley Cheese Co., Belgrade, Mont.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 19, 1947, from the State of Montana into the State of Washington.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing more than 39 percent of moisture had been substituted for Cheddar cheese, a product which should contain not more than 39 percent of moisture, as provided by the definition and standard of identity.

DISPOSITION: January 9, 1950. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court fined the defendant \$100.

15974. Adulteration of creamed cottage cheese and ice cream mix. U. S. v. Waterloo Milk Co., Inc. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$450. (F. D. C. No. 26354. Sample Nos. 45728-K, 45729-K, 45732-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: March 18, 1949, Eastern District of Illinois, against Waterloo Milk Co., Inc., Waterloo, Ill.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 17 and 18, 1948, from the State of Illinois into the State of Missouri.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of (in the creamed cottage cheese) cow hairs and manure fragments and (in the ice cream mix) insects, insect fragments, and manure fragments.

DISPOSITION: March 7, 1950. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the court fined the defendant \$450.

FISH AND SHELLFISH

15975. Adulteration and misbranding of frozen flounder fillets. U. S. v. Atlantic Fish & Oyster Co. Plea of guilty. Fine of \$500, plus costs. (F. D. C. No. 28170. Sample Nos. 60405-K, 60406-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: November 16, 1949, Northern District of Illinois, against the Atlantic Fish & Oyster Co., a corporation, Chicago, Ill.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 2, 1949, from the State of Illinois into the State of Michigan.

LABEL, IN PART: "Flounder Fillets."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), frozen pollock fillets were substituted for frozen flounder fillets, which the product was represented to be.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statement "Flounder Fillets" was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: March 28, 1950. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court fined the defendant \$500, plus costs.