

16370. Adulteration of frozen whiting. U. S. v. 518 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29210. Sample No. 76223-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 8, 1950, Southern District of Iowa.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 11, 1950, by the Booth Fisheries Corp., from North Truro, Mass.

PRODUCT: 518 15-pound boxes of frozen whiting at Des Moines, Iowa.

LABEL, IN PART: "H & G Scaled Whiting."

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

DISPOSITION: June 19, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

16371. Adulteration of frozen whiting. U. S. v. 88 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29222. Sample No. 54579-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 10, 1950, Northern District of Alabama.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 11, 1950, by Morris Fisheries, Inc., from Chicago, Ill.

PRODUCT: 88 15-pound boxes of frozen whiting at Birmingham, Ala.

LABEL, IN PART: "H & G Scaled Whiting Booth Fisheries Corp., Boston, Mass."

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

DISPOSITION: June 12, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

16372. Adulteration of frozen whiting. U. S. v. 625 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29240. Sample Nos. 70140-K, 70147-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 24, 1950, District of Nebraska.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 29, 1950, by the Pond Village Cold Storage Co., North Truro, Mass.

PRODUCT: 625 15-pound boxes of frozen whiting at Omaha, Nebr.

LABEL, IN PART: "Famous Booth Sea Food H & G Scaled Whiting Booth Fisheries Corp., Boston, Mass."

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

DISPOSITION: June 30, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

16373. Adulteration of crab meat. U. S. v. 1 Container * * * (and 1 other seizure action; 570 pounds, total). (F. D. C. Nos. 25375, 25376. Sample Nos. 2050-K, 2051-K.)

LIBELS FILED: On or about June 23, 1948, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 19, 1948, by the Blue Channel Corp., Belhaven, N. C.

PRODUCT: 570 pounds of crab meat at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Blue Channel Corp 1 Lb. Net Lump Crab Meat."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402(a)(3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy animal substance. Analysis showed that the product was contaminated with *B. coli* of fecal origin.

DISPOSITION: May 26, 1950. Claim, answer, and stipulation for costs having been filed, but claimant having subsequently withdrawn its claim, judgments of condemnation were entered and the court ordered that the product be destroyed and that costs be taxed.

16374. Adulteration of canned shrimp. U. S. v. 99 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28708. Sample No. 74213-K.)

LABEL FILED: February 7, 1950, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 21, 1949, by Reuther's Sea Food Co., Inc., from New Orleans, La.

PRODUCT: 99 cases, each containing 48 5-ounce cans, of shrimp at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Marvelous Brand Shrimp."

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

DISPOSITION: April 14, 1950. Reuther's Sea Food Co., Inc., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for segregation of the unfit portion, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. The segregation operations resulted in the destruction of 81 cases and 13 cans as unfit.

16375. Adulteration of frozen shrimp. U. S. v. 51 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28814. Sample No. 75430-K.)

LABEL FILED: January 26, 1950, District of Colorado.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 4, 1949, by Southern Shell Fish Co., Inc., from New Orleans, La.

PRODUCT: 51 cases, each containing 10 5-pound cartons, of frozen shrimp at Denver, Colo.

LABEL, IN PART: "Gulf Kist Frozen Fresh Shrimp."

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

DISPOSITION: February 17, 1950. Southern Shell Fish Co., Inc., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for reconditioning, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. On July 20 and 21, 1950, a total of 345 pounds of shrimp from the lot under seizure was segregated as unfit and was destroyed.