

PRODUCT: Soy sauce. 482 cases, each containing 4 1-gallon jugs, and 98 cases, each containing 12 1-quart bottles, at Denver, Colo.

LABEL, IN PART: "Marusho Soy Sauce."

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

DISPOSITION: August 1, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

VITAMIN, MINERAL, AND OTHER PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL DIETARY SIGNIFICANCE

16798. Adulteration of wheat germ. U. S. v. Dwarfies Corp. and James John Oberdin. Pleas of guilty. Corporation fined \$1,000 and individual defendant \$500, plus costs. Individual defendant also sentenced to 6 months in jail; jail sentence suspended and defendant placed on probation for 6 months. (F. D. C. No. 29162. Sample Nos. 55286-K, 68010-K.)

INDICTMENT RETURNED: May 16, 1950, Southern District of Iowa, against the Dwarfies Corp., Council Bluffs, Iowa, and James John Oberdin, secretary-treasurer of the corporation.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 3 and 25, 1949, from the State of Iowa into the States of Missouri and Colorado.

LABEL, IN PART: (Case) "12 - 11 Oz. Glass Jars Dwarfies Toasted Wheat Germ Mfd. [or "Packed"] By Dwarfies Corporation, Council Bluffs, Iowa."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of larvae, insect parts, and rodent excreta fragments.

DISPOSITION: October 28, 1950. Pleas of guilty having been entered, the court fined the corporation \$1,000 and the individual defendant \$500, plus costs. The individual defendant was also sentenced to 6 months in jail on each of the 2 counts of the information, with the sentences to run concurrently; however, the jail sentences were suspended, and the defendant was placed on probation for 6 months.

16799. Adulteration and misbranding of vitamin B complex tablets. U. S. v. White Laboratories, Inc. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$2,000. (F. D. C. No. 29449. Sample Nos. 11890-K, 42383-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: August 17, 1950, District of New Jersey, against White Laboratories, Inc., from Newark, N. J.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 16 and 20, 1949, from the State of New Jersey into the States of New York and Illinois.

LABEL, IN PART: "Natural Vitamin B Complex Tablets" and "B Complex Tablets."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), valuable constituents, thiamine, riboflavin, and nicotinic acid, had been in part omitted and abstracted from the tablets.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the statement "Each tablet contains not less than: Thiamine 0.5 Milligram Riboflavin 0.5 Milligram * * * Nicotinic Acid 300.0 Micrograms," borne on the label of a portion of the tablets, and the