

14383. Adulteration and misbranding of butter. U. S. v. 10 Cartons (640 pounds)
* * *. (F. D. C. No. 26685. Sample No. 45535-K.)

LIBEL FILED: February 3, 1949, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 26, 1949, by the Goodrich Creamery,
from Goodrich, N. Dak.

PRODUCT: 10 64-pound cartons of butter at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "J. R. Kramer, Inc. * * * 64 Lb. Butter."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing less
than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statement "Butter" was false and
misleading since the product contained less than 80 percent by weight of
milk fat.

DISPOSITION: March 3, 1949. The Goodrich Creamery, claimant, having admit-
ted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and
the product was ordered released under bond to be reworked, under the super-
vision of the Federal Security Agency.

14384. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 50 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27037.
Sample No. 30399-K.)

LIBEL FILED: February 28, 1949, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 11, 1949, by the Nelson-Ricks Cream-
ery, from Rexburg, Idaho.

PRODUCT: 50 cases, each containing 30 1-pound cartons, of butter at Los An-
geles, Calif.

LABEL, IN PART: (Cartons) "Banquet better Butter, Banquet Better Foods."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing less
than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: March 23, 1949. The Nelson-Ricks Creamery, claimant, having
consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and
the product was ordered released under bond to be segregated by code and the
low fat product reworked, under the supervision of the Federal Security
Agency.

CHEESE

14385. Adulteration and misbranding of cheese. U. S. v. Sunette Dairy Co., Inc.
Plea of guilty. Fine, \$900. (F. D. C. No. 24284. Sample Nos. 8858-K,
12507-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: January 25, 1949, Southern District of New York, against
Sunette Dairy Co., Inc., New York, N. Y.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 13 and 19, 1948, from the State of
New York into the States of New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

LABEL, IN PART: "Meadow Brands Pasteurized Cheese American Distrib-
uted by Meadow Brands Inc. New York, N. Y." or "Sunette's Pasteurized
American."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), the product in one of
the shipments contained more than 39 percent of moisture and its solids con-
tained less than 50 percent of milk fat.

Misbranding, Section 403 (g) (1), the product in the aforesaid shipment
failed to conform to the definition and standard of identity for cheese since
it contained more than 39 percent of moisture and its solids contained less

than 50 percent of milk fat; and, Section 403 (i) (2), the product in the remaining shipment was fabricated from two or more ingredients and its label failed to bear the common or usual name of each ingredient.

DISPOSITION: February 24, 1949. A plea of guilty having been entered, the defendant was fined \$900.

14386. Adulteration of Cheddar cheese. U. S. v. National Cheese Co. Plea of guilty. Fine of \$1,000 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 25598. Sample Nos. 43121-K to 43123-K, incl.)

INFORMATION FILED: December 16, 1948, Southern District of Illinois, against the National Cheese Co., a corporation, Aledo, Ill.

ALLEGED VIOLATION: The defendant was charged with giving a false guaranty to the Kraft Foods Co. of Wisconsin, Freeport, Ill., on or about November 27, 1947. It provided that all cheese comprising a shipment or delivery made by the defendant to the latter firm would be neither adulterated nor misbranded within the meaning of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

On or about June 22 and 29, 1948, the defendant delivered to the Kraft Foods Co. of Wisconsin quantities of Cheddar cheese that was adulterated. The Kraft Foods Co. of Wisconsin prior and subsequent to June 22 and 29, 1948, was engaged in the business of introducing and delivering for introduction into interstate commerce quantities of cheese supplied by the defendant.

LABEL, IN PART: "Illinois Cheddar Cheese."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect fragments, manure fragments, and plant fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared, packed, and held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: March 15, 1949. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$1,000 and costs.

14387. Adulteration of Colby cheese. U. S. v. The Fostoria Union Dairy Co. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$100 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 26295. Sample No. 15421-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: January 3, 1949, Northern District of Ohio, against the Fostoria Union Dairy Co., a corporation, Fostoria, Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 12, 1948, from the State of Ohio into the State of Michigan.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect fragments, including fragments of flies, and manure fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: January 13, 1949. A plea of guilty having been entered, the defendant was fined \$100 and costs.

14388. Adulteration of Swiss cheese. U. S. v. John Grossniklaus (Alpine Cheese Factory). Plea of guilty. Fine, \$250 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 26298. Sample No. 6905-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: December 31, 1948, Northern District of Ohio, against John Grossniklaus, trading as the Alpine Cheese Factory, Wilmot, Ohio.