

United States Department of Agriculture

FOOD, DRUG, AND INSECTICIDE ADMINISTRATION

NOTICES OF JUDGMENT UNDER THE FOOD AND DRUGS ACT

[Given pursuant to section 4 of the food and drugs act]

15201-15250

Approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., December 14, 1927]

201. Adulteration of canned stringless beans. U. S. v. 200 Cases of Canned Stringless Beans, and 185 Cases of String Beans. Default decrees of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction entered. (F. & D. Nos. 20646, 20651. I. S. Nos. 4245-x, 4247-x. S. Nos. C-4877, C-4881.)

On November 24, 1925, the United States attorney for the Western District of Oklahoma, acting upon reports by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district libels praying seizure and condemnation of 200 cases of canned stringless beans, and 185 cases of string beans, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Altus and Clinton, Oklahoma, respectively, consigned by the Litteral Canning Co., Fayetteville, Ark., alleging that the article had been shipped from Fayetteville, Ark., in part on or about September 15, 1925, and in part on or about September 23, 1925, and transported from the State of Arkansas into the State of Oklahoma, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act. The article was labeled in part: (can) "Licano (or "Our Favorite Brand") Cut Stringless Beans * * * Packed by Litteral Canning Company, Fayetteville, Ark." It was alleged in the libels that the article was adulterated, in that it contained in whole or in part of a filthy, decomposed, and putrid vegetable substance.

On March 17, and October 18, 1926, respectively, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgments of condemnation and forfeiture were entered and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

W. M. JARDINE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

202. Adulteration of canned string beans. U. S. v. 145 Cases of Canned String Beans. Default decree of forfeiture and destruction entered. (F. & D. No. 20647. I. S. No. 4246-x. S. No. C-4878.)

On November 24, 1925, the United States attorney for the Western District of Oklahoma, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 145 cases of canned string beans, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Frederick, Okla., consigned by Appleby Bros., Fayetteville, Ark., alleging that the article had been shipped from Fayetteville, Ark., on or about September 23, 1925, and transported from the State of Arkansas into the State of Oklahoma, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act. The article was labeled, in part: "Zat Zit Brand Cut String Beans * * * Packed by Appleby Bros., Fayetteville, Ark."

It was alleged in the libel that the article was adulterated, in that it contained in whole or in part of a filthy, decomposed, and putrid vegetable substance.

On October 18, 1926, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

W. M. JARDINE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*