1577. Adulteration of haddock fillets. U. S. v. 140 Boxes of Haddock Fillets. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 3361. Sample No. 31868–E.)

This product was in whole or in part decomposed.

On November 22, 1940, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois filed a libel against 140 boxes of haddock fillets at Chicago, Ill., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about October 10, 1940, by the Genoa Fisheries from Boston, Mass.; and charging that it was adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

On January 28, 1941, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

1578. Adulteration of perch fillets. U. S. v. 800 and 120 Boxes of Perch Fillets. Decree of condemnation. Product released under bond for segregation and destruction of unfit portion. (F. D. C. No. 2737. Sample Nos. 24475–E, 24476–E.)

On September 3, 1940, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania filed a libel against 920 boxes of perch fillets at Philadelphia, Pa., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about August 26, 1940, by the Cape Fish Co. from Boston, Mass.; and charging that it was adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance. The article was labeled in part: "Sea Perch Fillets"; or "North East Perch Fillets Produced by Gloucester Fresh Fish Company Boston Mass."

On September 23, 1940, O'Hara Bros., Boston, Mass., having appeared as claimant, judgment of condemnation was entered, and the product was ordered released under bond conditioned that it be brought into compliance with the law under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. All unfit fish were segregated and destroyed.

1579. Adulteration of ocean perch. U. S. v. 700 Boxes of Ocean Perch. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond for elimination of the unfit portion. (F. D. C. No. 3305. Sample No. 31853–E.)

This product was in part decomposed.

On November 2, 1940, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois filed a libel against 700 boxes of frozen ocean perch at Chicago, Ill., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about October 18, 1940, by Forty-Fathom Fish, Inc., from Boston, Mass.; and charging that it was adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance. The article was labeled in part: "Fresh Ocean Perch Frosted Packed by Gorton-Pew Fisheries Co. Ltd. Gloucester Mass."

On January 6, 1941, the Gorton-Pew Fisheries Co., Ltd., Gloucester, Mass., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond conditioned that the good be separated from the bad and that the wholesome portion alone be disposed of for human consumption.

1580. Adulteration of fish. U. S. v. 338 Boxes of Perch Fillets. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 3043. Sample Nos. 9853–E, 9854–E.)

This product was in whole or in part decomposed.

On September 20, 1940, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Louisiana filed a libel against 338 boxes of perch fillets at New Orleans, La., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about August 26, 1940, by the New England Fillet Co. from Gloucester, Mass.; and charging that it was adulterated in that it consisted wholly or in part of a decomposed substance. The article was labeled in part: "Ocean Perch Fillets Packed by Gloucester Seafoods Corp., Gloucester, Mass."

On December 20, 1940, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

1581. Adulteration and misbranding of cod fillets. U. S. v. 11 Tins of Cod Fillets. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 3848. Sample No. 51015–E.)

This product was offered for sale as cod fillets, but examination showed that it was cusk.

On or about February 21, 1941, the United States attorney for the District of Connecticut filed a libel against 11 tins, each containing 30 pounds, of cod fillets at Hartford, Conn., alleging that the article had been shipped in inter-