

and (insert label) "Seacrest Brand Ocean Perch Frosted Fillets To be weighed at time of sale New England Fillet Co., Inc., Boston, Mass."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that approximately 20 per cent of the fillets did not have the scales removed.

LIBELED: 5-27-63, Dist. Mass.

CHARGE: 402(b)(2)—when shipped and while held for sale, fillets with scales had been substituted in part for fillets with scales removed; and 402(a)(3)—contained parasitic copepods.

DISPOSITION: 7-29-63. Default—delivered to a public institution for use as animal feed.

29147. Frozen perch fillets. (F.D.C. No. 49255. S. Nos. 7-787/90 X.)

QUANTITY: 1,394 ctns., each containing 12 1-lb. pkgs., at Portland, Maine.

SHIPPED: The fillets were prepared and packed at Portland, Maine, from fish caught by the fishing vessel "Kennebec," in the waters of the Atlantic Ocean outside the territorial limits of the State of Maine, which vessel landed the fish at Portland, on or about 8-13-63.

LIBELED: 9-9-63, Dist. Maine.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained decomposed fish fillets when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 10-3-63. Consent—claimed by Fulham Bros., Inc., Portland, Maine. Reconditioned; 9,036 lbs. destroyed.

29148. Frozen fish sticks. (F.D.C. No. 48891. S. Nos. 6-033 V, 6-049 V, 33-471 V.)

INFORMATION FILED: 9-13-63, Dist. Mass., against Fulham Bros., Inc., Boston, Mass.

SHIPPED: Between 10-19-62 and 10-29-62, from Massachusetts to Connecticut and Minnesota.

LABEL IN PART: (Pkg.) "18 Haddock Fishsticks * * * A Product of Fulham Brothers, Inc. General Offices, Boston, Mass., U.S.A. * * * Contains: Haddock, Toasted Wheat, Wheat Flour, Corn Flour, Dried Eggs, Non-Fat Milk Solids, Salt, Spices, Leavening, Vegetable Oil and Monosodium Glutamate"; "Finest 18 Haddock Fishsticks Net Wt. 14 oz. Packed For First National Stores, Inc. * * * Somerville, Mass."

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained insects and insect and cockroach parts; 402(a)(4)—prepared under insanitary conditions; 403(a)—the label statement "Haddock" was false and misleading as applied to portions of the article which consisted of codfish; and 403(b)—portions of the article were offered for sale under the name of another food, namely, haddock.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 9-23-63. \$5,000 fine.

29149. Dried abalone. (F.D.C. No. 47271. S. No. 74-961 T.)

QUANTITY: 28 50-lb. cases at San Francisco, Calif.

SHIPPED: Between 1-17-62 and 2-8-62, from Kobe, Japan.

LIBELED: 3-29-62, N. Dist. Calif.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained moldy abalone meat while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 5-22-62. Consent—claimed by Wing Sing Chong Co., San Francisco, Calif., and denatured.

29150. Frozen oysters. (F.D.C. No. 49216. S. Nos. 54-612/4 V.)

QUANTITY: 371 cases, 12 cans each, at Omaha, Nebr.

SHIPPED: 1-11-63, from Norfolk, Va., by Ballard Fish & Oyster Co., Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "VA 207 Ballard Egg Island Brand Frozen Sea-Fresh Oysters * * * Net Weight 12 Ozs. Avoir, (11.3 Fluid oz.) * * * Packed by Ballard Fish & Oyster Co., Inc., Norfolk, Va."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the average drained weight was between 36.3 percent and 39.9 percent.

LIBELED: 8-7-63, Dist. Nebr.

CHARGE: 402(b)(2)—when shipped, water had been substituted in part for oysters; 403(a)—the label statement "Oysters" was false and misleading as applied to a product consisting in part of water; and 403(i)(2)—the article failed to bear the common or usual name of each ingredient since added water had not been declared.

DISPOSITION: 10-11-63. Default—destruction.

29151. Frozen breaded shrimp. (F.D.C. No. 49201. S. No. 25-366 X.)

QUANTITY: 298 ctns., each containing 12 9-oz. pkgs., at Lansing, Mich.

SHIPPED: 6-20-63, from Tampa, Fla., by Singleton Packing Corp.

LABEL IN PART: (Pkg.) "Product of U.S.A. Singleton Brand 21 Shrimp in the Basket * * * Ingredients * * * Packed by Singleton Packing Corp., Tampa, Florida."

LIBELED: 7-26-63, W. Dist. Mich.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained *E. coli*, and coliform bacteria; and 402(a)(4)—prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 10-10-63. Default—destruction.

29152. Canned sardines in tomato sauce. (F.D.C. No. 49291. S. No. 31-533 X.)

QUANTITY: 8,433 cases, each containing 24 15-oz. cans, at Terminal Island, Calif.

SHIPPED: 10-24-62 and 11-25-62, from Cape Town, South Africa, by Federal Fish Packer.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "VAN CAMP'S SARDINES Packed in Tomato Sauce Van Camp Sea Food Company Distributors Port of Long Beach, Calif. Product of South West Africa."

LIBELED: 8-28-63, S. Dist. Calif.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained decomposed tomato material when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 10-16-63. Consent—claimed by Van Camp Sea Food Co. for export to original foreign supplier.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

FRESH FRUIT

29153. Fresh blueberries. (F.D.C. No. 47650. S. No. 6-338 X.)

QUANTITY: 20 crates, each containing 16 1-qt. boxes, at Boston, Mass.