

**6484. Adulteration and misbranding of frozen eggs. U. S. v. Twin Rivers Co., Inc. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$100 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 11337. Sample No. 45373-F.)**

**INFORMATION FILED:** On February 25, 1944, in the District of Nebraska, against the Twin Rivers Co., Inc., Grand Island, Nebr.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about May 27, 1943, from the State of Nebraska into the State of New York.

**LABEL, IN PART:** The product was unlabeled.

**VIOLATIONS CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (1), it was in package form and did not bear a label containing the name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor; Section 403 (e) (2), it failed to bear a statement of the quantity of the contents; and, Section 403 (g) (2), the article purported to be and was represented as frozen eggs, a food for which a definition and standard of identity has been prescribed by regulations, but it did not bear a label containing the name of the food specified in the definition and standard.

**DISPOSITION:** April 11, 1944. A plea of guilty having been entered, a fine of \$50 on each of 2 counts was imposed, with costs.

**6485. Adulteration of shell eggs. U. S. v. 1,450 Cases of Shell Eggs (and 1 other seizure action against shell eggs). Consent decrees of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. Nos. 11926, 11928. Sample Nos. 76502-F to 76510-F, incl.)**

**LIBELS FILED:** On or about February 29 and March 2, 1944, Southern District of New York and District of New Jersey.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** From on or about July 28 to September 10, 1943, by Carl T. Ridenour, from St. Paris and Versailles, Ohio.

**PRODUCT:** Shell eggs: 1,450 cases at Bronx, N. Y., and 1,515 cases at Jersey City, N. J., each case containing 30 dozen eggs.

**VIOLATION CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

**DISPOSITION:** March 16 and April 8, 1944. Carl T. Ridenour, claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libels, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that the unfit portion be segregated and destroyed, or denatured and disposed of for technical and industrial purposes, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

**6486. Adulteration of dried egg screenings. U. S. v. John C. Jensen, Francis B. Jensen, and Ernest J. Jensen (T. Jensen & Sons). Plea of guilty. Fine, \$100 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 10600. Sample No. 9063-F.)**

**INFORMATION FILED:** On December 29, 1943, in the District of Kansas, against John C. Jensen, Francis B. Jensen, and Ernest J. Jensen, trading as copartners under the firm name, T. Jensen & Sons, Chanute, Kans.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about April 15, 1943, from the State of Kansas into the State of Texas.

**VIOLATION CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy and decomposed substance by reason of the presence of moldy egg particles, insect fragments, cinder fragments, rodent hair fragments, rust, and lead fragments.

**DISPOSITION:** April 25, 1944. A plea of guilty having been entered by the defendants as a partnership, a fine of \$100 was imposed, with costs.

#### FISH AND SHELLFISH

**6487. Adulteration of frozen ciscoes. U. S. v. 1,307 Cartons of Frozen Ciscoes (and 1 other seizure action against frozen ciscoes). Decrees of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. Nos. 11749, 11771. Sample Nos. 48933-F, 67286-F, 67294-F.)**

**LIBELS FILED:** February 3 and 11, 1944, Northern and Southern Districts of Ohio.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about January 5, 1944, by the Kroger Grocery and Baking Co., Duluth, Minn.

**PRODUCT:** 1,307 15-pound cartons of ciscoes at Cincinnati, Ohio, and 654 15-pound cartons at Toledo, Ohio.

**LABEL IN PART:** "Frospac Brand Ciscos \* \* \* Packed for B. A. Griffin Co., Inc., Milwaukee, Wis."

**VIOLATION CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

**DISPOSITION:** March 11 and 27, 1944. The B. A. Griffin Co., Inc., claimant, having admitted the allegations in the libel, and the court having found that a portion of the product had been shipped by B. A. Griffin Co., Inc., judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

**6488. Adulteration of frozen croakers. U. S. v. 90 Boxes of Croakers. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.** (F. D. C. No. 10438. Sample Nos. 35175-F, 35180-F.)

**LIBEL FILED:** August 19, 1943, Northern District of Georgia.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENTS** On or about May 16, 1943, by Marshall Durbin & Co., from Birmingham, Ala.

**PRODUCT:** 90 Boxes, each containing 100 pounds, of frozen croakers at Atlanta, Ga.

**VIOLATION CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

**DISPOSITION:** September 28, 1943. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

**6489. Adulteration of frozen eel pout fillets. U. S. v. 479 Cartons of Eel Pout Fillets. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.** (F. D. C. No. 12223. Sample No. 79232-F.)

**LIBEL FILED:** April 19, 1944, District of Columbia.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about March 28, 1944, by the Wamsutta Fillet Corporation, from New Bedford, Mass.

**PRODUCT:** 479 cartons, each containing 10 pounds, of frozen eel pout fillets at Washington, D. C.

**VIOLATIONS CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of parasitized and diseased fish; and, Section 402 (a) (5), it was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

**DISPOSITION:** May 17, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed. Destruction was effected by delivery to the Washington zoo, for use as animal feed.

**6490. Adulteration of frozen eel pout fillets. U. S. v. 41 Boxes of Frozen Eel Pout Fillets. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.** (F. D. C. No. 12210. Sample No. 76412-F.)

**LIBEL FILED:** April 19, 1944, Southern District of New York.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about March 12, 15, and 16, 1944, by the Whaling City Fisheries, New Bedford, Mass.

**PRODUCT:** 41 boxes, each containing 15 pounds, of frozen eel pout fillets at New York, N. Y.

**VIOLATIONS CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of parasitized and diseased fish; and, Section 402 (a) (5), it was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

**DISPOSITION:** May 3, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

**6491. Adulteration and misbranding of frozen eel pout fillets. U. S. v. 100 Cartons of Frozen Eel Pout Fillets. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.** (F. D. C. No. 11995. Sample No. 65960-F.)

**LIBEL FILED:** March 13, 1944, Southern District of New York.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about January 20 and 23, 1944, by Frank Raymond, Provincetown, Mass, and Frank Maria and Ralph Minucci, New London, Conn.

**PRODUCT:** 100 cartons, each containing 20 pounds, of frozen eel pout fillets at New York, N. Y.

**VIOLATIONS CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy and decomposed substance by reason of the