also that it contained starch, the addition of which gave it more body and the appearance of a larger percentage of solids from buttermilk, and thus of a greater value as food.

LABEL, IN PART: "Yankee Brand Condensed Buttermilk Minimum Analysis Protein . . . 8%."

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (4), starch had been added to and mixed and packed with the product so as to make it appear better and of greater value than it was.

Misbranding, Section 403 (b), the product was offered for sale under the name of another food; and, Section 403 (a), the statements "Protein . . . 8%" and "Condensed Buttermilk" were false and misleading as applied to an article which did not contain the declared amount of protein and which contained added starch.

DISPOSITION: August 8, 1945. The Nashville Buttermilk Co., Nashville, Tenn., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for relabeling in compliance with the law, under supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

8202. Adulteration of processed lunch loaf and processed cheese. U. S. v. Hygrade Food Products Corporation. Plea of guilty. Fine, $1,500. (F. D. C. No. 15570. Sample Nos. 34939–F, 84872–F, 84874–F.)

INFORMATION FILED: September 5, 1945, Southern District of New York, against the Hygrade Food Products Corporation, New York, N. Y.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 5 and 9, 1944, from the State of New York into the States of Florida and Pennsylvania.

LABEL, IN PART: "Shelby Brand Provolone Type Process Lunch Loaf Distributed by Dunlevy-Franklin Corporation Pittsburgh, Pa.," or "Hygrade Brand Pasteurized Process Cheese Manufactured by Hygrade Food Products Corporation New York City."

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances, insect fragments, a maggot, mites, rodent hair fragments, cat hair fragments, human hair fragments, feather fragments, mold clots, wood splinters, paint fragments, rind fragments, charred cheese fragments, and metal particles; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby they may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: September 13, 1945. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of $500 on each of 3 counts, a total fine of $1,500.

8203. Adulteration and misbranding of Cheddar cheese. U. S. v. Concordia Creamery Co. Plea of guilty. Fine, $100 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 14315. Sample No. 66653–F.)

INFORMATION FILED: July 18, 1945, Western District of Missouri, against the Concordia Creamery Co., a corporation, Concordia, Mo.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 15, 1944, from the State of Missouri into the State of Kansas.

LABEL, IN PART: "Pasteurized Missouri Cheddar Cheese."

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing more than 39 percent of moisture and less than 50 percent of milk fat had been substituted for Cheddar cheese.

Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (1), the product failed to bear a label containing the name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor; and, Section 403 (g) (1), it failed to conform to the definition and standard of identity for Cheddar cheese, since it contained more than 39 percent of moisture and its solids contained less than 50 percent of milk fat.

DISPOSITION: August 9, 1945. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of $50 on each of 2 counts, a total fine of $100 and costs.

8204. Adulteration of Cheddar cheese. U. S. v. 84 Boxes of Cheddar Cheese Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered sold to be converted into grease. (F. D. C. No. 16294. Sample No. 5741–H.)

LIBEL FILED: May 5, 1945, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 25, 1945, by the Hygrade Food Products Corporation, from Plainfield, Iowa.