NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the vignette of a dish containing middle cuts of green beans and the term "Cut Green Beans" were misleading as applied to a byproduct consisting mainly of end cuts and tips of string beans.

DISPOSITION: October 7, 1946. The California Packing Corporation, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for relabeling under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

10815. Adulteration of canned beans with pork and tomato sauce. U. S. v. 342 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 18218. Sample No. 12429–H.)

LIBEL FILED: October 25, 1945, District of Massachusetts.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 13, 1945, by the Sweet Life Food Corporation, from Baltimore, Md.

PRODUCT: 342 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 14-ounce cans, of beans with pork and tomato sauce.

LABEL, IN PART: "Gibbs Beans with Pork and Tomato Sauce * * * Packed by Gibbs & Co., Inc., Baltimore, Md., U. S. A."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

DISPOSITION: March 11, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

10816. Adulteration of frozen corn. U. S. v. 795 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 18912. Sample No. 37436–H.)

LIBEL FILED: January 28, 1946, Western District of Washington.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 18, 1945, by the Monmouth Products Co., from Jersey City., N. J.

PRODUCT: 795 cases, each containing 22 2½-pound packages, of frozen corn at Seattle, Wash. Examination showed that the product was sour.

LABEL, IN PART: "Monmouth House Frosted Foods."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

DISPOSITION: July 13, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a Federal prison, to be used for animal feed.

10817. Adulteration of cucumber chips and cucumber pickles. U. S. v. 21 Cartons, etc. (F. D. C. No. 19092. Sample No. 3935–H.)

LIBEL FILED: February 8, 1946, Middle District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 25, 1945, by Cosmo Salads, Inc., from Brooklyn, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 21 cartons, each containing 12 1-quart jars, of cucumber chips and 12 cartons, each containing 12 1-quart jars, of cucumber pickles at Lansford, Pa. Examination showed that the products had undergone spoilage.

LABEL, IN PART: "Cosmo Kosher Style Cucumber Chips [or "Pickles"]."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of decomposed substances.

DISPOSITION: April 22, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the products were ordered destroyed.

Nos. 10818 to 10823 report actions involving canned peas that purported to be a food for which a standard of quality has been prescribed by law, but the quality was charged to fall below the standard because of higher alcohol-insoluble solids than the maximum permitted by the standard, and the labels failed to bear, in the manner and form that the regulations specify, a statement that the product was below the standard.

10818. Misbranding of canned peas. U. S. v. 1,731 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 19160. Sample Nos. 14116–H, 14131–H.)

LIBEL FILED: February 1, 1946, Middle District of Tennessee.