

23871. Fresh crabmeat. (F. D. C. No. 39323. S. Nos. 762 M, 39-513 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 7-12-56, N. Dist. Fla., against Barwick Bros. Seafood Fish Co., a partnership, Panacea, Fla., and Augustus Barwick, partner.

SHIPPED: 4-13-56 and 4-16-56, from Florida to Louisiana.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "Barwick Bros. Crab House Fla. 86C Crab Meat 1 Lb. Net Panacea, Fla." and "Carrabelle Crab Plant Fla. 99-C Crab Meat 1 Lb. Net Carrabelle, Fla."

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained *Escherichia coli* of fecal origin; and 402 (a) (4)—prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 9-13-57. Imposition of sentence suspended and defendants placed on probation for 2 years.

23872. Oysters. (F. D. C. No. 39816. S. Nos. 55-535/6 M.)

QUANTITY: 465 cans at Evansville, Ind.

SHIPPED: 11-13-56, from Louisville, Ky., by Bob Kelly Food Sales Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "Delicious Oysters * * * Seacoast Oyster Co., Baltimore, Md., Md. 51 * * * 12 Fl. Ozs."

LIBELED: 12-12-56, S. Dist. Ind.

CHARGE: 402 (b) (2)—water had been substituted in part for oysters when shipped; and 402 (b) (4)—water had been added to the oysters and mixed with them so as to increase their bulk or weight and reduce their quality.

DISPOSITION: 12-19-56. Consent—destruction.

23873. Oysters. (F. D. C. No. 39734. S. No. 47-281 M.)

QUANTITY: 1 bbl. containing 92 1-pt. cans at Seattle, Wash.

SHIPPED: 12-14-56, from Mauricetown, N. J., by Port Norris Oyster Co., Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "Coast Pact Oysters."

LIBELED: 12-26-56, W. Dist. Wash.

CHARGE: 402 (b) (2)—water had been substituted in part for oysters when shipped; and 402 (b) (4)—water had been added to the oysters and mixed with them to increase their bulk or weight and reduce their quality.

DISPOSITION: 4-15-57. Default—delivered to a Federal Institution, for consumption by the inmates.

23874. Oysters. (F. D. C. No. 39735. S. No. 67-069 M.)

QUANTITY: 1 bbl. containing 78 12-oz. tins at Morgantown, W. Va.

SHIPPED: 12-18-56, from Baltimore, Md., by Seacoast Oyster Co., Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "Delicious Oysters."

LIBELED: 12-27-56, N. Dist. W. Va.

CHARGE: 402 (b) (2)—water had been substituted in part for oysters when shipped; and 402 (b) (4)—water had been added to the oysters and mixed with them to increase their bulk or weight and reduce their quality.

DISPOSITION: 1-30-57. Default—destruction.

23875. Frozen shrimp. (F. D. C. No. 39878. S. No. 69-263 M.)

QUANTITY: 21 cases, each containing 10 5-lb. ctns., at Philadelphia, Pa.

SHIPPED: 2-9-57, from Charlotte, N. C.

LIBELED: On or about 3-19-57, E. Dist. Pa.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained decomposed shrimp while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 3-25-57. Consent—claimed by Liberty Fish Co., Philadelphia, Pa. Segregated; 285 lbs. denatured and released for sale as bait shrimp.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

DRIED FRUIT

23876. Raisins. (F. D. C. No. 39730. S. No. 48-131 M.)

QUANTITY: 273 cases, 24 15-oz. boxes each, at New York, N. Y.

SHIPPED: 10-29-56, from Del Rey, Calif., by Del Rey Packing Co.

LIBELED: 1-17-57, S. Dist. N. Y.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained insects and insect eggs when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 2-8-57. Default—destruction.

23877. Raisins. (F. D. C. No. 39744. S. No. 60-678 M.)

QUANTITY: 15 cases, 24 boxes each, at Brockton, Mass.

SHIPPED: 11-6-56, from Del Rey, Calif., by Enoch Packing Co., Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Box) "Sweet-n-Tasty Seedless Raisins."

LIBELED: 1-4-57, Dist. Mass.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained insects when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 2-25-57. Default—destruction.

VEGETABLES AND VEGETABLE PRODUCTS

23878. Canned asparagus spears. (F. D. C. No. 39790. S. No. 44-002 M.)

QUANTITY: 28 cases, 12 4-lb. 2-oz. cans each, at Springfield, Mo.

SHIPPED: Between 2-24-56 and 5-23-56, from Stockton, Calif.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article was undergoing chemical decomposition.

LIBELED: On or about 12-3-56, W. Dist. Mo.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained a decomposed substance while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 1-21-57. Default—destruction.

23879. Dried kidney beans. (F. D. C. No. 39752. S. No. 61-584 M.)

QUANTITY: 76 cases, 24 1-lb. bags each, at Baltimore, Md.

SHIPPED: 10-11-56, from Port Huron, Mich.

LIBELED: On or about 1-9-57, Dist. Md.

CHARGE: Only 402 (a) (3)—contained insects while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 2-1-57. Default—destruction.

23880. Mung beans. (F. D. C. No. 39888. S. No. 61-034 M.)

QUANTITY: 17 100-lb. bags at Rockland, Mass., in possession of Chinese Food Products, Inc.

SHIPPED: 1-7-57, from New York, N. Y.

LIBELED: 3-5-57, Dist. Mass.