

Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared, packed, and held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: February 20, 1947. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of \$250.

11585. Adulteration of cheese. U. S. v. 30 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 20869. Sample Nos. 48331-H, 48332-H.)

LIBEL FILED: September 11, 1946, District of Colorado.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 30, 1946, by A. V. Peterson, from Olympia, Wash.

PRODUCT: 30 boxes each containing 2 10-pound cheeses at Denver, Colo.

LABEL, IN PART: "Kummin-Ost [or "Nordland Ost"] Kalas Brand, Scandinavian Cheese."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy and decomposed substance by reason of the presence of larvae, insect parts, and black mold.

DISPOSITION: November 18, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

11586. Adulteration of cheese. U. S. v. 5 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 20914. Sample No. 47726-H.)

LIBEL FILED: September 24, 1946, Western District of Washington.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 17, 1946, by the Colorado Cheese Co., from Trinidad, Colo.

PRODUCT: 5 boxes each containing 6 15-pound cheeses at Seattle, Wash.

LABEL, IN PART: "Colorado Romano Cheese."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of live worms.

DISPOSITION: November 22, 1946. Angelo Merlino & Sons, Seattle, Wash., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that it be reprocessed, cleaned, and recoated under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

11587. Adulteration and misbranding of grated cheese. U. S. v. 352 Dozen Cartons * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21187. Sample Nos. 48626-H, 48627-H.)

LIBEL FILED: October 16, 1946, District of Colorado.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 31, 1946, by the Ehrat Cheese Co., Inc., from Chicago, Ill.

PRODUCT: 176 dozen 2-ounce cartons and 176 dozen 1½-ounce cartons of grated cheese at Denver, Colo. Examination showed that the American type grated cheese contained approximately 27 percent lactose, and that the Italian type contained approximately 14 percent lactose, showing the presence of a milk product other than cheese.

LABEL, IN PART: "Bluhill Grated Cheese American Type [or "Italian Type"] Distributed by Bluhill Foods, Inc., Denver, Colo."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a substance high in lactose had been substituted in whole or in part for grated cheese.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statements "Grated Cheese American Type" and "Grated Cheese Italian Type" were false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: March 26, 1947. The Ehrat Cheese Co., Inc., having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that it be relabeled under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

MISCELLANEOUS DAIRY PRODUCTS

11588. Adulteration of ice cream. U. S. v. Asael Farr and Sons Co. (Farr Ice Cream Co.), a corporation, and Asael Farr, Sr., and Dexter Farr. Pleas of guilty. Fines of \$20 against the corporation, \$20 against Dexter Farr, and \$10 against Asael Farr, Sr. (F. D. C. No. 20977. Sample Nos. 48401-H, 48406-H.)

LABEL FILED: December 10, 1946, District of Utah, against Asael Farr and Sons Co., trading as the Farr Ice Cream Co., Ogden, Utah, and Asael Farr, Sr., president, and Dexter Farr, treasurer and manager.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 6 and 7, 1946, from the State of Utah into the State of Nevada.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent excreta pellets, animal hair resembling dog hair, colored fibers, an insect body, an insect fragment, an insect seta, plant tissue, and metal fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared, packed, and held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: December 16, 1946. Pleas of guilty having been entered by all three defendants, the court imposed fines of \$20 against the corporation, \$20 against Dexter Farr, and \$10 against Asael Farr, Sr.

11589. Adulteration of cream and nonfat dry milk solids. U. S. v. Star Valley Creamery Co., Joseph E. Linford, and Cannon S. Wray. Pleas of guilty. Fines of \$150 against each defendant. (F. D. C. No. 20957. Sample Nos. 25766-H, 47176-H, 47939-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: November 12, 1946, District of Wyoming, against the Star Valley Creamery Co., a corporation, Afton, Wyo., and Joseph E. Linford, president, and Cannon S. Wray, manager.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 7 and 10 and July 11, 1946, from the State of Wyoming into the States of Colorado and Utah.

LABEL, IN PART: "Star Valley Dry Milk Solids." The cream was unlabeled.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of rodent, cow, and other animal hairs, insect parts, sand-like particles, vegetable fibers, paint scale, a wood fragment, plant particles, plant tissue, and carbonaceous material; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared, packed, and held under insanitary conditions whereby they may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: December 16, 1946. Pleas of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendants, the court imposed fines of \$50 against each defendant on each of the three counts, a total of \$450.

11590. Adulteration of dry milk solids. U. S. v. 40 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21169. Sample No. 48376-H.)

LABEL FILED: October 18, 1946, District of Nebraska.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 20, 1946, by the Dutch Maid Bakery, from Casper, Wyo.

PRODUCT: 40 boxes, each containing 100 pounds, of dry milk solids at Scottsbluff, Nebr.

LABEL, IN PART: "Star Valley Dry Milk Solids * * * Star Valley Creamery, Afton, Wyoming."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect fragments, feather barbules, and rodent hairs; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: May 27, 1947. The Star Valley Creamery Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be disposed of in compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

EGGS

11591. Adulteration of frozen eggs. U. S. v. Ray E. Wenk (Wenk Brothers Produce Co.). (F. D. C. No. 20964. Sample No. 5832-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: June 5, 1947, District of South Dakota, against Ray E. Wenk, trading as the Wenk Brothers Produce Co., Madison, S. Dak.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 31, 1945, from the State of South Dakota into the State of New York.