DAIRY PRODUCTS

BUTTER

20058. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 35 Cartons (approx. 2,222½ pounds) * * *. (F. D. C. No. 34174. Sample No. 56247–L.)

LIBEL FILED: January 17, 1953, Southern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 8, 1953, by the Springfield Creamery Co., from Springfield, Mo.

PRODUCT: 35 cartons, each containing approximately 63½ pounds, of butter at Cincinnati, Ohio.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: January 29, 1953. The Merchants Creamery Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be reworked under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

20059. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 29 Cartons (approx. 1,914 pounds) * * *. (F. D. C. No. 34172. Sample No. 20381–L.)

LIBEL FILED: January 12, 1953, Northern District of Iowa.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 6, 1953, by the Welcome Creamery Co., from Welcome, Minn.

PRODUCT: 29 cartons, each containing approximately 66 pounds, of butter at Webster City, Iowa.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: February 17, 1953. The shipper, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be reworked under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

CHEESE

20060. Misbranding of colby cheese and cheddar cheese. U. S. v. North Loup Cooperative Cheese Co. and Sunshine C. Hawkes. Pleas of nolo contendere. Company fined $150 and costs; individual defendant fined $45. (F. D. C. No. 33852. Sample Nos. 16633–L, 16634–L.)

INFORMATION FILED: December 30, 1952, District of Nebraska, against the North Loup Cooperative Cheese Co., a corporation, North Loup, Nebr., and Sunshine C. Hawkes, treasurer and manager.

ALLEGED VIOLATION: On or about June 27, 1952, the defendants gave to a firm engaged in the business of shipping cheese in interstate commerce a guaranty to the effect that all products shipped by the defendant to the holder of the guaranty would be neither adulterated nor misbranded within the meaning of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.