

PRODUCT: 236 cases, each containing 12 cans, of grape nectar at Dallas, Tex.
LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Contents 1 Qt. 14 Fl. Ozs. Val-Sweet Grape Nectar
 Packed by Val-Sweet Company San Francisco, California."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (2), the article contained an added poisonous and deleterious substance, monochloroacetic acid, which is unsafe within the meaning of the law since it is a substance not required in the production of the article and can be avoided by good manufacturing practice.

DISPOSITION: May 6, 1952. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

20473. Adulteration of prune juice. U. S. v. 95 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 34461. Sample No. 26446-L.)

LABEL FILED: On or about January 7, 1953, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 18, 1952, by the American Fig & Date Co., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 95 cases, each containing 12 quart bottles, of prune juice at Camden, N. J.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bottle) "Tartan * * * Prune Juice."

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 excreta.

DISPOSITION: March 17, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

VEGETABLES AND VEGETABLE PRODUCTS*

20474. Adulteration of artichokes. U. S. v. 44 Half Crates, etc. (F. D. C. No. 35243. Sample No. 51713-L.)

LABEL FILED: May 15, 1953, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 25, 1953, by the California Artichoke & Vegetable Growers Corp., from Castroville, Calif.

PRODUCT: 44 half crates and 4 full crates of artichokes at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Ocean Mist Brand California Artichokes."

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 worms and worm excreta.

DISPOSITION: May 20, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

20475. Adulteration of navy beans. U. S. v. 14 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 34806. Sample No. 20571-L.)

LABEL FILED: April 6, 1953, Southern District of Iowa.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 7, 1952, from Saginaw, Mich.

PRODUCT: 14 100-pound bags of navy beans at Keokuk, Iowa, in the possession of the S. Hamill Co.

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 rodent urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

*See also No. 20487.