

21498. Adulteration and misbranding of tomato puree. U. S. v. 37 Cases * * *.
(F. D. C. No. 36454. Sample No. 84462-L.)

LABEL FILED: March 25, 1954, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 10, 1954, by the Carlini Canning Co., from Vineland, N. J.

PRODUCT: 37 cases, each containing 6 cans, of tomato puree at Philadelphia, Pa.

LABEL, IN PART: (Case) "Romano—Tomato Puree * * * Contents 6 lb. 8 oz."

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 fly eggs and maggots, and of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed tomato material.

Misbranding, Section 403 (g) (1), the article failed to conform to the definition and standard of identity for tomato puree since the article contained less than 8.37 percent of salt-free tomato solids, the minimum permitted by the definition and standard.

DISPOSITION: July 14, 1954. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

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21499. Adulteration of scalded hog stomachs. U. S. v. 14 Tins * * *. (F. D. C. No. 36538. Sample No. 51949-L.)

LABEL FILED: April 30, 1954, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 17, 1954, from Cleveland, Ohio.

PRODUCT: 14 tins, containing a total of 525 pounds, of scalded hog stomachs at Newark, N. J.

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 flies, and of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed hog stomachs. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: June 11, 1954. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

21500. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. Kissell Bros. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$100. (F. D. C. No. 36571. Sample No. 66075-L.)

INFORMATION FILED: June 4, 1954, Northern District of Ohio, against Kissell Bros., a partnership, Columbus Grove, Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 1, 1953, from the State of Ohio into the State of Illinois.

LABEL, IN PART: (Carton) "Springbrook Oven Ready Chickens Packed By Kissell Bros. Columbus Grove, O."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of birds which were contaminated with crop material and fecal matter.

DISPOSITION: June 25, 1954. The defendant having entered a plea of nolo contendere, the court imposed a fine of \$100.