VEGETABLES AND VEGETABLE PRODUCTS

21034. Adulteration of dried beans. U. S. v. 17 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35948. Sample No. 83511–L.)

LIBEL FILED: October 28, 1953, District of North Dakota.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 6, 1953, from Glendive, Mont.

PRODUCT: 17 100-pound bags of dried beans at Fargo, N. Dak., in possession of the International Elevator 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), the article 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.

DISPOSITION: November 4, 1953. The International Elevator Co. having consented to the destruction of the product, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be destroyed.

21035. Adulteration of canned corn. U. S. v. 43 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35952. Sample No. 61969–L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 4, 1953, District of Nebraska.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 17, 1953, by the Green Giant Co., from Glencoe, Minn.

PRODUCT: 43 cases, each containing 48 cans, of corn at Lincoln, Nebr.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Niblets Brand Vacuum Packed Fresh Corn Off The Cob Contents 7 Ounces Avoir."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

DISPOSITION: February 23, 1954. The Green Giant Co., 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 for segregation and destruction of the unfit portion under the supervision of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. 9 cases and 27 cans of the product were found to be unfit and were destroyed.

21036. Adulteration and misbranding of olives and sweet peppers. U. S. v. 185 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 36066. Sample No. 59179–L.)

LIBEL FILED: October 29, 1953, Southern District of Florida.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 17, 1953, by the J. Ossola Co., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 185 cases, each containing 12 jars, of olives and sweet peppers at Tampa, Fla.

LABEL, IN PART: (Jar) "Net Cont. 24 Oz. Torino * * * Salad Olives With Sweet Peppers."

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 insect-infested olives.

Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (2), the article failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents. (Examination showed that the article was short weight.)

DISPOSITION: December 10, 1953. The J. Ossola Co., 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 for segregation and destruction of the unfit portion under the supervision of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. The product subsequently was destroyed.

21037. Adulteration of olives and sweet peppers. U. S. v. 5 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35995. Sample No. 55971-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 27, 1953, Western District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 20, 1953, by the Manhattan Packing Co., from McKees Rocks, Pa.

PRODUCT: 5 cases, each containing 12 jars, of olives and sweet peppers at Buffalo, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: (Jar) "York Brand Net Wt. 1 Lb. 5 Ozs. Salad Olives With Spanish Sweet Peppers."

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 wormy olives.

DISPOSITION: December 29, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

21038. Adulteration of olives and sweet peppers. U. S. v. 4 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35961. Sample No. 55877-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 9, 1953, Western District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 6, 1953, by the Manhattan Packing Co., from Pittsburgh, Pa.

PRODUCT: 4 cases, each containing 12 jars, of olives and sweet peppers at Kenmore, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: (Jar) "York Brand Net Wt. 1 Lb. 5 Ozs. Salad Olives With Spanish Sweet Peppers."

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 wormy olives.

DISPOSITION: December 9, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

21039. Adulteration of olives and sweet peppers. U. S. v. 3 Cases. * * *. (F. D. C. No. 36005. Sample No. 55972-L.)

LIBEL FILED: December 1, 1953, Western District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 6, 1953, by Albert Orringer, from McKees Rocks, Pa.

PRODUCT: 3 cases, each containing 24 jars, of olives and sweet peppers at Buffalo, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: (Jar) "York Brand Net Wt. 10 Ozs. Salad Olives With Spanish Sweet Peppers."

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 wormy olives.

DISPOSITION: December 29, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.